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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2020- President's Professor, School of Transborder Studies, Arizona State University  
2017-2019 Professor, School of Transborder Studies, Arizona State University  
2010-2017 Associate Professor, School of Transborder Studies, Arizona State University  
2006-2010 Assistant Professor, Department of Transborder Chicana/o and Latina/o Studies,  
Arizona State University  
2006- Southwest Borderlands Scholar and Barrett Honors Faculty (2009), Arizona State  
University  
2003-2006 Assistant Professor, Sociology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
2001-2003 Visiting Assistant Professor, Latino Studies Program, Indiana University  
2001-2003 Contractor, Ethnic and Hispanic Statistics Branch, Population Division, U.S. Census  
Bureau.

## EDUCATION

2001 Ph.D., Sociology, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana  
1997 M.A., Sociology, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana  
1995 B.A., Sociology, St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas

## PUBLICATIONS

### Refereed Journal Articles

30. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Lisa M. Martínez. 2022. "Immigration Threat Amplifiers and Whites' Immigration Attitudes in the Age of Trump." *Migration Letters*. 19(3): 315-330.
29. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Michael Rodríguez-Muñiz. 2022. "Between Demographic Optimism and Pessimism? Exploring "Neither Good Nor Bad" Responses about Future Ethnoracial Diversification among U.S. Whites." *Du Bois Review: Social Science Research on Race*. 1-28. doi: 10.1017/S1742058X2200008X. Published online: 18 March.
28. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2022. "It Could be 3 million, It Could be 30 Million?: Quantitative Misperceptions about Undocumented Immigration and Immigration Attitudes in the Trump Era." *Latino Studies* 20: 242-279. Advance doi: 10.1057/s41276-022-00351-w. Published online: 23 February.

**Refereed Journal Articles, cont.**

27. McConnell, Eileen Díaz, Neal Christopherson, and Michelle Janning. 2021. “We’ve Come a Long Way, But We Could be Doing Better: Gendered Commentary in U.S. Media Coverage of the 1999 and 2019 Women’s World Cup.” *Sociology of Sport Journal* 39(1): 88-98.  
<https://doi.org/10.1123/ssj.2020-0190>
  
26. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Aggie J. Yellow Horse. 2021. “Vulnerable and Resilient: Legal Status, Family Routines and Maternal Knowledge in Mexican and Central American-origin Families in Los Angeles.” *International Migration Review*. 55(2): 514-546.  
<https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/pdf/10.1177/0197918320949816>
  
25. McConnell, Eileen Díaz, Rebecca M. B. White, and Andrea Vest Ettekal. 2020. “Participation in Organized Activities among Mexican and other Latino Youth in Los Angeles: Variation by Mother’s Documentation Status and Youth’s Age.” *Applied Developmental Science*. 24(1): 79-96.  
<https://doi.org/10.1080/10888691.2018.1449652>
  
24. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2019. “Numbers, Narratives, and Nation: Mainstream News Coverage of 1990-2010 U.S. Latino Population Growth.” *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity*. 5(4): 500-517.  
<https://doi.org/10.1177/2332649218761978>
  
23. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2017. “Rented, Crowded, and Unaffordable? Social Vulnerabilities and the Accumulation of Precarious Housing Conditions in Los Angeles.” *Housing Policy Debate*. 27(1): 60-79. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10511482.2016.1164738>
  
22. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2015. “Hurdles or Walls? Nativity, Citizenship, Legal Status and Latino Homeownership in Los Angeles.” *Social Science Research*. 53: 19-33.  
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ssresearch.2015.04.009>
  
21. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2015. “Restricted Movement: Nativity, Citizenship, Legal Status, and the Residential Crowding of Latinos in Los Angeles.” *Social Problems*. 62 (1): 141-162.  
<https://doi.org/10.1093/socpro/spu007>
  
20. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2015. “Diverging Dividends, Diverging Futures: Nativity, Citizenship Status, Legal Status and the Non-Housing Asset Accumulation of Latinos.” *Ethnicities*. 15 (2): 255-281. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1468796814557649>
  
19. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2014. “Good News and Bad News: Numeracy and Framing in Newspaper Reporting of Unauthorized Migration Estimates in Arizona.” *Aztlán: A Journal of Chicano Studies*. 39(1): 41-70.  
<https://www.ingentaconnect.com/content/csdc/aztlan/2014/00000039/00000001/art00003>
  
18. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Ilana Redstone Akresh. 2013. “Home Equity of New Legal Immigrants in the United States: An Evaluation of Three Key Theoretical Perspectives.” *International Migration Review*. 47(3): 686–729.  
<https://doi.org/10.1111/imre.12040>

**Refereed Journal Articles, cont.**

17. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2013. "Who has Housing Affordability Problems? Disparities in Housing Cost Burden by Race, Nativity and Legal Status in Los Angeles." *Race and Social Problems*. 5 (3): 173-190. {Erratum 5(3): 191-197}  
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s12552-013-9086-x>
16. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2012. "House Poor in Los Angeles: Examining Patterns of Housing-Induced Poverty by Race, Nativity, and Legal Status." *Housing Policy Debate*. 22(4): 605-631. {Corrigendum 25(1): 195-202}  
<https://dx.doi.org/10.1080/10511482.2012.697908>
15. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2011. "An 'incredible number of Latinos and Asians': Media Representations of Racial and Ethnic Population Change in Atlanta, Georgia." *Latino Studies*. 9 (2/3): 177-197. <https://doi.org/10.1057/lst.2011.17>
14. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Ilana Redstone Akresh. 2010. "Housing Cost Burden and New Immigrants in the United States." *Population Research and Policy Review*. 29 (2):143-171.  
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s11113-009-9134-9>
13. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Faranak Miraftab. 2009. "Sundown Town to 'Little Mexico': Old-timers and Newcomers in an American Small Town." *Rural Sociology*. 74 (4): 605-629.
12. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2008. "The U.S. Destinations of Contemporary Mexican Immigrants." *International Migration Review*. 42(4): 767-802.
11. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Ilana Redstone Akresh. 2008. "Through the Front Door: Housing Outcomes of New Lawful Immigrants." *International Migration Review*. 42 (1): 134-162.
10. Miraftab, Faranak and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2008. "Multiculturalizing Rural Towns: Insights for Inclusive Planning." *International Planning Studies*. 13(4): 343-359.
9. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Enrico A. Marcelli. 2007. "Buying Into the American Dream? Mexican Immigrants, Legal Status, and Homeownership in Los Angeles County." *Social Science Quarterly*. 88(1): 199-221.
8. Williams, Richard A., Reynold Nesiba, and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2005. "The Changing Face of Inequality in Home Mortgage Lending." *Social Problems*. 52(2): 181-208.
7. VanWey, Leah, Catherine M. Tucker, and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2005. "Community Organization, Migration and Remittances in Oaxaca." *Latin American Research Review*. 40(1): 83-108.
6. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Edward Delgado-Romero. 2004. "Latino Panethnicity: Reality or Methodological Construction?" *Sociological Focus*. 37(4): 297-312.
5. Guzmán, Betsy and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2002. "The Hispanic Population: 1990-2000 Growth and Change." *Population Research and Policy Review*. 21(1-2): 109-128.

**Refereed Journal Articles, cont.**

4. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Felicia B. LeClere. 2002. "Selection, Context, or Both? The English Fluency of Mexican Immigrants in the American Midwest and Southwest." *Population Research and Policy Review*. 21(3): 179-204.
3. Christopherson, Neal, Michelle Janning, and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2002. "Two Kicks Forward, One Kick Back: A Content Analysis of Media Discourses on the Women's World Cup." *Sociology of Sport Journal*. 19(2): 170-188.
2. Williams, Richard A., Eileen McConnell, and Reynold Nesiba. 2001. "The Effect of GSE's, CRA, and Institutional Characteristics on Home Mortgage Lending to Underserved Markets." *Cityscape: A Journal of Policy Development and Research*. 5(3): 9-106.
1. Brunsmas, David, Vladimir T. Khmelkov, Eileen McConnell and Amy J. Orr. 1996. "Increasing the Motivation of Secondary School Students." *American Secondary Education*. 25(2): 10-15.

**Book Chapters**

6. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2013. "Latinos in Arizona: Demographic Context in the SB 1070 Era." Chapter in Latino Politics and International Relations: The Case of Arizona's Immigration Law SB 1070. Lisa Magaña and Erik Lee, Editors. New York, NY: Springer. 1-18.
5. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2010. "Racialized Histories and Contemporary Population Dynamics in the 'New' South." In Being Brown in Dixie: Race, Ethnicity, and Latino Immigration in the New South. Cameron Lippard and Charles Gallagher, Eds. Boulder, Co: Lynne Rienner/First Forum Press. Pp. 77-98.
4. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2008. "U.S. Latinos/as and the 'American Dream': Diverse Populations and Unique Challenges in Housing." Invited chapter In Latinos/as in the United States: Changing the Face of América. Havidán Rodríguez, Rogelio Sáenz and Cecilia Menjivar, Eds. New York: Springer. Pp. 87-100.
3. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2004. "Latinos in the Rural Midwest: The Twentieth-Century Historical Context Leading to Contemporary Challenges." In Apple Pie and Enchiladas: Latino Newcomers in the Rural Midwest. Ann V. Millard and Jorge Chapa. Austin: University of Texas Press. Pp. 26-40.
2. Chapa, Jorge Rogelio Saenz, Refugio I. Rochín, and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2004. "Latinos and the Changing Demographic Fabric of the Rural Midwest." In Apple Pie and Enchiladas: Latino Newcomers in the Rural Midwest. Ann V. Millard and Jorge Chapa. Austin: University of Texas Press. Pp. 47-73.
1. Millard, Ann V., Jorge Chapa, and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2004. "'Not Racist like Our Parents': Anti-Latino Prejudice and Institutional Discrimination." In Apple Pie and Enchiladas: Latino Newcomers in the Rural Midwest. Ann V. Millard and Jorge Chapa. Austin: University of Texas Press. Pp. 102-124.

## Reports and Other Academic Contributions

10. Sanchez-Moyano, Rocio and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2021. "Cityscape Symposium on the Hispanic Housing Experience in the United States: An Introduction." *Cityscape: A Journal of Policy Development and Research*. Vol 23 (2): 115-122. [Invited article, journal published by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.]  
<https://www.huduser.gov/portal/periodicals/cityscpe/vol23num2/ch6.pdf>
9. Yellow Horse, Aggie, Mary Romero and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2020. "COVID-19 and Its Impacts on Immigrant Families and Communities." Praxis Center: Arcus Center for Social Justice Leadership. Kalamazoo College. July-August 2020.  
<https://www.kzoo.edu/praxis/covid-19-impacts/>
8. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Amanda Skeen. 2009. "Demographics: Contemporary Characteristics of a Dynamic Population." In *Looking Ahead (Viendo Adelante): the Past, Present and Future of Hispanic Populations in the State of Arizona, 2009-2034*. Arizona State University and the Arizona Latino Research Enterprise, Tempe, AZ. 8 pp.  
[http://www.evanspubrelations.com/documents/StateofLatinoArizona\\_web\\_complete.pdf](http://www.evanspubrelations.com/documents/StateofLatinoArizona_web_complete.pdf)
7. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2006. "Demography." In Latinas in the United States: A Historical Encyclopedia. Vicki L. Ruiz and Virginia Sánchez-Korrol, Eds. Indiana University Press. 204-209.
6. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2006. "US Latinos: Demographic Shifts and Implications." *Illinois International Review*. Issue 2 (Spring 2006): 2-3.
5. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2005. "No Place Like Home: The State of Hispanic Housing in Chicago, Los Angeles, and New York City, 2003." Funded by *Esperanza USA*, June 2005. 45pp. [http://latinostudies.nd.edu/assets/95256/original/ahs\\_housing.pdf](http://latinostudies.nd.edu/assets/95256/original/ahs_housing.pdf)
4. McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Timothy J. Ready. 2005. "The Roof Over Our Heads: Hispanic Housing in the United States." Brief funded by *Esperanza USA*, June 2005. 16 pp.  
[http://latinostudies.nd.edu/assets/95255/original/ahs\\_final\\_report.pdf](http://latinostudies.nd.edu/assets/95255/original/ahs_final_report.pdf)
3. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2005. "Indiana." Encyclopedia Latina: History, Culture, and Society. Volume 2. Ilan Stavans, Ed in Chief. Danbury, CT: Grolier Publishing. 357-358.
2. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2004. "Weighting Schemes and Hispanic Data in the 2000 Current Population Survey." *Applied Demography Newsletter*. 17(2): 3-4.
1. McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2003. "The Hispanic Experience: Analyses Over Time and Across Data Sources." Report to the U.S. Census Bureau. Washington, DC: Sabre Systems. 131 pp.

## Book Reviews

- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2013. Review of Tierra y Libertad: Land, Liberty and Latino Housing by Steven W. Bender (New York University Press, 2010). *Journal of American Ethnic History*. 32(3): 100-101.

**Book Reviews, cont.**

McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2013. Review of A Midwestern Mosaic: Immigration and Political Socialization in Rural America by J. Celeste Lay (Temple University Press, 2012). *International Migration Review*. 47 (1): 243-244.

McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2002. Review of Migration, Transnationalization and Race in a Changing New York, edited by Hector R. Cordero-Guzman, Robert Smith and Ramon Grosfoguel. *American Journal of Sociology*. 108(2): 484-486.

**Manuscripts in Progress**

McConnell, Eileen Díaz, Connor Sheehan, and Angelica Lopez. “Psychological Distress among U.S. Latinx Adults in 2020: Disentangling Immigration Policy, Sociopolitical Context, and COVID-19 Specific Factors.” *Under Review*, May 2022.

**RESEARCH GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND AWARDS**

- 2009-2011      Race, Ethnicity, Nativity and Housing Outcomes in Los Angeles. R03HD058915, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development. Role: Principal Investigator, \$145,037 total costs. No cost-extension through 2012.  
\*(See McConnell 2012, 2013, 2015a,b,c, 2017)
  
- 2005            The State of Hispanic Housing in the United States. Institute of Latino Studies, University of Notre Dame. Role: Principal Investigator, \$15,441.
  
- 2005            Interest Group on Housing. Center on Democracy in a Multiracial Society, University of Illinois. Role: Co-Investigator with Faranak Miraftab and Lynne Dearborn. Research assistant and \$3,000.
  
- 2005            The G-Men Behind the Curtain: The Federal Government and the Social Construction of Difference, Change, and Progress in America. Center for Advanced Study, University of Illinois. Role: Principal Investigator. Declined.
  
- 2001-2003      Variation and Transition in the Hispanic Experience in the United States. Ethnic and Hispanic Statistics Branch, Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau. Role: Principal Investigator, \$103,655.  
\*(See Guzmán and McConnell 2002, McConnell 2003)
  
- 2001            Eli J. and Helen Shaheen Award for Outstanding Graduate Student in the Social Sciences, University of Notre Dame.
  
- 2000            John J. Kane Memorial Award, Department of Sociology, University of Notre Dame. (Awarded to outstanding sociology graduate student)
  
- 2000            Graduate Student Paper Award, Southern Demographic Association.

## **RESEARCH GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND AWARDS, contd.**

- 2000            Honorable Mention, International Migration Section, American Sociological Association.
- 1999            Phillip Moore Dissertation Year Fellowship, University of Notre Dame.
- 1995-1997     Minority Research Fellowship, University of Notre Dame.

## **PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS**

### **Invited Presentation/Panels**

- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2018. “Numbers, Narratives, and Nation: Mainstream News Coverage of 1990-2010 U.S. Latino Population Growth.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Social Science History Association, Phoenix, AZ.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2017. Working Expert Convening, Measures of Housing Insecurity, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development’s Office of Policy Development and Research, Washington, DC.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2014. “Restricted Movement: Nativity, Citizenship, Legal Status, and the Residential Crowding of Latinos in Los Angeles.” Latino Resilience Enterprise, Brownbag Speaker Series, Arizona State University, Phoenix, AZ.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2013. “U.S. Latinos, Housing Affordability, and Homeownership.” Rethinking Mortgage-Based Homeownership Symposium, School of Sociology, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2013. “Arizona’s Demographic Context: 1980-2010.” Panel member, “From SB1070 to Anticipating Immigration Reform. Arizona State University, Phoenix, AZ.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2010. “Latinos in Arizona: Demographic Context in the SB 1070 Era.” Arizona’s Latino Politics and International Relations Conference, Arizona State University, Phoenix, AZ
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2010. “U.S. Demographic Trends, Population Projections, and Implications for IU and other Universities.” Attention, Reflection, Connections 2010: Steps Toward an Inclusive Campus. Indiana University, Bloomington, IN.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2009. “Media Representations of the Growth and Change of Asian and Latino Populations in Atlanta, Georgia: 1990-2000.” Presentation at the “Latinos/as and the Media” Conference, City University of New York, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York City.



### **Invited Presentations/Panels, cont.**

McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2008. “Media Representations of the Growth and Change of Asian and Latino Populations in Atlanta, Georgia: 1990-2000.” University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS.

McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2008. “Too Much ‘Information’? Latina/o Population Change, Media Coverage, and the Latino Image.” Presentation at the “Latina/o Images for the 21st Century: Interethnic Relations and Politics of Representation in the United States” Conference, Bielefeld University, Germany.

McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2006. “State of Latino Housing in the United States.” Center for Responsible Lending, Washington, DC.

McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2005. “The Roof Over Our Heads: The State of Hispanic Housing in the United States.” National Hispanic Prayer Breakfast, Washington, DC.

McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2004. “Illinois’ Growing Immigrant Population.” Presentation at the “An Informed Discussion of Financial Access for Immigrants” Conference, The Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago. Springfield, IL.

McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2001. “The Midwest in Transition: An Examination of the Unprecedented Growth in the Hispanic Population.” Third Upper Midwest Conference on Demographics for Policy Makers and Analysts, Minneapolis, MN.

McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 1999. “The Demographics of Mexican Immigrants in the Southwestern and Midwestern United States.” Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau, Suitland, MD.

### **Refereed Conference Presentations and Other Academic Presentations**

McConnell, Eileen Díaz, Connor Sheehan, and Angelica Lopez. 2022. “Psychological Distress among U.S. Latinx Adults in 2020: Disentangling Immigration Policy, Sociopolitical Context, and COVID-19 Specific Factors.” Paper presented at the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA.

McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Michael Rodríguez-Muñiz. 2020. “Good, Bad, and Beyond the Binary: Predicting Whites’ Views about Future Ethnoracial Diversification in the United States.” Paper competitively accepted for session at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America; in-person conference cancelled due to COVID-19.

McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Michael Rodríguez-Muñiz. 2019. “What Factors Affect Whites’ Views about Future Ethnoracial Diversification in the United States?” Paper presented at the Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium (PRIEC) meeting, University of California, Riverside.



**Refereed Conference Presentations and Other Academic Presentations, cont.**

- McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Aggie J. Yellow Horse. 2019. “Vulnerable *and* Resilient: Family Routines and Maternal Knowledge in Mexican and Central American-origin Families.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, NYC, NY.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2019. “Does Immigration Innumeracy Predict the U.S. Public’s Immigration Attitudes and Policy Priorities? The Implications of Misinformation in the Age of Trump.” Paper presented at the Politics of Race, Immigration, and Ethnicity Consortium (PRIEC) meeting, Tempe, AZ.
- Noah, Aggie J. and Eileen Díaz McConnell. 2018. “Mexican Immigrant Women’s Neighborhood Social Organization and Satisfaction by Legal Status and Contexts of Reception.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, CO.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2016. “Numbers, Narratives, and Nation: Mainstream Media Representations of U.S. Latino Population Growth, 2000 and 2010.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Seattle, WA.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2015. “Renting, Crowded, and Unaffordable? Social Vulnerabilities and the Accumulation of Precarious Housing Conditions in Los Angeles.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, San Diego, CA.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2011. “Race, Nativity, and/or Legal Status? Investigating Differences in Housing Cost Burden in Los Angeles.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington DC.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2010. “Media Representations of Racial and Ethnic Population Change in Atlanta, Georgia: 1990-2000.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2008. “International Immigration to Former Sundown Towns: Exploring the Connections between Racialized Histories and Contemporary Responses.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Demographic Association, Greenville, SC.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Faranak Miraftab. 2008. “Sundown Town to ‘Mexican Town’: Old Timers and Newcomers in Small Town America.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Ilana Redstone Akresh. 2007. “Cost Burden and Housing Wealth Among Immigrants to the United States.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, New York.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Enrico Marcelli. 2004. “Mexican Immigrant Homeownership in Los Angeles County.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Demographic Association, Hilton Head, NC.

**Refereed Conference Presentations, cont.**

- McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Edward Delgado-Romero. 2004. “Latinos, Panethnicity, and Census 2000: Reality or Methodological Construction?” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2003. “The Changing Demography of Latinos: California and Georgia, 1990-2000.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Minneapolis, MN.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz. 2002. “The Hispanic Population: Comparing Census Bureau Data Sources in Traditional and Non-Traditional States.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Joint Statistical Meetings, American Statistical Association, New York, NY.
- McConnell, Eileen Díaz and Betsy Guzmán. 2002. “Evaluating Census 2000 Hispanic Data.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA.
- Betsy Guzmán and Eileen McConnell. 2001. “The Hispanic Population: 1990-2000 Growth and Change.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Demographic Association, Miami, FL.
- McConnell, Eileen. 2001. “Persistence or Change in the Locational Preferences of Mexican Immigrants to the United States: The Adaptive Strategies of Repeat Migrants.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Anaheim, CA.
- McConnell, Eileen. 2001. “The Comparability of Data Sources about Mexican Immigrants: The Mexican Migration Project versus the Current Population Survey.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington, DC.
- McConnell, Eileen. 2000. “Modeling Locational Choice: The Determinants of Mexican Migration to the Southwestern and Midwestern United States.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Demographic Association, New Orleans, LA.
- McConnell, Eileen and Felicia B. LeClere. 2000. “The Destinal Context of Mexican Immigration to the United States: English Proficiency in the Southwest and Midwest.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Los Angeles, CA.
- Williams, Richard and Eileen D. McConnell. 1998. “The Effects of GSE’s, CRA, and Institutional Characteristics on Home Mortgage Lending to Underserved Markets.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- McConnell, Eileen D. 1998. “Mexican Origin Eighth Grade Achievement: The Effects of Parent and Student Aspirations.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Pacific Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA.

## TEACHING AND MENTORSHIP

### Awards and Recognition

Designated as President’s Professor (permanent title) to recognize contributions to undergraduate education, Arizona State University, 2020.

Nominated in 2010-2011, 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2019-2020, Zebulon Pearce Distinguished Teaching Award, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Arizona State University.

2015 Excellence in Teaching Award, School of Transborder Studies, Arizona State University.

Teachers Rated as Excellent, Center for Teaching Excellence, the University of Illinois. Fall 2003, Fall 2004, Fall 2005, Spring 2006.

### Arizona State University

TCL 304 Transborder Research Methods

TCL 314 Transborder Latin American Migration (in-person and online)

TCL 342 Social Demographics of Latino Populations

### University of Illinois

Changing Social Demography of Latinos in the United States

Latin American & Latina/o Migration

Latinas/Latinos in Contemporary U.S. Society

Race and Ethnicity

Racial and Ethnic Demography and Stratification in America

### Indiana University

Introduction to Latina/o History

Latinos in the United States: An Overview of Contemporary Issues

Latino Immigration and American Society

Race and Ethnic Relations

### Student Committees

2021-	Evelyn Cruz	Chair	Ph.D.
2021-22	Lucas Currey-Haskins	Member	B.A., Honors Thesis
2020-21	Kira Olsen-Medina	Member	M.A.
2019	Chloe Walker	Member	B.A., Honors Thesis
2011-16	Laquitta Walker	Member	Ph.D.
2015-16	Alejandra López	Chair	B.A., Honors Thesis
2014-15	Chrisanne Gultz	Member	B.A., Honors Thesis
2014-15	Ignacio Celis-Aguirre	Member	B.A., Honors Thesis
2010-11	Christian Castro	Member	B.A., Honors Thesis
2005-07	Michael Sobczak	Member	Ph.D.
2005-07	Hiromi Ishizawa	Member	Ph.D.

**Student Committees, cont.**

2005-06	Jennifer Ortman	Member	Ph.D. proposal
2004-05	Jennifer Ortman	Member	M.A.
2005	Laura Jennings	Member	Qualifying Exam
2005	Keri Niehans	Member	Qualifying Exam

**Other Mentoring and Research/Teaching Supervision**

2022	Alexander Hayden	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2022	Mayka Galarza	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2022	Jayni Gallego	Undergraduate Teaching Assistant
2021	Emma Coleman	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2021	Neal Sullivan	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2020	Alannah Fitzmaurice	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2020	Lucas Currey-Haskins	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2019-20	Megan Medrano	Graduate Teaching Assistant
2018	Benjamin Curran	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2018	Oscar Mancinas	Graduate Teaching Assistant
2017-18	Kendall Kampen	Wells Fargo Research Project
2017	Brenda Mora-Castillo	Graduate Teaching Assistant
2017	Keily Meador	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2017	Mark Winemiller	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2017	Victoria Tenorio Montoya	Independent Study
2017	Ashley Cano	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2017	Michael Padilla	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2016	Cesar Silva	Graduate Teaching Assistant
2016	Kayli Sundin	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2015-16	Alejandra López	Wells Fargo Research Project
2016	Karen Beltrán Mendivil	Independent Study
2015	Angelica Fox	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2015	Socorro Carrillo	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2015	Alejandra López	Undergraduate Enrichment Project
2010-11	Reyna Montoya	Wells Fargo Research Project
2009-11	Dean Kyne	Graduate Research Assistant
2009	Christina Clancey-Rivera	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2009	Derek Somo	Barrett Honors Contract Paper
2005	Mía Ives-Ruble	Independent Study
2005	Diana Mora	James Scholar Honors Paper
2005	Diana Mora	Summer Research Oppt. Program
2005	Cesar Perez	Independent Study
2004	Mía Ives-Ruble	James Scholar Honors Paper
2004	Anita Kaiser	Independent Study
2004	Jodi Mautner	James Scholar Honors Paper
2004	Jennifer Miller	James Scholar Honors Paper
2004	Anita Kaiser	Independent Study
2004	Zafar Musvi	Independent Study
2004	Jessica Olshansky	James Scholar Honors Paper

## **Guest Lecturer in ASU Courses**

Methods for Teaching in the Social Sciences (FAS 598), Prof. Bethany Bustamante Van Vleet, Sanford School of Social and Family Dynamics, Spring 2022.

Transborder Society and Culture I: Interdisciplinary Approaches (TCL 201), Prof. Monica de la Torre, School of Transborder Studies, Fall 2017.

Introduction to Transborder Chicana/o and Latina/o Culture (TCL 111), Prof. Brendan O'Connor, School of Transborder Studies, Fall 2014, Fall 2016.

Transborder Society and Culture II: Contemporary Issues (TCL 202), Prof. Saskias Casanova, School of Transborder Studies, Spring 2016.

Arizona Immigration, Latinos and Politics (TCL 394), Prof. Lisa Magaña, School of Transborder Studies, Spring 2015.

Latino & Transnational Issues (JMC 498), Prof. Rick Rodríguez, Cronkite School of Journalism, Spring 2012.

Transborder Research Methods (TCL 304), Prof. Maria Hilda Garcia-Perez, School of Transborder Studies. Spring 2009, Spring 2010, Spring 2013.

Introduction to Transborder Chicana/o Latina/o Studies (TCL 101), Prof. Marivel Danielson, Department of Transborder Chicana/o Latina/o Studies. Fall 2009.

Introduction to American Indian Studies (AIS 180), Prof. Kimberly Tallbear. Department of American Indian Studies, Spring 2007.

## **SERVICE**

### **Professional Offices, Committees, and Service Activities**

Member, Julian Samora Distinguished Award Committee, Latina/o Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association, 2021-2022.

Member, Editorial Board, *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity*, 2020-2022.

Grant Reviewer, Israel Science Foundation, 2021.

Member, Nominations Committee, International Migration Section, American Sociological Association, 2020-2021.

External Tenure Reviewer, Assistant Professor at public university, 2020.

External Reviewer on Promotion to Full, Associate Professor at private university, 2020.

**Professional Offices, Committees, and Service Activities, cont.**

Member, HUD Expert Convening-Feedback on the Pilot Housing Insecurity Survey Module, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's Office of Policy Development and Research, Washington, DC. 2017.

Member, Founders Award Committee, Latina/o Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2017.

Moderator, "Global Realities" Session at the "Guest Workers: Western Origins, Global Future" conference sponsored by the Huntington Library and Program in Comparative Border Studies, Arizona State University, San Marino, California, 2011.

Member, Committee on Sections, American Sociological Association. 2007-2010.

Moderator, "Chicana/o Latina/o Phoenix: The Dynamics of Cultural Health Remedies, Economic (In)Justice and University-Community Bridges." Arizona MALCS (Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social) Institute, Phoenix, AZ, 2010.

Invited Member, Research Advisory Council, Center for Responsible Lending, Durham, North Carolina. 2007.

Elected Member, Executive Council, Latina/o Sociology Section, American Sociological Association. 2004-2007.

Invited Member, Graduate Student Paper Award Committee, International Migration Section, American Sociological Association, 2007.

Invited Panel Moderator, Briefing for Congressional Staffers, "Mortgage Lending Discrimination and U.S. Latinos: Evidence and Solutions." Center for Responsible Lending and Annie E. Casey Foundation, Washington, DC, 2006.

Invited Organizer and Presider, Sessions on "Latina/o Sociology: Diverse Groups, Diverse Approaches" and "Latina/o Identities in U.S. Society." American Sociological Association, 101<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, 2006.

Invited Panelist, "Mortgage Lending Discrimination and U.S. Latinos: Evidence and Solutions." National Council of La Raza Conference, Los Angeles, CA, 2006.

Editor, *Notas*, Newsletter of the Section of Latina/o Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association. 2001-2004.

Member, Awards Committee, Latina/o Sociology Section of the American Sociological Association. 2004.

Member, Graduate Student Paper Award Committee, Latina/o Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2004.

**Professional Offices, Committees, and Service Activities, cont.**

Invited Panelist, “The Graduate Mentoring Process and the Job Market: Tips and Testimony for Success.” Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social (MALCS) Conference, Seattle, WA, 2004.

Co-Organizer of Conference, *Immigration and the Food Processing Industry*, Minneapolis, MN, 2003.

**Occasional Manuscript Reviewer** (since 2017)

<i>Demography</i>	<i>Race and Social Problems</i>
<i>Ethnic and Racial Studies</i>	<i>Social Problems</i>
<i>Housing Policy Debate</i>	<i>Social Science Research</i>
<i>International Migration</i>	<i>Sociological Perspectives</i>
<i>International Migration Review</i>	<i>Sociology of Race and Ethnicity</i>
<i>Journal of Urban Affairs</i>	<i>Socius: Sociological Research for a Dynamic World</i>
<i>Migration Letters</i>	

**School, College, and University Service**

Member, University Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2022-2024.

Member, Ad Hoc Presentation Committee for Promotion Review of Associate Professor Francisco Lara-Valencia, School of Transborder Studies, 2022-2023.

Survey Designer and Analyst, Member-initiated survey of the University Tenure and Promotion Committee, 2022. (Co-organized, analyzed and presented a report to the University Provost about the workload and effects of UPTC work on faculty committee members.)

Member, Ad Hoc Presentation Committee for Tenure and Promotion Review of Assistant Professor Edward Vargas, School of Transborder Studies, 2021-2022.

Member, President’s Professor Advisory Panel, Office of the University Provost, 2021.

Chair, Personnel Action Committee, School of Transborder Studies, 2020-2021.

Member, Search Committee for Social Sciences Dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, 2020.

Teaching Evaluation, TCL 323: Latina/o Health Issues, for Prof. Edward Vargas’ fifth-year probationary review. Fall 2020.

Chair, Search Committee for Assistant Professor, School of Transborder Studies, 2019-2020.

Member, Executive Committee, School of Transborder Studies, 2019-present.

Chair, Ad Hoc Presentation Committee for Probationary Review of Assistant Professor Edward Vargas, School of Transborder Studies, 2019.



**School, College, and University Service, cont.**

Member, Curriculum Committee, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, 2017-2018, 2019-2020.

Invited Member, Advisory Board, College of Liberal Arts and Science Dean's Initiative on Inequality, 2017-2018. (Coordinated 30 faculty presentations at three events in Spring 2018, facilitating breakout activities and discussion at each event.)

Teaching Evaluation, TCL 471: Latinos in Hollywood, for Prof. Monica De La Torre's third-year probationary review. Spring 2018.

Member, Search Committee for Professor and Associate Director of Sociology, T. Denny Sanford School of Social and Family Dynamics, 2017-2018.

Member, Search Committee for Director of the School of Transborder Studies, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, 2017-2018.

Chair, Personnel Advisory Committee, School of Transborder Studies, 2017-2018.

Lead Faculty Member, Undergraduate Recruitment, School of Transborder Studies, 2015-2018.

Chair, Ad Hoc Presentation Committee for Probationary Review of Assistant Professor Saskias Casanova, School of Transborder Studies, 2016.

Member, Personnel Action Committee, School of Transborder Studies, 2016-2017.

Invited Panelist, 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Career Development Series, School of Transborder Studies, 2016.

Member, Postdoctoral Research Associate Hiring Committee, School of Transborder Studies, 2015-2016.

Member, Ad Hoc Presentation Committee for Probationary Review of Assistant Professor Airín Martínez, School of Transborder Studies, 2015.

Panelist, Developing a Tenure-Track Plan Workshop, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Arizona State University, 2015.

Member, General Studies Council, Arizona State University, 2014-2015.

Member, Search Committee for Director, School of Transborder Studies, 2014-2015.

Chair, Personnel Advisory Committee, School of Transborder Studies, 2013-2014.

Member, Search Committee for Assistant Professor in Transborder Culture, Language, and Learning, School of Transborder Studies, 2014.

Member, Scholarship Committee, School of Transborder Studies, 2014.

**School, College, and University Service, cont.**

Member, Executive Committee, Program in Comparative Border Studies, Arizona State University, 2011-2013.

Member, Planning Committee, Fall 2012 Retreat, School of Transborder Studies, 2012.

Chair, Presentation Committee, Search for Latino Health faculty position, School of Transborder Studies, 2012.

Invited Commentary, Dr. Roberto Ham-Chande's presentation, "Demographic Change in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands: A Mexican Perspective, Transborder Dialogues: The U.S.-Mexico Border in Transition, Arizona State University, 2012.

Chair, Presentation Committee, Promotion of Associate Research Professional to Full Research Professional, School of Transborder Studies, 2011.

Member, Personnel Advisory Committee, School of Transborder Studies, 2010-2011.

Member, Ad Hoc committee, Graduate Program Development, School of Transborder Studies, 2010-2011.

Member, Ad Hoc committee, Academic Program Review of the Department of Transborder Chicana/o and Latina/o Studies, 2010.

Member, Search Committee for Applied Economics faculty position, Department of Transborder Chicana/o and Latina/o Studies, Spring 2010.

Member, Ad Hoc committee to revise departmental tenure and promotion guidelines, Department of Transborder Chicana/o and Latina/o Studies, 2008.

Member, Personnel Action Committee, Department of Transborder Chicana/o and Latina/o Studies, 2007-2008.

Chair, Curriculum Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Illinois, 2005-2006.

Invited Speaker, "Government Data Sources, Ethnic Classification, and the Packaging of Hispanicity." Community of Scholars Conference, University of Illinois, 2005.

Invited Speaker, "Census 2000, Race, and the Packaging of Hispanicity." Intersections Living-Learning Community, University of Illinois, 2005.

Co-author, "Latina/o Action Plan." Report with Prof. Winifred Poster to the University Chancellor regarding the academic success of Latina/o students, Department of Sociology, University of Illinois, 2004.

## Community Engagement

Speaker, Presentation about Arizona Immigration, Campus visit of City University of New York, Baruch College Journalism Students. April 2022.

Keynote speaker, “No One’s From Here,” Summit on Human Dignity. Brophy College Preparatory. Phoenix, AZ. March 2022. <https://www.brophyprep.org/2022-summit-on-human-dignity>

Participant on “Border Militarization” for the “We are Home Arizona: an Immigration Podcast.” Co-hosts Danny Orona and Carlos Yañez Navarro. November 2021. <https://open.spotify.com/episode/1VqBbkHKu11bYXQGSB4Gif>

Panelist, “Dreamers & Documenting the Undocumented.” NationSwell Council, March 2021.

Panelist, COVID-19 en la Frontera entre Arizona y Sonora: Migración y solicitantes de Asilo en Tiempos de Pandemia, Virtual Session, Nuevas Direcciones para la investigación y políticas públicas transfronterizas. Alianza Interuniversitaria Sonora-Arizona. June 2020.

Pro Bono Data and Research Consultant, *Aliento*, Phoenix, AZ. 2018-present.

Panelist, Immigration & K-12 Education in Arizona, Teach for America Arizona Alumni Leadership Board Speaker Series. Phoenix, AZ. October 2019.

Co-organizer and Presenter, Two Civic Academies on “Welcome the Stranger: Immigration & Catholic Teaching,” St. Patrick Catholic Community, Scottsdale, AZ. January and February 2019.

Member, Matthew 25 Project on Immigration, St. Patrick Catholic Community, Scottsdale, AZ. December 2018-2020.

Invited Panelist, DATOS: The State of Arizona’s Hispanic Market conference, Arizona Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Phoenix, AZ, 2017.

Organizer and presenter, Transition to College workshop, The Shine Project, Phoenix, AZ, 2014.

Invited Speaker, “The Demographics of Latinos in Arizona: Contemporary Characteristics of a Dynamic Population,” Hispanic Leadership Institute, Phoenix, AZ, 2010.

Invited Speaker, “The Demographics of Latinos in Arizona: Contemporary Characteristics of a Dynamic Population,” Arizona Latino Research Enterprise, Tempe AZ, 2009.

Invited Speaker, “State of Latino Arizona” Study, Arizona Latino Research Enterprise Town Hall, Phoenix, AZ, 2008.

Invited Speaker, “Latinos in the U.S. and at the University of Illinois: Past, Present, and Future.” Latina/o Family Visit Day, sponsored by the Latina/Latino Studies Program, University of Illinois,

Invited Speaker, “Latina/os in East Central Illinois: Demographics and Issues.” Lincoln Trails Library Association, Champaign, IL, 2004.

## Community Engagement

Invited Speaker, “Latinos in Central Illinois: A Snapshot of the Population and the Community.” Latin America and Latina/o Bibliographic and Information Resources Workshop, sponsored by the Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, 2004.

Member, Advisory Board, Community Health Care Strategies, Bloomington, IN. 2002.

Member, Working Group on Latino Outreach, Bloomington, IN. 2001-2003.

## Press Coverage

Navarro, Aaron, Caitlin Huey-Burns, Adam Brewster. 2022. “One Democrat in the House doesn’t support abortion rights. He faces a progressive challenger Tuesday. CBS News. May 23. <https://www.cbsnews.com/news/henry-cuellar-abortion-jessica-cisneros-runoff-texas/>

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Soto, Liliana. 2021. “Words That Matter: A Conversation with the community about words that dehumanize people.” ABC 15 Arizona. Two Part series. March 25 and April 1, 2021. <https://www.abc15.com/news/estamos-contigo/words-matter-a-conversation-with-the-community-about-words-that-dehumanize-people>  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4eHGxOjU2N0>

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Terrill, Marshall. 2018. “The Journey Continues: Central American Caravan Members Reach the U.S.” May 7. <https://asunow.asu.edu/20180507-global-engagement-journey-continues-central-american-caravan-members-reach-us>

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**Press Coverage, cont.**

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Jimenez, Celina. 2016. "What representation sounds like for America's young Latinxs." *The State Press*. Arizona State University newspaper. January 20.  
<http://www.statepress.com/article/2016/01/what-representation-sounds-like-for-young-latinos-and-latinas>

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