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2. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** & Pebley, A. R. (2002). *Los Angeles County Young Children’s Literacy Experiences, Emotional Well-Being and Skills Acquisition Results from the Los Angeles Family and Neighborhood Survey* (DRU-3041-LAFANS). RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, CA. <https://www.rand.org/pubs/drafts/DRU3041.html>

**PRESENTATIONS**

Note: \* denotes peer review, + denotes invited lecture or special prestige/recognition, # includes a student among the authors

1. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Roloff, K., Flores-Carter, K., Tabb, K.M., & Loret de Mola, R. (November 2021). Prenatal depressive symptoms and self-efficacy in prenatal women diagnosed with diabetes: Telling a different story for Latina women. Paper presentation at the Marcé of North American Biennial Meeting (Virtual).
2. \*D’Anna-Hernandez, K., **Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, & Non, A. (November 2021). Changes in mental health and socioeconomic stress burden during the COVID-19 pandemic on mothers of Mexican descent. Paper presentation at the Marcé of North American Biennial Meeting (Virtual).
3. \*#Singleton, C., Fabusoro, O., Teran-Garcia, M., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (October 2021). Basic needs insecurity during the COVID-19 pandemic among Black and Latino adults in Illinois. Paper presentation at the American Public Health Association (Virtual).
4. \*#Fabusoro, O., Singleton, C., Teran-Garcia, M., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (August 2021).Predictors of Food and Water Stockpiling During the COVID-19 Pandemic. Poster presentation at the Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior (Virtual).
5. \*#Singleton, C., Fabusoro, O., Teran-Garcia, M., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (August 2021). Change in Employment Status due to the COVID-19 pandemic, SNAP participation, and food security status. Paper presentation at the Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior (Virtual).
6. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Melesse, B., Mudar, R., Ahumada, P., & Fujimoto, E. & Rogers, W. (August 2021). Understanding the support needs of aging caregivers of veterans with traumatic brain injury. Poster presentation at the American Psychological Association National Convention (Virtual).
7. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Melesse, B., & Mendy, M. (August 2021). COVID-19 concerns and mental health among African American and Latina women in a Midwestern state. Poster presentation at the American Psychological Association National Convention (Virtual).
8. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (July 2021). *Modelo conceptual de depresión posparto en Latinas inmigrantes.* Presentation at the Avances en Salud Mental reproductiva y perinatal in the Department of Psychology and Sociology at the University of Zaragoza, Spain.
9. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Duran, V. & Fujimoto, E.M. (October 2020). A systematic review of risk factors, oxytocin, cortisol and perinatal depression. Paper presented at the International Marcé Society for Perinatal Mental Health. Iowa City, Iowa.
10. \*#Melesse, B., Fujimoto, E.M., Pedersen, C., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (October 2020). Associations between labor pain, control and management, and depressive and anxiety symptoms in a sample of Latina mothers. Poster presented at the International Marcé Society for Perinatal Mental Health. Iowa City, Iowa.

+**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (May 2020). A Culturally and Emotionally Responsive Community: Focusing on Mental Health, Work Life Balance, and Thoughtful Leadership. University of Illinois Senior Leadership Retreat, Champaign, IL.

1. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (November 2019). Mindfulness-based intervention for caregivers of veterans: Why it is time we serve them. Invited presentation at the Making the Invisible Visible: A Dialogue on Veteran Traumatic Brain Injury. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL.
2. \*#Ramirez, A., Rosales, M., Barrera, A., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (October 2019). Exploring modes of technology used in preventing and treating perinatal depression and anxiety in Latina and African-American women. Paper presented at the Marcé of North America, 4th Biennial Conference on Perinatal Mental Health, Chapel Hill, NC.
3. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Akinbode, T., Larsen, R., Sutton, B., & Schwarb, H.(October 2019). Assessing pain perception in women with and without postpartum depression using fMRI: A feasibility study in progress. Paper presented at the Marcé of North America, 4th Biennial Conference on Perinatal Mental Health, Chapel Hill, NC.
4. \*#Juarez Padilla, J., Lara, M.A., Navarrete, L., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (October 2019). Perinatal Anxiety Symptoms in Mexican Women: Prevalence and Risk Factors. Paper presented at the Marcé of North America, 4th Biennial Conference on Perinatal Mental Health, Chapel Hill, NC.
5. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (October 2019). Women’s mental health: perinatal and military-affiliated populations. Invited talk at Northwestern Feinberg School of Medicine, Asher Center for the Study and Treatment of Depressive Disorders, Chicago, IL.
6. \*#Juarez Padilla, J., Lara, M.A., Navarrete, L., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (August 2019). Perinatal Anxiety Symptoms in Mexican Women: Prevalence and Risk Factors. Poster presented at the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
7. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (May 2019). Bienestar emocional: Vital para la salud perinatal (Emotional wellbeing in the perinatal period). Invited keynote address at the Optimizando: Bienestar emocional en la etapa perinatal (Optimizing emotional wellbeing during the perinatal period). San Juan, Puerto Rico.
8. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S**. (April 2019). Breastfeeding, maternal mood, and oxytocin: Important pillars of infant nutrition and development. Invited presentation at the College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences Division of Nutrition Sciences, Urbana, IL.
9. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo**, S., Santens, R., & Fujimoto, E. (March 2019). Mindfulness-based intervention for female caregivers of veterans: A randomized controlled trial. Paper presented at the International Association for Women’s Mental Health 8th Congress, Paris, France.
10. \***Lara-Cinisomo**, S. (March 2019). Latina perinatal depression and oxytocin: What we know and what is needed.Paper presented at the International Association for Women’s Mental Health 8th Congress, Paris, France.
11. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo**, S., Wood, J., & Fujimoto, E. (March 2019). Assessing the role of acculturation, Marianismo, and religiosity on Latina perinatal depression: A systematic review. Paper presented at the International Association for Women’s Mental Health 8th Congress, Paris, France.
12. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo, S**., Akinbode. T., Larsen, R., Sutton, B., & Schwarb, H. (March 2019). The feasibility of assessing pain perception in women with and without postpartum depression using fMRI. Poster presented at the International Association for Women’s Mental Health 8th Congress, Paris, France.
13. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo, S**., Akinbode. T., & Wood, J. (March 2019).A systematic review of somatic symptoms: Do race or ethnicity matter? Poster presented at the International Association for Women’s Mental Health 8th Congress, Paris, France.
14. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo**, S., Santens, R., & Fujimoto, E. (November 2018). A mindfulness-based intervention for caregivers of veterans. Poster presented at the American Public Health Association, San Diego, CA.
15. \*#Fujimoto, E., Santens, R., & **Lara-Cinisomo**, S. (November 2018). If we offer it, will they come? Assessing feasibility and acceptability of a mindfulness intervention for caregivers of veterans. Poster presented at the American Public Health Association, San Diego, CA.
16. \*#Palencia, L., Loret de Mola, J.R., Roloff, K., Wilson, T., Diaz-Sylvester, P., Groesch, K., Delfino, K., Ghareeb, A., Rosas, L., Juarez Padilla, J., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S**. (November 2018). Examining the relationship between differing institution-based prenatal diabetes treatment algorithms, glucose management and perceived patient self-efficacy. Poster presented at the Central Association of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, Minneapolis, Minnesota.
17. \*#Juarez Padilla, J., Lara, M.A., Navarrete, L., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (October 2018). Síntomas de ansiedad perinatal en mujeres mexicanas: prevalencia y factores de riesgo. Poster presented at the XXXIII Reunión Anual de Investigación, El Instituto National de Psiquiatría Ramón de la Fuente Muñiz., Distrito Federal, México.
18. #Akinbode, T. & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (August 2018). The Postpartum depression and maternal pain perception: Infant context in the first 1000 days. Poster presentation at the First 1,000 Days Symposium, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, IL.
19. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (June 2018). Latinas and perinatal depression research: recruitment, retention, and results. Invited presentation at the Approaches to Detect and Treat Perinatal Depression Workshop, Identifying Depression Through Early Awareness (IDEA) Women’s Health Coalition, Champaign, IL.
20. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (May 2018). Development and results from the Migration Experiences Survey for perinatal Latinas. Invited presentation at the Marcé Society of Spain. Barcelona, Spain.
21. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (March 2018). Results from the Study of Exposure to Stress, Perinatal Mood, Adverse Life Events, and Hormone Function in Latinas (SEPAH Latina): An Examination of Adverse Childhood Experiences. Presentation at the Adverse Childhood Experiences. University of Illinois at Urbana, Champaign, Champaign, IL.
22. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo, S**., Wood, J., & Fujimoto, E. (October 2017). Culture, religion, and Marianismo: Culturally relevant factors related to perinatal depression in Latinas. Paper presentation at the Biennial Perinatal Mental Health Conference, Chicago, IL.
23. \*#**Lara-Cinisomo, S**., Wood, J. & Fujimoto, E. (October 2017). Fear of deportation: Implications for Latina perinatal mental health. Paper presentation at the Biennial Perinatal Mental Health Conference, Chicago, IL.
24. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S**., Taylor, B., & Medina, A. (April 2017). Freedom School Summer Reading Program Benefits Most At-Risk Children: Results from a Multiyear Evaluation Study. Paper presentation at the American Reading Forum Conference, Sanibel Island, FL.
25. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (April 2017). Results from the study of exposure to stress, postpartum mood, adverse life events, and hormonal function among Latinas. Invited presentation at the Southern Illinois University Medical School, Springfield, IL.
26. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (October 2016). Postpartum depression in Latinas: culture and faith. Invited keynote address at the Inland Empire Perinatal Mental Health Collaborative, Colton, CA.
27. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S**. (October 2016). Study of Exposure to stress, postpartum mood, adverse life events, and hormonal function among Latinas. Invited presentation at the Columbia University Medical Center, New York, NY.
28. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S**., Di Florio, A., & Meltzer-Brody, S. (September 2016). Examining the association between trauma, postpartum depression, and hormone function in a birth cohort of Latinas. Paper presentation at the International Marcé Society, Melbourne, Australia.
29. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S**., Grewen, K., Girdler, S., Wood, J., & Meltzer-Brody, S. (September 2016). Pain sensitivity and HPA axis function in a birth cohort of depressed and healthy Latinas. Paper presentation at the International Marcé Society, Melbourne, Australia.
30. #Weston, A., Massey, D., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (April 2016). Breastfeeding Pain and How to Prepare: Examining Educational Materials Available to Mothers in the Champaign-Urbana Area. Poster presentation at the Public Engagement Forum, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, IL.
31. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (March 2016). Pain and HPA axis response to the cold pressor test in depressed and nondepressed postpartum Latinas. Invited presentation at the National Institute of Health T32 Fellows Seminar Series, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC.
32. #Swinford, C., Hardt, H., Massey, D., & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (April 2016). Exploring the association between gestational diabetes mellitus, health self-ratings, and prenatal depression in Latinas. Poster presentation at the Public Engagement Forum, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, IL.
33. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Grewen, K. McKenney, K, Di Florio, A., & Meltzer-Brody, S. (November 2015). PPD, breastfeeding and oxytocin levels in Latinas: Exploring shared neuroendocrine mechanisms. Paper presentation at the Biennial Perinatal Mental Health Meeting, Chicago, IL.
34. \*Kimmel, M.C., **Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Melvin, K., Di Florio, A., & Meltzer-Brody, S. (November 2015). Treatment of severe perinatal psychotic mood disorders on specialized perinatal psychiatry inpatient unit. Paper presentation at the Biennial Perinatal Mental Health Meeting, Chicago, IL.
35. +**Lara-Cinisomo. S.** (November 2014). The effects of deployment and military children and caregivers. Invited keynote address at the ProBono Counseling Project Summit. Baltimore, MD.
36. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (September 2014). Cultural and Contextual Predictors of PPD and stress reactivity in immigrant Latina mothers in the U.S. Paper presentation at the International Marcé Society for Perinatal Mental Health, Swansea, Wales.

# \*Lara-Cinisomo, S. (June 2014). Study of exposure to stress, postpartum mood, adverse life events, and hormonal function among Latinas. Paper presentation at the Postpartum Support International Conference, Chapel Hill, NC.

# \*Lara-Cinisomo, S. (November 2013). Perinatal mental health in Latinas. Paper presentation at the Perinatal Mental Health Meeting, Chicago, IL.

1. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (February 2013). Coping strategies and mental health treatment preferences among perinatal Latinas. Invited presentation at the “Y Ahora Qué? 2013- Latino Behavioral Health Conference. Chapel Hill, NC.

# \*Lara-Cinisomo, S. (June 2012). Social Support Training & Latina Moms’ Workshop. Paper presented at Postpartum Support International Perinatal Mood and Anxiety Disorders Training, Las Vegas, NV.

1. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (March 2011). Preparing Teachers for Research with Children of Poverty. Invited presentation at Francis Marion University, Florence, SC.

# \*Lara-Cinisomo, S., Wisner, K., Burns, R., & Gnecco-Chaves, D. (October 2010). Hispanic women's view of antenatal depression. Paper presented at the Marcé Society, Pittsburgh, PA.

1. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Chandra, A., Burns, R., Jaycox, L., Tanielian, T, Ruder, T., & Han, B. (June 2010). Deployment-related experiences of military home caregivers. Poster presented at the AcademyHealth National Conference, Boston, MA.
2. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Wisner, K., Burns, R., & Chaves-Gnecco, D. (June 2010). Understanding Postpartum Depression Treatment Preferences among Hispanic Mothers.Poster presented at the AcademyHealth National Conference, Boston, MA.
3. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (June 2010). Invited presentation to address barriers to engagement. Paper presented at the Pittsburgh Training Program for Perinatal Depression Screening, Pittsburgh, PA.
4. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (March 2010). Where children learn. Invited presentation at the Annual Child and Family Development Conference, Charlotte, NC.
5. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Karoly, L., Fulgini, A., & Howes, C. (June 2008). Examining revenue and expenditures across three child care program types in Los Angeles. Poster presented at the National Head Start Conference, Washington, DC.
6. \*Fuligni, A., Howes, C., **Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, & Karoly, L. (June 2008). School readiness of English-speaking and English-learning children: Links with experiences in early learning settings. Poster presented at the Head Start Research Consortium, Washington, DC.
7. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Fuligni, A., Karoly, L., & Ritchie, S. (March 2007). Getting ready for school: A qualitative and quantitative exploration of early childhood educators’ belief systems. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development, Boston, MA.
8. \*Fuligni, A., Howes, C, Ritchie, S., **Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, & Karoly, L. (March 2007). Learning experiences in preschool programs for low-income three-year-old children: How do instructional activities promote early school readiness? Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development, Boston, MA.
9. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.** & Griffin, B.A. (June 2006). Major depression among mothers: Disparities in diagnoses and treatment. Paper presented at the AcademyHealth Annual Conference, Seattle, WA.
10. +**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** & Karoly, L. (January 2006). Finances and child care practices: A look at family-based providers. Paper presented at the RAND-UCLA Forum, Santa Monica, CA.
11. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.**, Xue, Y., & Brooks-Gunn, J. (March 2006). Children of immigrants: Examining the effects of neighborhoods. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Adolescence. San Francisco, CA.
12. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.** & Haviland, A. (April 2005). Children of immigrant parents and internalizing behaviors: Do neighborhoods matter. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development. Atlanta, GA.
13. \***Lara-Cinisomo, S.** & Griffin, B.A. (April 2004). Race and ethnic disparities in depression among mothers in Los Angeles: Individual, family, and neighborhood Effects. Poster presented at the Population Association of America, Boston, MA.
14. +**Lara. S.** (March 2001). Immigrant mental health: Strategies for adjustment. Invited presentation in Puebla, Mexico.
15. \***Lara, S.** & Smith, R. (August 1999). Gendered task, concrete talk, and school outcomes. Paper presented at the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL.
16. \***Lara, S.**, McCabe, L., Hernandez, M., & Brooks-Gunn, J. (June 1999). Waiting, hitting, and listening: Head Start teachers’ and parents’ perspectives on preschoolers’ problematic behavior. Poster presented at the Qualitative Research Conference, New York, NY.

**MEDIA COVERAGE**

1. D’Allessio, J. (May 23, 2020). UI honors top teachers with Campus Awards for Excellence, Part 2. News Gazette, Champaign, IL, Retrieved from <https://www.news-gazette.com/news/local/university-illinois/ui-honors-top-teachers-with-campus-awards-for-excellence-part-2/article_bbd234e2-37a4-55dd-b7b5-1aa31e593318.html>
2. Professor gives advice for Election Day stress | WCIA.com, Nov. 4, 2020. Retrieved from <https://www.wcia.com/local/professor-gives-advice-for-election-day-stress/>
3. D’Allessio, J. (January 8, 2021). Illini Insider-75 faculty, alums, and students making news on and off campus. Retrieved on April 16, 2021 <https://www.news-gazette.com/news/75-faculty-alums-and-students-making-news-on-and-off-campus/article_7839110d-ac4e-55e5-8865-823c3250b32f.html#utm_campaign=blox&utm_source=twitter&utm_medium=social>
4. Moving Forward Magazine (2020). Caring for Caregivers. College of Applied Health Sciences, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
5. Daily Illini (September 23, 2019). Latinx communities experience additional stressors. Retrieved from <https://dailyillini.com/news/2019/09/23/latinx-communities-experience-additional-stressors/>
6. **MONA Treasurer Sandraluz Lara-Cinisomo Interviewed about her Deportation Fears and Anxiety (September 1, 2019). Marcé of North American national organization monthly newsletter over 400 members/readers.**
7. WGN 720 AM Radio (August 27, 2019). The mental strain that comes with immigration. Retrieved from <https://wgnradio.com/2019/08/27/the-mental-strain-that-comes-with-immigration/>
8. Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Institute (IHSI) Health Disparities Newsletter (August 20, 2019).Pilot study: exploring migration experiences and perinatal depressive and anxiety symptoms in immigrant Latinas. Retrieved from <https://emails.illinois.edu/newsletter/231869.html>
9. WCIA Television (July 17, 2019) coverage of new study on deportation fears and anxiety in prenatal Latinas. Retrieved from <https://www.wcia.com/news/anxiety-pregnancy-and-deportation-how-theyre-connected/> and <http://kch.illinois.edu/content/migration-and-deportation-fears-put-latinas-greater-risk-anxiety-illinois-study-shows>.
10. illinois Innovations (May 29, 2019). Compared with general caregivers, those caring for veterans have higher levels of distress, poorer health, and increased caregiver burden. The Office of Technology Management  tweet, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
11. WILL (locAL NPR) 21ST show - radio interview (May 23, 2019) regarding mindfulness study. Retrieved from <https://m.soundcloud.com/21st-show/veteran-caregiver-mindfulness>
12. Cleveland clinic wellness (May 20, 2019). For caretaking stress, try mindfulness. Retrieved from [http://www.clevelandclinicwellness.com/emails/dailytip/pages/dailytip.aspx?td=05/20/2019](http://www.clevelandclinicwellness.com/Emails/DailyTip/Pages/dailytip.aspx?td=05/20/2019)
13. Mindfulness study findings featured in IHSI Illinois Health Sciences Research Highlights (May 6, 2019). Mindfulness and Caregivers of Veterans. Retrieved from <http://healthinstitute.illinois.edu/get-updates>
14. Podcast on Mindfulness study with Ted Meissner from Present Moment Mindfulness Practice and Science (May 2019, Episode 135). Retrieved form <https://presentmomentmindfulness.com/2019/05/19/episode-135-sandraluz-lara-cinisomo-mindfulness-and-caregivers-of-veterans/>
15. Emily Braun (May 2, 2019). WCIA News-CBS affiliate television interview regarding mindfulness study findings and caregivers of veterans.
16. Forrest, S. (April 29, 2019). Mindfulness may help decrease stress in caregivers of veterans. Illinois News Bureau. Retrieved from <https://emails.illinois.edu/newsletter/220442.html>
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2. Mindfulness study findings featured in IHSI Clinical and Translational Neuroscience News (April 2019). Retrieved from <https://emails.illinois.edu/newsletter/220461.html>
3. Moving Forward Magazine (2018). Research Brief: Increasing Diagnosis and Treatment of Perinatal Depression in Latinas and African American Women: Addressing Stigma Is Not Enough. College of Applied Health Sciences, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Retrieved from <https://www.ahs.illinois.edu/themes/ahs/pdf/AHS_ANNUAL_2018-2019_13.pdf>
4. Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Institute Maternal & Child Health (October 16, 2018). Researcher Spotlight: Sandraluz Lara-Cinisomo. Retrieved from [https://blogs.illinois.edu/view/8128/706373Fall 2018](https://blogs.illinois.edu/view/8128/706373Fall%202018)
5. GW Public Health (April 10, 2018). Commentary calls for better diagnosis and treatment of perinatal depression in Latinas and African American women. George Washington University Public Health, Retrieved from <https://publichealth.gwu.edu/project/WHI-perinatal-depression>.
6. Demko, S. (April 9, 2018). Policymakers urged to improve perinatal depression treatment for minorities. Helio Psychiatric Annals. Retrieved from <https://www.healio.com/psychiatry/depression/news/online/%7B1c203889-fa24-4d2c-a2cc-4745e691d6fc%7D/policymakers-urged-to-improve-perinatal-depression-treatment-for-minorities>
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8. Karras, T. (May 30, 2016). Perinatal Mood and Anxiety Disorders in Latina Moms. Retrieved from <https://www.seleni.org/advice-support/article/perinatal-mood-and-anxiety-disorders-in-latina-moms>
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**GRANTS AND CONTRACTS**

**GRANT PROPOSALS UNDER REVIEW**

1. Taylor, B.R. (Principal Investigator) & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Co-Principal Investigator). *Freedom School Partners Children's Defense Fund Freedom Schools® Program Evaluation.* Freedom School Partners. $58,000, 5/15/22-9/30/22.
2. Tandon, D. (Prinicipal Investigators). *Preventing postpartum depression among immigrant Latinas through a virtual group intervention.* National Institute on Minority Health Disparities & Health Disparities. $4,075,332, 7/1/2022-6/30/2027.

**GRANT PROPOSALS IN REVISION**

1. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *Assessing the Effects of COVID-19 on Latina Perinatal Mental*. National Institute on Child Health and Human Development, R03, $158,600.00.

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1. Taylor, B.R. & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigators). *Freedom School Partners Children's Defense Fund Freedom Schools® Program Evaluation.* Freedom School Partners. $47,999, 5/15/21-9/30/21.
2. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator), Saban, K., & Mudar, R. (Co-Investigators*). Development of a virtual mindfulness-based intervention for caregivers of veterans with neurocognitive disorders and/or post-traumatic stress disorder (VetCareMind).* Center for Behavioral and Social Sciences, 1/25/21-1/31/23, $20,000
3. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator), D’Anna-Hernandez, K., & Non, A. (Co-Investigators). *COVID-19: Assessing Depressive and Anxiety symptoms in Mexican-American and Mexican Immigrant mothers (CADA MAMI).* Center for Behavioral and Social Sciences, 11/19/20-10/31/22, $20,000
4. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator), Mudar, R. (Co-Principal Investigator), & Rogers, W. (Consultant). *Identifying Changing Responsibilities and Support Needs of Aging Caregivers of Veterans with Traumatic Brain Injury*. Chez Veterans Center, 6/15/20-6/14/21, $15,000
5. Fabusoro, O., **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigators), & Teran-Garcia, M. (Investigator). *COVID-19 Pandemic and Self-Care Management of Diabetes among Ethnic Minorities Women*. Margin of Excellence, Division of Nutritional Sciences, 3/8/21-6/30/22, $2,000
6. Clancy, K. (Principal Investigator). **Lara-Cinisomo, S.,** &Shackelford, L. (Co-Principal Investigators). *Life history & hormones: Mechanisms linking childhood experiences to women’s health*. Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Initiative Small Grant Program, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 8/1/2018-8/1/2019, $20,000
7. Guevara, J. & Boyd, R. (Principal Investigators). *Social media-based parenting program for women with postpartum depressive symptoms*. National Institute of Mental Health, R61, 6/1/2019-12/31/2021, $630,895, (**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** Consultant)
8. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator). *Freedom School Partners’ Freedom School reading program evaluation and evaluation measures development*. Freedom School Partners, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, 6/1/2019-9/31/2019, $50,207 (**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** Consultant)
9. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Recipient).*8th IAWMH World Congress on Women’s Mental Health*. Illinois International Programs(IIP) International Conference Travel Grant, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 3/1/2019, $1500
10. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Recipient).*7th Annual Faculty Women of Color in the Academy Conference*. Office of the Provost, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 4/10/2019, $700
11. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator). *Freedom School Partners’ Freedom School reading program evaluation and evaluation measures development*. Freedom School Partners, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, 6/1/2018-9/31/2018, $48,472 (**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** Consultant).
12. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator), Loret de Mola, R., Roloff, K., Dong, F., Carter, K., & Tabb-Dina, K. (Co-Principal Investigators). *Diabetes, prenatal depression and self-rated health: Exploring the mediating role of self-efficacy.* Center for Health, Aging, and Disability, 8/1/2017-6/30/2019, $30,000
13. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator). *Freedom School Partners’ Freedom School reading program evaluation and evaluation measures development*. Freedom School Partners, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, 6/1/2017-12/31/2017, $46,140 (**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** Consultant)
14. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *Pain and Emotion Processing in Postpartum Depression.* Campus Research Board, Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 10/6/2016-4/30/2019, $23,539
15. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator), *Freedom School Partners’ Freedom School reading program evaluation and evaluation measures development*. Freedom School Partners, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, 6/1/2016-12/31/2016, $57,800 (**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** Consultant)
16. **Lara-Cinisomo, S** (Principal Investigator) and Dolcos, S. (Co-Principal Investigator). *Assessing Pain and Emotion Processing in Postpartum Depression.* Beckman Seed funding forSocial and Emotional dimensions of Well-being, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 7/1/2017-6/30/2018, $7,500
17. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *Mindfulness Training for Wounded Veteran Caregivers.* Chez Family Foundation Center for Wounded Veterans in Higher Education, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1/1/2016-1/30/2017, $30,000
18. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator). *Freedom School Partners’ Freedom School reading program evaluation: Evaluation of the Freedom School’s impact on students’ reading*. Freedom School Partners, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, 6/1/2015-12/31/2015, $38,010 (**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** Consultant)
19. **Lara-Cinisomo, S**. (Principal Investigator), Meltzer-Brody, S., & Grewen, K. (Co-Investigators). *Assessing the association between stressful life events, hormonal dysregulation, and postpartum depression among lactating Latina mothers: A pilot study*. Foundation of Hope for Research and Treatment of Mental Illness, 6/1/2013-5/31/15, $39,996
20. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator). *Freedom School Partners’ Freedom School reading program evaluation: Evaluation of the Freedom School’s impact on students’ reading*. Freedom School Partners, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, 6/1/2013-12/31/2013, $36,500 (**Lara-Cinisomo, S.** Consultant)
21. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator), Meltzer-Brody, S., & Grewen, K. (Co-Principal Investigators). *A laboratory-based pilot study of postpartum depressed and non-depressed Spanish-speaking Latinas*. The North Carolina Translational and Clinical Sciences Institute, 5/1/12-5/1/14, $2,000
22. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator) & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Co-Principal Investigator). *Freedom School Partners’ Freedom School reading program evaluation: Evaluation of the Freedom School’s impact on students’ reading*. Freedom School Partners, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, 6/1/2012-12/31/2012, $36,800
23. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator) & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Co-Principal Investigator). *Freedom School Partners’ Freedom School reading program evaluation: Evaluation of the Freedom School’s impact on students’ reading*. Freedom School Partners, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, 6/1/2011-12/31/2011, $18,000
24. Chandra, A. (Principal Investigator) & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Co-Principal Investigator). *An Assessment of Operation Purple Camp: Evaluating Effects Associated with Camp Participation.* National Military Family Association, 4/1/11-4/31/12, $92,794
25. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). ***Employment Trajectories and Mental Health of Military Caregivers.*** Faculty Research Grant, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, 6/1/11-6/1/12, $4,000
26. Chandra, A. (Principal Investigator) & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Co-Principal Investigator). *Understanding the Impact of Deployment on Children and Families.* National Military Family Association, 5/1/08-4/30/11, $1,601,497
27. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator) & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Co-Principal Investigator). *Freedom School Partners’ Freedom School reading program evaluation: Evaluation of the Freedom School’s impact on students’ reading.* Freedom School Partners, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, 6/1/2010-12/31/2010, $18,000
28. Taylor, D. B. (Principal Investigator) & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Co-Principal Investigator). *Children’s Defense Fund Freedom School© reading program evaluation in Bennettsville, South Carolina.* The Children’s Defense Fund, Washington, DC, 6/1/2010-12/31/2010, $20,500
29. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator) & Wisner, K. (Co-Principal Investigator). *Latina Postpartum Depression: Defining Terms and Treatment.* RAND-University of Pittsburgh Health Institute (RUPHI) and Magee-Women’s Research Institute and Foundation (MWRIF), 4/1/2008-3/31/2009, $25,000
30. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *The Cost of Meeting Compliance: A Case Study of Challenges, Time Investments, and Dollars Spent*. The Forbes Fund, 4/3/2005-12/1/2005, $15,000
31. Howes, C., Principal Investigator. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (RAND Subaward Principal Investigator). *Where They Learn: A Look at Los Angeles County Early Education Learning Centers.* National Institute of Child Health & Human Development, 9/23/2003-3/31/2009, $1,038,013
32. Sastry, N. (Principal Investigators) & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Minority Supplement recipient). *Research Supplements for Underrepresented Minorities*. National Institute of Child Health & Human Development, 2/1/2002–1/1/2006, $446,836

**GRADUATE STUDENT FUNDING**

* + - 1. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduate College Fellowship, Elizabeth Adesanya, incoming doctoral student, $75,000 ($25,000 for three years)

**NOT FUNDED**

1. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *Marcé of North America Minorities’ Opportunity for Student Advancement Instructional Conference (MONA MOSAIC)*. National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities, R13, $50,000
2. Mudar, R., Rogers, W., (Principal Investigators) & **Lara-Cinisomo, S**. (Investigator). *Web-based Social Engagement Interventions for Family Care Partners of Dementia*. RRF Foundation for Aging, $135,218
3. Taylor, B. & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Co-Principal Investigators). *Freedom School Program Evaluation*. Freedom School Partners, $49,621
4. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *Stress exposure, perinatal mood, adverse events, and hormonal function in Mexican-American and Mexican immigrant women (SEPAH MAMI).* National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities, R01, $3,883,972
5. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *Identifying Veteran Caregivers’ Program Needs and Structure. Chez Center for Veterans in Higher Education.* Military Service Knowledge Collaborative Seed Funding, $15,000
6. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). Veteran Caregiver Research and Collaboration for Health (VetCareReACH). Elizabeth Dole Foundation, $60,000
7. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator), Saban, K., & Trail, T. (Co-Principal Investigators). *Veteran Caregiver Reducing Stress Time (or VetCareReST) Study.* Aetna Foundation. August 20, 2018-August 19, 2010, $86,956 direct, $13,044 indirect
8. Clancy, K. & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigators). *Associations between trauma, inflammation, and pain management in endometriosis patient outcomes*, Endometriosis Foundation of America, 5/1/18-6/30/19, $25,000
9. Clancy, K. & **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigators). *Trauma, inflammation, pain, and quality of life outcomes among endometriosis patients*. National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (R21), 9/1/17-8/31/19, $250, 000 direct and $455,643.00 indirect costs. Scored
10. **Lara-Cinisomo, S** (Principal Investigator) & Dolcos, F (Principal Investigator). *Neural Correlates of Pain and Emotion Processing in Postpartum Depression.* National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (R21), 7/1/17-6/30/19, $250,000 direct and $436,150.00 indirect costs
11. Clancy, K., **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigators), & Fay, N. (Carle Foundation Hospital Principal Investigator). *Associations between trauma, inflammation, and pain management in endometriosis patient outcomes.* Carle Collaborative Research Seed Fund, 8/16/17-8/15/18, $50,000
12. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator), Dolcos, F., & Heller, W. (Investigators). *Understanding the Neural correlates of Pain and Emotional Processing in Depressed Mothers.* Brain and Behavior Foundation, 5/15/17-5/15/19, $68, 568 direct costs
13. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator) & Dolcos, F. (Co-Principal Investigator). *Pain and emotional processing in postpartum depression: Brain and behavioral changes associated with mindfulness training*. Edward Mallinckrodt, Jr. Foundation, 10/1/16-10/1/19, $176,885 direct costs
14. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator), Wiley, A., & Motl, R (Co- Principal Investigators). *Managing Antenatal Depression to Reduce its Effects (MADRE)*. Christopher Family Foundation Food and Family Program Edward, Family Resiliency Center, 6/1/16-5/31/17, $50,000 direct costs
15. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *Stress Reactivity in Wounded Veteran Female Spouses with or without Depression.* Family Foundation Center for Wounded Veterans in Higher Education. Champaign, IL. 1/30/16-1/30/17, $15,000 + $15,000 match direct funds
16. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *MADRE - An Intervention Designed with and for Depressed Hispanic Perinatal Women*. National Institute of Mental Health (R34), 7/1/10-6/30/2012, $450 direct costs
17. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *Radio Novela Expansion.* Perinatal Foundation, 11/6/09-10/31/10, $36,979
18. **Lara-Cinisomo, S.** (Principal Investigator). *Understanding behavioral research: Methods of Empowering Latina Prenatal and Postpartum Women*. National Institute of Mental Health (R03), 7/1/08-6/30/10, $100,000 direct and $164, 953 indirect costs. Scored

**Awards and Honors**

2021 Marcé of North America (MONA) Medal for Service

2015-2021 University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Chancellor’s List of Faculty Ranked Excellent

2020 University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Online Teaching Academy

2020 University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Excellence in Graduate & Professional Teaching

2020 College of Applied Health Sciences, Excellence in Graduate & Professional Teaching

**2019 California State University, Northridge Outstanding Child and Adolescent Development Outstanding Alumni**

**2019 California State University, Northridge** Dr. Kelly Legacy Award in Mentoring

2018 College of Applied Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences (ACES) Research Academy, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

2017 University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Initiative (IHSI) NIH Grant Writing Series

2016-2018 Program to Increase Diversity among Individuals Engaged in Health-related Research (PRIDE). National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute

2012-2014 National Institute of Health, Fellowship, MH093315 – “Postdoctoral Training in Reproductive Mood Disorders”; Drs. Girdler & Rubinow, Principal Investigators

2009-2011 National Institute of Health, Health Disparities Research Loan Repayment Program

2007-2009 National Institute of Health, Health Disparities Research Loan Repayment Program

2004-2006 National Institute of Health, Health Disparities Research Loan Repayment Program

1999 Hispanic Scholarship Fund, NY, NY

1999 MacArthur Network Travel Award, NY, NY

1998 Social Science Research Council, Pre-Dissertation Fellowship, NY, NY

1997-1998 National Hispanic Scholarship Fund, NY, NY

1996-2002 Minority Tuition Scholarship, Teachers College Columbia University, NY, NY

1995-1998 California State University Forgivable Loan Fellowship, Northridge, CA

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**COURSES TAUGHT**

CHLH 541 Health Disparities over the life course, Spring 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021

CHLH 540 Health Behavior Theory, Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021

CHLH 594 Health Disparities, Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2018

CHLH 599 Thesis Research, Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Spring 2021, Fall 2021

CHLH 593 Independent Graduate Research, Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2020, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Spring 2021, Fall 2021

CHLH 393 Undergraduate Special Projects/Independent Study, Summer 2016, Summer 2018, Summer 2019, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021

CHFD 3115 An Ecological Approach to Learning and Development – Early Childhood to Pre-Adolescence: Fall 2009; Spring 2010; Summer 2010, Fall 2010; Spring 2011, Summer 2011, Fall 2011, Spring 2012, Summer 2012

CHFD 6102 Learning and Development: Fall 2009; Spring 2010; Summer 2010; Fall 2010; Spring 2011; Summer 2011, Summer 2011, Fall 2011, Spring 2012, Summer 2012

CHFD 7600 Seminar: Leadership in the Education of Children and Families: Spring 2011, Spring 2012

**CURRICULUM AND COURSE DEVELOPMENT/REDESIGN**

CHLH 541 Health Disparities over the life course

CHLH 594 Health Disparities

CHFD 3115 An Ecological Approach to Learning and Development – Early Childhood to Pre-Adolescence

CHFD 6102 Learning and Development

CHFD 7600 Seminar: Leadership in the Education of Children and Families

**OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Faculty Preceptor (Undergraduate students), National Center for Rural Health Professions, Summer 2019, Summer 2020, Summer 2021

Faculty Mentor (Undergraduate student), [Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Institute](https://healthinstitute.illinois.edu/), Community-Academic Scholars, Summer 2020, Summer 2021

**GRADUATE STUDENT MENTORING**

Fall 2021-Present Madhura Phansikar, Doctoral Candidate in Community Health, *Testing the impact of flow-based, moderate-intensity yoga on executive functioning and stress among low active working adults having symptoms of stress*, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation: May 2024 (Committee member)

Fall 2021-Present Lesley Pinzon, Masters of Public Health candidate, Kinesiology and Community Health, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Research Supervisor. Expected graduation: May 2023

Summer 2021-Present Valeria Duran, Department of Epidemiology, Harvard School of Public Health, Expected graduation: May 2023 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2021-Present Michelle Nutlis, **Clinical Psychology,** Feinberg School of Medicine, Northwestern University, Research Supervisor. Expected graduation: May 2023

Fall 2020-Present Mary Ellen Mendy, Doctoral Candidate in Community Health, Thesis title to be determined, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation: May 2024 (Chair)

Fall 2020-Present Olufemi Fabusoro, Doctoral Candidate in Nutritional Sciences, Thesis title to be determined, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation: May 2023 (Chair)

Fall 2020-Present Andrea Ramirez Olarte, Master of Science in Community Health, *Prevalence of cardiovascular disease and depression among Latina women*, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation: May 2020 (Chair); Medical student at Medical College of Georgia-Augusta University; Expected graduation: May 2024

Summer 2020-Present Kantoniony Rabemananjara, Doctoral Student in Clinical-Community Psychology, Thesis title to be determined, George Washington University, Expected graduation: May 2023 (Second-year project committee member)

Fall 2019-Present Biniyam Melesse, Doctoral Candidate in Community Health, *Neighborhood-level risk factors of perinatal depression and anxiety among Ethiopian perinatal women*, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation: May 2023 (Chair)

Fall 2019-Present Brett Boeh, Doctoral candidate, *A participatory exploration of a local system of care for people with life-limiting illness*, Psychology Department, Committee member, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected Graduation: May 2021 (Committee member)

Fall 2019-Present Soonhyung Kwon, Doctoral candidate, Thesis title to be determined, School of Social Work, Committee member, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected Graduation: May 2021 (Committee member)

Spring 2019-Fall 2020 Maria Rosales, Doctoral Student in Clinical Psychology, Palo Alto University, Expected graduation: May 2023 (Research supervisor)

Fall 2018-Spring 2020 Janeth Padilla Juarez, Master of Science in Community Health, *Stressors, self-rated health and postpartum depression*, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation: May 2020 (Chair)

Fall 2013-Spring 2020 Jayme Wood, Penn State College of Medicine, Penn State University, Expected graduation date: May 2022 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2018-2019 Libeth Rosas, Master of Public Health, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation: May 2019 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2017-Fall 2020 Tanitoluwa Demilade Akinbode, Master of Science in Community Health, *The price of early abuse: effects of sexual and physical abuse on perinatal depression and anxiety,* University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation: May 2019 (Chair); Doctoral Candidate in Health and Human Behavior, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation: May 2024

Fall 2016-Sum 2018 Samia Ortiz-Hernandez, Doctoral candidate, *Voices of Low-Income Latinos During the Transition to Parenthood,* Clinical Psychology Program, George Washington University, Graduation: May 2019 (Co-Chair)

Fall 2015-Sum 2018 Elinor M. Fujimoto, Master of Public Health, Graduation: May 2018 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2018 Rafael Arcángel Caparrós González, *Consequences of the activation of the hypothalamic-pituitary-adrenal axis on maternal and fetal health during pregnancy, childbirth and postpartum*, University of Granada, Spain, Graduation date: May 2017 (International Content Expert)

Fall 2016-Spring 2018 Ryan Santens, Doctoral candidate, Community Health, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation: May 2020 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2016-Sum 2017 Angela Stellrecht, Master of Science in Community Health, *Sexual behaviors and contraceptive use of American adolescents: the role of religion, maternal education and school enrollment*, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: Summer 2017 (Committee member)

Spring 2016 Yihe Wang, Statistics 427 research experience, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation date: May 2020 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2016 Fei Xue, Statistics 427 research experience, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2019 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2016 Boyang Liu, Statistics 427 research experience, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2016 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2015-Sum 2016 Alexandria Weston, Master of Public Health, *Breastfeeding Pain and How to Prepare: Examining Educational Materials Available to Mothers in the Champaign-Urbana Area*, Poster, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2017 (Academic Advisor and Research Supervisor)

Fall 2015-Sum 2016 Claire Swinford, Master of Public Health. *Exploring the association between gestational diabetes mellitus, health self-ratings, and prenatal depression in Latinas,* Poster, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2016 (Academic Advisor and Research Supervisor)

Fall 2015-Spring 2016 Heidi Hardt, Master of Public Health. *Exploring the association between gestational diabetes mellitus, health self-ratings, and prenatal depression in Latinas,* Poster, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: August 2016 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2015-Spring 2016 Danielle Massey, Master of Public Health, *Breastfeeding Pain and How to Prepare: Examining Educational Materials Available to Mothers in the Champaign-Urbana Area*, Poster, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: August 2016 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2013-Spring 2014 Kathryn McKenney, University of North Carolina School of Medicine, *Study of Exposure to stress Postpartum mood Adverse life events and Hormonal function among Latinas (SEPAH Latina)*. Graduation date: May 2014 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2010-2011 Meredith Jones, Department of Special Education and Child Development, Master’s Thesis, *Investigating English acquisition: English language learners’ engagement in peer talk,* University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Graduation date: May 2011 (Chair)

Fall 2010-2011 LaToya Hedgspet, *The Use of Time during Transition in the classroom,* Department of Special Education and Child Development, Master’s Thesis, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Graduation date: May 2011 (Chair)

Summer 2010-2011 Yolanda Saxton, Department of Special Education and Child Development, Master’s Thesis, *Are Pre-Kindergarten Teachers Adequately Prepared to Work with Racially and Culturally Diverse Children,* University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Graduation date: May 2011 (Chair)

Fall 2010-Spring 2011 Megan Porter, Department of Special Education and Child Development,

Master’s Thesis, *The Frequency and Function of Touch during Routine Care and Unstructured Times in Infant Childcare Classrooms* University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Graduation date: May 2011 (Committee member)

Fall 2010-Spring 2011 Tina Collop, Department of Special Education and Child Development, Master’s Thesis,

*Effect of the Freeze Game on Inhibitory Control and Working Memory in Kindergarten Children,* University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Graduation date: May 2011 (Committee member)

Fall 2010-Spring 2011 Angela Miller, Department of Special Education and Child Development, Master’s Thesis, *Fathers’ Use of Social Supports*, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Graduation date: May 2011 (Committee member)

Fall 2008-Fall 2009 Lindsay Daughtery, Policy Analysis, Dissertation, *Child Care Choices of Hispanic Families: Why Aren’t Families Using Center Care?* Pardee RAND Graduate School, Graduation date: May 2009 (Chair)

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT MENTORING**

Fall 2021-Present Jacqueline Marquez, Kinesiology and Community Health, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation date: May 2023 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2021-Present Jessica Avalos, School of Molecular and Cellular Biology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation date: May 2023 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2021-Present Anjali Patel, Interdisciplinary Health Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation date: May 2024 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2020-Present Kennedy Campbell, Interdisciplinary Health Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation date: May 2023 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2020-Present Mathilde Hanchard, Chemistry & Community Health, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation date: May 2022 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2020- Michelle Nutlis, Department of Psychology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Spring 2021 Graduation: May 2021 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2020-Present Paola Ahumada, Department of Cell and Developmental Biology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Expected graduation: May 2022 (Research Supervisor)

Summer 2019- Valeria Duran, Summer Research Opportunity Program, Pitzer College, Human Biology, Spring 2020 Graduation date: May 2021 (Research Supervisor)

Summer 2018 Diamond Phillips, McNair Scholar, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation: May 2019 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2016-Spring 2017 Christine Oksas, Department of Anthropology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2017 (Research Supervisor)

Summer 2016 Abisola Smith, Psychology, Summer Research Opportunity Program, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2018 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2016 Yumeng Bu, Statistics 427 research experience, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2016 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2016 Shivani Dharmasankar, 427 research experience, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2016 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2016 Kexin Fei, 427 research experience, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2016 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2016 Yafei Jian, 427 research experience, Graduation date: May 2016 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2016 Dong Won Sung, 427 research experience, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2016 (Research Supervisor)

Spring 2016 Kefu Zhu, 427 research experience, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Graduation date: May 2016 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2013-Spring 2014 Sierra Pierce, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, *Study of Exposure to stress Postpartum mood Adverse life events and Hormonal function among Latinas (SEPAH Latina)*. Graduation date: May 2014 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2013-Spring 2014 Jasmine Plott, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, *Study of Exposure to stress Postpartum mood Adverse life events and Hormonal function among Latinas (SEPAH Latina)*. Graduation date: May 2014 (Research Supervisor)

Fall 2011-2014 Lisa Maloney, Psychology Department Independent Study, *The State of Latina Postpartum Depression*, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Graduation date: May 2014 (Independent Study Instructor and Research Supervisor)

Fall 2010-2012 Courtney Bedell Lead Psychology Department Independent Study, *Preschool Transition Practices; Maternal Mental Health and Employment* University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Graduation date: May 2012 (Independent Study Instructor and Research Supervisor)

Spring 2011 Katherine Helms, Psychology Department Independent Study *Child care cost and outcomes,* University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Graduation date: May 2012 (Independent Study Instructor and Research Supervisor)

**SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION**

**OFFICES/POSITIONS**

Marcé of North America (formerly Perinatal Mental Health Society, Inc.), Co-founder and Treasurer

Marcé of North America, Finance Committee Chair

Marcé of North America, Biennial Conference Committee member

**EDITORIAL REVIEW BOARDS**

*Women’s Health Issues*, Editorial Board Member

*Frontiers in Psychiatry*, Special Issues Guest Editor

*Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology,* Consulting Editor

**Professional Memberships**

Marcé of North America

American Psychological Association

American Public Health Association

International Association for Women’s Mental Health

**CURRENT AD-HOC JOURNAL REVIEWER**

*Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*

*Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology*

*Social Science & Medicine*

*Women’s Health Issues*

**SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, AND DEPARTMENT**

**UNIVERSITY-LEVEL SERVICE**

Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research, Campus Research Boards grant review, Spring 2016, Fall 2020

Committee member, Big Ten Health Equity Summit, Spring 2018

College of Agriculture, Consumer and Environmental Sciences, Division of Nutritional Sciences, Margin of Excellence student research grant review, Fall 2019

Senior Leadership Retreat, Spring 2020

Mental Health Working Group commissioned by the Chancellor, Subcommittee Chair on Prevention/Wellness for Faculty Chair, Spring 2021

Center for Social and Behavioral Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Grant reviewer, Fall 2021

Faculty Hiring Risk Assessment Review Committee, Fall 2021

**COLLEGE-LEVEL SERVICE**

Committee member, Search, Family Health and Wellness, Fall 2015

Committee member, Big Ten Health Equity summit, Fall 2017

Committee members, Search, Grant proposal specialist, Fall 2018

Committee member, Search, Chez Veterans Center director, Fall 2019, Spring 2020

Committee member (Alternate), Alleged Capricious Grading, Fall 2019, Spring 2020

Committee member, Awards and Honors, Spring 2020

Committee member, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021

**DEPARTMENT-LEVEL SERVICE**

Committee member, Search, Exercise Psychology, Fall 2016

Committee member, Graduate student travel award, Spring 2017

Committee member, Master of Public Health admissions, Fall 2015-Spring 2019

Committee member, Master of Public Health reaccreditation, Fall 2017

Committee member, Development Framework, Fall 2018

Committee member, Honors and Awards, Spring 2019, Spring 2020

Committee member, Department external review, Spring 2019

Committee member, Master of Public Health external review, Spring 2019

Committee member, Search, Master of Public Health Lecturer, Spring 2018

Committee member, Community Health doctoral admissions, Spring 2019, Spring 2020

Committee member, Search, Master of Public Health Administration, Fall 2019, Spring 2020

Affirmative Action Officer, Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021

Committee member, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee and liaison to AHS Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, Fall 2020, Spring 2021

Committee member, Department Bylaws Revision Committee, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021

Committee member, Advisory Board, Fall 2021

Committee Chair, Search, Master of Public Health Assistant Director