

## BETHANY LYN LETIECQ, PH.D.

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### EDUCATION:

- 1999 Ph.D. Health Education/Family Studies, University of Maryland at College Park, MD
- 1995 M.S. Family and Community Development, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 1991 B.A. Psychology with Minor in Sociology, University of Rhode Island, Kingston, RI

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- 2024- Professor, Research Methodology, School of Education, College of Education and Human Development, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA
  - Co-Founder, Anti-Racist and Decolonizing Research (ARDR) Collaborative
- 2013-2024 Associate Professor, School of Education, College of Education and Human Development, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA
  - Primary faculty affiliation, Research Methodology, 2022-
  - Human Development and Family Science (HDFS) Program Faculty Member, 2013-2022
    - Academic Program Coordinator, 8/2013-5/2017
  - Affiliate Faculty, Women and Gender Studies, GMU, 2014-
- 2008-2013 Associate Professor, Family and Community Health, Department of Health and Human Development, Montana State University, Bozeman, MT
- 2002-2008 Assistant Professor, Department of Health and Human Development, MSU-Bozeman
  - Affiliate Faculty, Division of Health Sciences, MSU, 2005-
- 2002-2002 Evaluation Consultant, World Bank Inst. Evaluation Unit, World Bank Group, Washington, DC
- 2000-2001 Design Methodologist, Center for Design, Methods, and Analysis, Applied Research and Methods Division, US General Accounting Office, Washington, DC
- 1999-2000 Faculty Research Associate, Department of Family Studies, Univ. of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 1998-2000 Faculty Associate, Department of Counseling and Human Services, Graduate Division of Education, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD
- 1996-2000 Instructor/Adjunct Faculty, Department of Family Studies, Univ. of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 1996-1999 Evaluation Consultant, American Bar Association Center on Children and the Law, Washington, DC

### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND NATIONAL LEADERSHIP:

- 2021- American Educational Research Association (AERA)
- 2019- Law and Society Association (LSA)
- 2016- American Association of University Professors (AAUP)
  - VP, United Academics Local 6741 of the AAUP and AFT, 2024-pres
  - Member, AAUP/AFT Partnership Implementation & Coordination Team, 2022-23
  - President, VA Conference of the AAUP, 2022-2024

- President, GMU Chapter, 2015-2021, 2024-present
- 2015-2019 American Public Health Association (APHA)
- 2004-2016; 2023- American Sociological Association (ASA)
- 2004-2006; 2016- Council on Contemporary Families (CCF)
- 1994- National Council on Family Relations (NCFR)
  - President 2023-2025
  - President-elect, 2021-2023
  - Board of Directors, Member at Large, Treasurer (2017-2020)

**SELECT HONORS, AWARDS, & RECOGNITION:**

- 2024 Stanford Center on Early Childhood Rapid Innovation Communities Award in partnership with Fairfax County Department of Neighborhood and Community Services
- 2024 Promoted to the rank of Professor without Term, College of Education and Human Development, effective August 25, 2024
- 2023 American Sociological Association Family Section Article of the Year Award for paper: *Interlinking Structural Racism and Heteropatriarchy: Rethinking Family Structure's Effects on Child Outcomes in a Racialized, Unequal Society* (with C. Cross and P. Fomby).
- 2023 Finalist, Critical Educators for Social Justice (CESJ) Scholar Activist Award, AERA
- 2022 Finalist, NCFR IDC Social Justice Award for Contributions to Family Science
- 2020-2021 Awarded Sabbatical Spr 2020 (COVID); Spr 2021 (COVID), GMU/CEHD
- 2019 Mason Core Award for Spring 2019 Course: HDFS 401 Family Law and Public Policy recognized by students for outstanding Mason Core Writing Intensive in Major course
- 2018 Nominated for 2019 GMU Teaching Excellence Award
- 2018 Travel award, Virginia Conference of the American Association of University Professors, to attend AAUP National Meeting and Summer Institute, July/Aug
- 2017 Nominated for OSCAR Mentoring Excellence Award
- 2017 Travel award, Virginia Conference of the American Association of University Professors, to attend AAUP Summer Institute, University of Cincinnati, July
- 2015 Nominated for the Career Connection Faculty Award, University Career Services, GMU
- 2013 Award for Exceptional Service to the Immigrant Community, Montana Immigrant Justice Alliance and Salud y Comunidad: Latinos en Montana
- 2013 Betty Coffey Award, Women and Gender Studies, Montana State University
- 2013 The American Council on Consumer Interests, AARP Public Policy Institute's Financial Services and the Older Consumer Award for paper: *"How can you retire when you still got a kid in school?" The economics of raising grandchildren.*
- 2012 Faculty Mentor Recognition, McNair Scholars Program, Montana State University
- 2011 Meritorious Research Award, College of Education, Health and Human Development, MSU
- 2007 Influential Educator Award (Julia Worman), College of EHHD, MSU
- 2007 National Extension Association of Family and Consumer Sciences' Program Excellence through Research Award for the Montana Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Project (with Sandy Bailey)
- 2006-2007 MSU Day of Student Recognition/Outstanding Organization Advisor, Queer-Straight Alliance
- 2006 Influential Educator Award (Aimee Kissel), College of EHHD, MSU

2004	MSU Professor of the Month (March), Mortar Board, Montana State University
2004	Influential Educator Award (Ellen Schultz & Lisa Mohr), College of EHHD, MSU
1998	Distinguished Teacher Award, Dept. of Family Studies, University of Maryland
1998	Ruth Jewson Graduate Research Award for Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Proposal in Family Studies, National Council on Family Relations
1993-1994	University of Maryland Graduate School Fellowship

## RESEARCH

### PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS: (\*indicates student)

- Gibson, T., **Letiecq**, B., & Finkelstein, J. (accepted). The monsters are many and strong, but so are we: Anti-genocide protests and the struggle against ideological capture at George Mason University. *Democratic Communiqué: Freedom of Expression, Campus Politics, Academic Freedom and the War on Gaza*.
- Vesely, C. K., B. L. **Letiecq**, J. Choe, & E. DeMulder. (2025). Family-Led Systems Change for Equity in Early Care and Education: A Critical Family Partnership Framework. *Journal of Family Theory & Review* 17 (4), 834–850. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jftr.70020>.
- Hernandez Dubon\*, R., **Letiecq**, B.L., Chaplin, T., Vesely, C.K., Goodman, R., & Marquez, M. (2025). Immigration-related stress, depression, and parental self-sacrifice among undocumented Central American immigrant mothers. *Family Relations*, 74(2), 674-691. <https://doi.org/10.1111/fare.13106>
- Gibson, T. & **Letiecq**, B. (2024). Fighting for justice in the neoliberal university: The promise of reflexive and flexible solidarity. *Fast Capitalism*, 21(1). <https://fastcapitalism.journal.library.uta.edu/index.php/fastcapitalism/article/view/497>
- Letiecq**, B. L. (2024). Theorizing White heteropatriarchal supremacy, marriage fundamentalism, and the mechanisms that maintain family inequality. *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 1–21. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jomf.12971>
- Vesely, C. K., **Letiecq**, B., Davis, E., Goodman, R., DeMulder, E., Marquez, M., & Amigas de la Comunidad (2024). “The spirit of a fighter”: Mixed-status Latine immigrant families' experiences during COVID. *Family Relations*, 1–18. <https://doi.org/10.1111/fare.13010>
- Vesely, C.K., Sansbury\*, A.B., Call-Cummings, M., Dodman, S., Chen\*, X., Ndiaye\*, N., Bethea\*, C., DeMulder, E., Frank, T., **Letiecq**, B., Shaklee, B., View, J. (2023). Putting antiracism into action in teacher education: Developing and implementing an antiracist pedagogy course audit. *Journal of Early Childhood Teacher Education*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10901027.2023.2192433>
- Letiecq**, B.L., Williams, J.M., Vesely, C.K., & Smith Lee, J. R. (2023). Publicly-housed Black Mothers' Experiences of Structural Racism in their Everyday Lives. *Journal of Marriage and Family*. Early view online. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jomf.12908>
- Letiecq**, B., Davis\*, E., Vesely, C., Goodman, R., Zeledon\*, D. & Marquez, M. (2022). Central American immigrant mothers' narratives of intersecting oppressions: A resistant knowledge project. *Journal of Marriage & Family*, 1-23. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jomf.12854>
- Cross, C., Fomby, P., & **Letiecq**, B. (2022). Interlinking Structural Racism and Heteropatriarchy: Rethinking Family Structure's Effects on Child Outcomes in a Racialized, Unequal Society. *Journal of Family Theory & Review*, 1– 20. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jftr.12458>
- \*\*\*Article of the Year awarded by the American Sociological Association Family Section\*\*\*
- \*\*\*Top cited article in JFTR in 2021-2022 and 2022-2023\*\*\*

- Gibson, T.A., **Letiecq**, B.L., & Finkelstein, J.H. (2021). Good Trouble in the Time of COVID-19. *Health Communication*, 22 (online). <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2021.1957214>
- Vesely, C., DeMulder, E., Sansbury\* A., Davis\*, E., **Letiecq**, B., Willard\*, B., & Goodman, R. (2021). 'A place where my children could learn to read, write, and play': The Search for Early Care and Education among Undocumented Central American Immigrant Mothers. *Early Childhood Research Quarterly*.
- Sanchez, R., **Letiecq**, B., & Ginsberg, M. (2019). An integrated model of family strengths and resilience: Theorizing at the intersection of Indigenous and western paradigms. *Journal of Family Theory & Review*, 4(11), 561-575. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jftr.12351>
- Kuvalanka, K. A., Newsome, W., **Letiecq**, B., Neff, J., Neubeiser, K., Snodgrass, J., & Valentic, G. (2019). Grandmothers raising their transgender grandchildren: An exploratory study. *Journal of GLBT Family Studies*. DOI: 10.1080/1550428X.2019.1630883
- Letiecq**, B. (2019). Surfacing family privilege and supremacy in Family Science: Toward justice for all. *Journal of Family Theory & Review*, 11(3), 398-411. DOI: 10.1111/jftr.12338
- \*\*\*Top 10 cited article in JFTR in 2021\*\*\*
- Letiecq**, B.L., Mehta, S. \*, Vesely, C.K., Marquez, M., Goodman, R.D., & Moron\*, L. (2019). Central American immigrant mothers' mental health in the context of illegality: Structural stress, parental concern, and trauma. *Journal of Family and Community Health*, 42(4), 271-282. DOI: 10.1097/FCH.0000000000000233, PMID: 31403988
- Vesely, C., **Letiecq**, B., & Goodman, R. (2019). "Parenting across two worlds": Low-income Latina immigrants' adaptation to motherhood in the U.S. *Journal of Family Issue*, 40, 711-738. doi: 10.1177/0192513X18821398
- Bailey, S., **Letiecq**, B., Visconti, K., & Tucker\*, N. (2019). Rural Native and European American custodial grandparents: Stressors, resources, and resilience. *Journal of Cross Cultural Gerontology*, 34(2), 131-148. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10823-019-09372-w>.
- Letiecq**, B. & Anderson, E. (2017). From education to advocacy and activism: Alternative roles for translating family science to policy. *Family Relations*, 66(4), 729-740. (Special Issue on Translational Family Science). doi.org/10.1111/fare.12274
- Vesely, C., **Letiecq**, B., Goodman, R. (2017). Immigrant family resilience in context: Using a community-based approach to build a new conceptual model. *Journal of Family Theory & Review*, 9, 93-110.
- Goodman, R., Vesely, C., **Letiecq**, B., & Cleaveland, C. (2017). Trauma and Resilience among Refugee and Undocumented Immigrant Women. *Journal of Counseling and Development*, 95, 309-321. doi: 10.1002-JCAD.12145
- Gouleta, E., Witte, J., & **Letiecq**, B. (2015). Using Digital Technology and a Community Based Approach to Improve Educational Outcomes for Culturally, Linguistically Diverse and Exceptional Children in Pakistan: A Conceptual Framework. *Journal of Asian Development Studies*, 4, 50-66.
- Letiecq**, B. L., Grzywacz, J. G., Gray, K. M., & Eudave\*, Y. M. (2014). Depression among Mexican men on the migration frontier: The role of family separation and other structural and situational stressors. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*, 16, 193-200. doi:10.1007/s10903-013-9918-1
- Bailey, S., Haynes, D., & **Letiecq**, B. (2013). "How can you retire when you still got a kid in school?": The economics of raising grandchildren in Montana. *Marriage and Family Review*, 49 (8), 671-693, DOI: 10.1080/01494929.2013.803009

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- Letiecq, B. & Schmalzbauer, L. (2012). Community-based participatory research with Mexican migrants in a new rural destination: A good fit? *Action Research Journal*, 10 (3), 244-259. DOI: 10.1177/1476750312443571
- Fitzgerald\*, M., Roy, K., Anderson, E., & Letiecq, B. (2012). The effect of depressive symptoms on low income men in Responsible Fathering programs. *Fathering: A Journal of Theory, Research, and Practice about Men as Fathers*, 10(1), 47-65.
- Bailey, S., Letiecq, B., & Porterfield\*, F. (2009). Family coping and adaptation among grandparents rearing grandchildren. *Journal of Intergenerational Relationships* (Special issue: Grandparents and Other Relatives as Parents), 7(2-3), 144-158.
- Christopher, S., Gidley\*, A., Letiecq, B., Smith, A., Knows His Gun McCormick, A. (2008). A cervical cancer community-based participatory research project in a Native American community. *Health Education and Behavior*, 35(6), 821-834.
- Smith, A., Christopher, S., LaFromboise\*, V., Letiecq, B., & Knows His Gun McCormick, A. (2008). Apsáalooke Women's Experiences with Pap Test Screening, *Cancer Control: Journal of the Moffitt Cancer Center*, 15(2), 166-173.
- Letiecq, B.L., Bailey, S.J., & Porterfield\*, F. (2008). "We have no rights, we get no help": The legal and policy dilemmas facing grandparent caregivers. *Journal of Family Issues* (Special Collection: Transforming the Discussion on Diversity: The Influence of Policies and Law on Families), 29(8), 995-1012.
- Letiecq, B.L., Bailey, S.J., & Kurtz\*, M.A. (2008). Depression among rural Native American and European American grandparents raising grandchildren. *Journal of Family Issues*, 29(3), 334-356.
- Letiecq, B. L., Bailey, S. J., & Keller\*, J. A. (2007). Rural after-school programs: Meeting the needs of at-risk youth and their families. *Journal of Youth Development: Bridging Research and Practice*, (2)2. Available on line at: [http://www.nae4ha.org/directory/jyd/jyd\\_issue.aspx?id=ce999798-464e-4ae1-9b6e-5325fdef5f54](http://www.nae4ha.org/directory/jyd/jyd_issue.aspx?id=ce999798-464e-4ae1-9b6e-5325fdef5f54)
- Forry\*, N., Leslie, L., & Letiecq, B. (2007). Marital quality in interracial relationships: The role of sex role ideology and perceived fairness. *Journal of Family Issues*, 28(12), 1538-1552.
- Letiecq, B.L. (2007). African American fathering in violent neighborhoods: What role does spirituality play? *Fathering: A Journal of Theory, Research, and Practice about Men as Fathers*, 5(2), 111-128.
- Anderson, E.A., Kohler, J.K., & Letiecq, B.L. (2005). Predictors of depression among low-income, non-residential fathers. *Journal of Family Issues*, 26(5), 547-566.
- Leslie, L., & Letiecq, B. (2004). Marital quality of African American and White partners in interracial couples. *Personal Relationships: Journal of the International Association for Relationship Research*, 11(4), 559-575.
- Letiecq, B.L., & Koblinsky, S.A. (2004). Parenting in violent neighborhoods: African American fathers share strategies for keeping young children safe. *Journal of Family Issues*, 25(6), 715-734.
- Letiecq, B.L., & Bailey, S.J. (2004). Evaluating from the outside: Conducting cross-cultural evaluation research on an American Indian reservation. *Evaluation Review*, 28(4), 342-357.
- Letiecq, B.L., & Koblinsky, S.A. (2003). African American fathering of young children in violent neighborhoods: Paternal protective strategies and their predictors. *Fathering: A Journal of Theory, Research, and Practice about Men as Fathers*, 1, 215-237.

- Anderson, E.A., Kohler, J.K., & **Letiecq**, B.L. (2002). Low-income fathers and “responsible fatherhood” programs: A qualitative investigation of participants’ fathering experiences and perceptions of program efficacy. *Family Relations*, 51, 148-155.
- Randolph, S., Koblinsky, S., Beemer, M., Roberts, D., & **Letiecq**, B. (2000). Behavior problems of African American boys and girls attending Head Start programs in violent neighborhoods. *Early Education and Development*, 11(3), 339-356.
- Letiecq**, B.L., Anderson, E.A., & Koblinsky, S.A. (1998). Social support of homeless and housed mothers: A comparison of temporary and permanent housing arrangements. *Family Relations*, 47 (4), 415-422.
- Letiecq**, B.L., Anderson, E.A., & Koblinsky, S.A. (1996). Social support of homeless and permanently housed low-income mothers with young children. *Family Relations*, 45 (3), 265-272.

#### BOOK CHAPTERS/EDITED VOLUMES/MONOGRAPHS/MAGAZINE ARTICLES:

- Letiecq**, B.L., & Bermudez, J.M. (2023). Situating Latinx Immigrant Romantic Relationships in the Context of Illegality: Using a Socioculturally Attuned Lens. In B. Ogolsky (Ed.), *The Socio-Cultural Context of Romantic Relationships*. Advances in Personal Relationships Series. Cambridge.
- \*\*\*Winner of the 2024 International Association of Relationship Research Book Award\*\*\*
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq**, B.L. et al., (2023). *Amigas de la Comunidad: A Critical Case Study of Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR) with Central American Immigrant Mothers*. In M. Call-Cummings, G. Dazzo, & M. Hauber-Özer (Eds.), *Critical Participatory Inquiry: An Interdisciplinary Introduction and Guide*. Newbury Park, CA: SAGE Press.
- Fields, S., Gibson, T., Kilgore, R., **Letiecq**, B., & Magee, M. (alphabetical order) (2022). How to Organize around issues and build faculty power. *Academe: American Association of University Professors*. <https://www.aaup.org/article/how-organize-around-issues-and-build-faculty-power#.YmlneNrMLIU>
- Letiecq**, B., Vesely, C., & Goodman, R. (2022). Family-centered participatory action research: With, by, and for families (pp. 483-503). In K. Adamson, A Few-Demo, C. Proulx and K. Roy (Eds.), *Sourcebook of Family Theories and Methodologies*. Springer.
- Bailey, S.J., & **Letiecq**, B.L. (in press). Rural grandparents raising grandchildren: Family caregiving through crisis, adaptation, and advocacy. *Groves Monograph Series*. [Delayed by COVID pandemic]
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq**, B.L., Goodman, R.D., Marquez, M.\*, Alves, L.\* Lazo, W.\*, & Martinez, M.\* (2019). “What does this mean to you?” Partnering with Amigas de la Comunidad to Analyze the Housing Conditions of Undocumented Latina immigrants. In A. Humble and E. Radina (Eds.) *How qualitative data analysis happens: Moving beyond “themes emerged”*. Taylor & Francis.
- Allen, K. R., **Letiecq**, B.L., Roberto, K.A., Rosenblatt, P.C., & Wieling, E. (2019). Dialogue about reflexivity. In A. Humble and E. Radina (Eds.) *How qualitative data analysis happens: Moving beyond “themes emerged”*. Taylor & Francis.
- Letiecq**, B. (2019, Spring). George Mason University’s Donor Problem and the Fight for Transparency. *Academe: American Association of University Professors*. <https://www.aaup.org/article/george-mason-university%E2%80%99s-donor-problem-and-fight-transparency#.Ymln2trMLIV>
- Goodman, R. D., Vesely, C. K., & **Letiecq**, B. L. (2018). Counseling refugees. In J. Webber & J. B. Mascari (Eds.), *Disaster mental health counseling: A guide to preparing and responding* (4<sup>th</sup> ed.). Alexandria, VA: American Counseling Association Foundation.

- Goodman, R. D., **Letiecq**, B. L., Vesely, C. K., Marquez\*, M., & Leyva, K. (2017). Community practice with immigrants and refugees. In A. Hilado & M. Lundy (Eds.), *Models for practice with immigrants and refugees: Collaboration, cultural awareness and integrative theory*. New York, NY: SAGE.
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq**, B.L., & Ewaida, M.\* (2016). Immigrant families in the United States. *The Wiley Blackwell Encyclopedia of Family Studies*. 1–8. doi: 10.1002/9781119085621.wbef263
- Anderson, E.A., & **Letiecq**, B.L. (2014). Family policy through a human rights lens. In J. A. Arditti (Ed.), *Family Problems: Stress, risks, and resilience*. Malden, MA: Wiley-Blackwell.
- Letiecq**, B., Anderson, E.A., & Joseph, A. (2013). Social policies and families. In G.W. Peterson & K. Bush (Eds.), *Handbook of Marriage and the Family*, 3<sup>rd</sup> ed. New York: Springer Publishing. (Invited).
- Bailey, S., **Letiecq**, B., Erickson\*, M., & Koltz, R. (2013). Resilient grandparent caregivers: Pathways to positive adaptation. In B. Hayslip & G. Smith, *Resilient grandparent caregivers: A strengths-based perspective*. New York: Rutledge Taylor & Francis. (Invited).
- Letiecq**, B. (2010). African American men rearing children in violent neighborhoods. In R. Coles & C. Green (Eds.), *The myth of the missing black father*. New York: Columbia University Press. (Invited).
- Letiecq**, B., Bailey, S., & Dahlen, P. (2008). Ambivalence and coping among custodial grandparents. In B.Hayslip & P. Kaminski (Eds.), *Parenting the custodial grandchild*. New York: Springer. (Invited).
- Anderson, E.A., & **Letiecq**, B.L. (2005). Situating fatherhood in responsible fatherhood programs: A place to explore father identity. In W. Marsiglio, K. Roy, & G.L. Fox (Eds.), *Situated fathering: A focus on physical and social spaces*. Boulder, CO: Rowman & Littlefield.
- Anderson, E.A., Skinner, D., & **Letiecq**, B.L. (Eds.). (2004). *Teaching family policy: A handbook of course syllabi, teaching strategies, and resources* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.). Minneapolis, MN: National Council on Family Relations.

### **Manuscripts/Book Chapters/Reports In Production and Under Review:**

- Vesely, C.K., Grodi\*, L., **Letiecq**, B.L., DeMulder, E., Dodman, S., Mehta\*, S., & Goodman, R.D. (R&R). Communication between Latinx immigrant families and educators of young children: Lessons learned during the COVID-19 pandemic and practice recommendations.
- Vesely, C., **Letiecq**, B., Choe, J., & Tohara Nakamatsu, M. (under review). Complexities of Compensating Families for their Lived Experiences: An Emerging Issue for Researchers and Practitioners
- Goodman, R.D., Vesely, C.K., Tohara Nakamatsu, M., Stone, V., Quintana, V., **Letiecq**, B.L., & Amigas de la Comunidad. (under review). Padres Ayuando a Padress: Co-constructing a family-centered mental health intervention of, by, and for Central American immigrant parents.
- Letiecq**, B., et al. (in production). Positionality of stakeholders in systems change work.
- Hernandez Dubon, R., Chaplin, T., & **Letiecq**, B. (in production). Parental self-sacrifice among Central American immigrants.
- Hernandez Dubon, R., Chaplin, T., & **Letiecq**, B. (in production). Central American immigrant fathering.
- Park, J., **Letiecq**, B., & Vomund\*, J. (in production). Religiosity and Depression Among Mexican Immigrants to Montana.



## REVIEWED NATIONAL REPORTS:

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- Letiecq, B.** (2025, June 11). A Conversation about Academic Freedom and the Future of Family Science, with Dane Rivas-Koehl. President's Column, *NCFR Report*. <https://www.ncfr.org/ncfr-report/summer-2025/presidents-column-conversation-about-academic-freedom-and-future-of-Family-Science>
- Letiecq, B.** (2025, April 3). Building a Future Where Every Family Thrives. President's Column, *NCFR Report*. <https://www.ncfr.org/ncfr-report/spring-2025/building-future-where-every-family-thrives>
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- Bellisle, D., Pepin, G., & **Letiecq, B.** (2024). The Role of Taxation in Reproducing Family Inequality: Possibilities for Reform. *NCFR Research and Policy Brief*. <https://www.ncfr.org/policy/research-and-policy-briefs/role-of-taxation-family-inequality-possibilities-for-reform>
- Letiecq, B.** (2024, April 1). Supporting Free Speech and Academic Integrity on Campus, President's Column, *NCFR Report*. <https://www.ncfr.org/ncfr-report/spring-2024/supporting-free-speech-and-academic-integrity-campus>
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- Allen, S., Gavazzi, S., Henderson, J., Landers, A., **Letiecq, B.**, Rose, H., & White, J. (2022). Building relational accountability with Indigenous peoples: Reducing barriers and increasing Indigenous visibility within Family Science. *NCFR Report*.
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- Letiecq, B.**, Leyva, K., Marquez, M., Vesely, C., & Goodman, R. (2020). Shifting the Burden of Resilience: Working in Partnership with Latinx Immigrant Families for Systems Change. *NCFR Report*.
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## SPONSORED RESEARCH & GRANT AWARDS

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### Awarded:

Gupta, J. & **Letiecq, B.** (2025). EA\$E-US: A Financial Empowerment Approach to Preventing Interpersonal Violence Among Congolese Refugees. College of Public Health/Enoch. \$50,000. Role: Co-I.

Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq, B.L.**, Mhonde, R., & (2024). Family-led Early childhood systems change for educational equity. Spencer Foundation. \$74,913 (Role: Co-PI)

Chaplin, T. (PI) (2022-2027). Integrating neural and momentary assessment of parenting, arousal, and adolescent substance use. NIH/NIDA Career Development Award (K02 DA055964). \$549,000. Role: Advisor

Gupta, J., **Letiecq, B.**, & Benitez-Perez, J. (2023). Collective organizing en la CASA: Empowering health equity and healing in the face of structural racism and illegality. ARIE Seed Funding, GMU. \$49,699. Role: Co-PI.

Wilde, J., Fauntroy, M., Kruger, M., & **Letiecq, B.** (2023). Anti-Racism and Inclusive Excellence: A Proposal to Improve the Hiring Process. ARIE grant, GMU. \$49,703. Role: Co-I.

Gupta, J., Pollack, A., **Letiecq, B.** (2022). Serious-gaming intervention to increase social support provided by parents to young women with endometriosis. USDHHS/Office of Women's Health. \$875,680. Role: Co-I.

**Letiecq, B., Vesely, C., & DeMulder, E.** (2022-2024). Family Partnership Project. Office for Children, Fairfax County, VA. \$148,144. Role: PI.

Goodman, R. D., Vesely, C., Stone, V., & **Letiecq, B.** (2022). Developing Community-Driven Support for Central American Immigrant Mothers during COVID-19 through the Lens of Intersectional Trauma and Resilience. Seed Grant, College of Education and Human Development, George Mason University. Requested: \$9,940. Role: Advisor.

Call-Cummings, M., **Letiecq, B.**, Powell, M., & Miller, A. (2022). Anti-Racist and Decolonizing Research (ARDR): A Three-Course Curriculum Impact Grant to Revolutionize the Teaching of Research Methods at George Mason University. George Mason University (\$54,000). Role: Co-PI.

Talleyrand, R., Goodman, R., Carney, J., **Letiecq, B.**, & Zenzano, T. (2021). Promoting Health and Well Being in Marginalized Communities in Northern VA: Next Steps after COVID. CEHD Seed Grant. \$9,900.00. Role: Co-I.

**Letiecq, B., Goodman, R., & Sutter, R.** (2019). Kaiser Permanente's Northern Virginia Place-Based Initiative: Community Engagement Proposal. Kaiser Permanente, \$26,536. Role: PI.

- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq**, B.L., & DeMulder, E. (2019). Early care and education experiences and kindergarten readiness among ACPS students. Bruhn Morris Family Foundation, \$80,478. Role: Co-PI.
- Letiecq**, B., Vesely, C., DeMulder, E., & Goodman, R. (2018). Collaborative data analyses and data dissemination in partnership with two Alexandria communities. Bruhn Morris Family Foundation, \$56,388. Role: Co-PI.
- Pollack, A., **Letiecq**, B., & Gupta, J. (2018). LIMPiAR: Latina Immigrant Multidisciplinary Project in Advancing Research for Undergraduate Students. Summer Impact Grant, GMU. \$25,750. Role: Co-PI.
- Letiecq**, B.L., Vesely, C., & Goodman, R. (2016). *Amigas de la Comunidad*: Promoting the health and well-being of Alexandria's immigrant families. Bruhn Morris Family Foundation, \$54,412. Role: Co-PI.
- Williams, J., **Letiecq**, B.L., & Goodman, R. (2016). African American children, youth, and their families in Alexandria, VA: Documenting community strengths, resources, and unmet needs. Bruhn Morris Family Foundation, \$72,180. Role: PI.
- Gray, K., Rodriguez, S., **Letiecq**, B., & Haque-Hausrath, S. (2016). Organizing to expand MIJA. Social Justice Fund NW—Rural Justice Giving Project. \$18,499.
- Letiecq**, B. (2015). Trauma Exposure and Resilience among Immigrant Women and their Children. GMU Summer Research Funding for Tenure-Track and Tenured Faculty, \$4,900. Role: PI
- Letiecq**, B., Vesely, C., Demulder, E. Stribling, S., & Ginsburg, M. (2014). Early Childhood Care and Education for Vulnerable Families in Alexandria: Building strategic partnerships through community-engaged research. Bruhn Morris Family Foundation, \$62,988. Role: PI.
- Gallo, S. (2014). Early life predictors of obesity: Examining the individual, familial and environmental factors in preschoolers. George Mason University Summer Research Funding for Tenure-Track and Tenured Faculty. \$4,500. Role: Co-Investigator
- Letiecq**, B., & Haque-Hausrath, S. (2013-2014). Organizing for migrant justice. Social Justice Fund NW, Criminal Justice Giving Project, MT Giving Project, Immigration Giving Project. \$30,000.
- Smith, J., Cruzado, W., Potvin, M., & McCoy, T. (2012-2017). ADVANCE Project TRACS: An empirical investigation of Transformation through Relatedness, Autonomy, and Competence Support. National Science Foundation. \$3.4 million/5-year grant. Role: Social Science Research Team member. (My participation ended 2013 upon departure from MSU).
- Letiecq**, B. (2012-2013). Organizing for migrant justice. Social Justice Fund NW, Criminal Justice Giving Project. \$17,160. Role: PI
- Letiecq**, B. (2011-2012). Organizing for migrant justice in a new rural destination. Social Justice Fund—Montana Giving Project, \$7,100. Role: PI
- Letiecq**, B. (PI) (2011-2012). Mental Health of Rural Latino Migrants in a Non-traditional Settlement Area. The Montana INBRE Program, Montana State University, with funding from the National Center for Research Resources (NCRR), a division of the National Institutes of Health (NIH), \$16,840. Role: PI
- Bailey, S., & **Letiecq**, B. (2011-2012). *Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Expansion to Crow and Northern Cheyenne*. Brookdale Foundation of New York. \$10,000 (2011:\$6000; 2012: \$4000). Role: Co-PI
- Letiecq**, B. & Schmalzbauer, L. (Co-PIs). (2010-2011). Mental Health of Rural Latino Migrants in a Non-traditional Settlement Area. The Montana INBRE Program, Montana State University, with funding from the National Center for Research Resources (NCRR), a division of the National Institutes of Health (NIH), \$70,376. Role: PI

- Schmalzbauer, L., & **Letiecq**, B. (Co-PIs). (2009-2010). Mental Health of Rural Latino Migrants in a Non-traditional Settlement Area. The Montana INBRE Program, Montana State University, with funding from the National Center for Research Resources (NCRR), a division of the National Institutes of Health (NIH), \$46,897. Role: Co-PI
- Letiecq**, B.L. (2009). Predictors of Mental Health among Rural Latino Migrants Incorporating in a Non-traditional Settlement Area. Montana State University Buy-Out for Enhancing Scholarship and Teaching (BEST) Award, Release time for Fall 2009: \$5,320. Role: PI
- Schmalzbauer, L., & **Letiecq**, B. (Co-PIs). (2008-2009). Latino Migrants Incorporating in a Non-traditional Settlement Area of the Mountain West: Health Disparities and Challenges to Well-being. The Montana INBRE Program, Montana State University, with funding from NCRR/NIH, \$19,803. Role: Co-PI
- Schmalzbauer, L., & **Letiecq**, B. (2008). Latino community organizing in the Gallatin Valley. Community Action Research Initiative (CARI Grants). The Sydney S. Spivack Program in Applied Social Research and Social Policy, American Sociological Association. \$3,000. Role: Co-PI
- Letiecq**, B.L. & Bailey, S. J. (2008). Montana Family Policy Impact Seminar. "Rural Economic Development and Self-Sufficiency in Montana." Sponsors: MSU College of Education, Health, and Human Development; Department of HHD; MSU Extension Service; Gladys Branegan Chalkley Lecture Fund. \$7,345. Role: PI
- Letiecq**, B.L. (2007). Montana State University's Queer-Straight Alliance: Reaching OUT to the community, building allies, and promoting diversity. Pride Foundation/Montana. \$2,000. Role: PI
- Letiecq**, B.L. (2006). Grandparents raising grandchildren: Social service professionals' knowledge, attitudes, and case management of grandparent caregivers and their families. MSU Department of Health and Human Development, \$15,500. Role: PI
- Letiecq**, B.L. (2006). Clinical Research Development Program. MSU. Support to develop an NIH research grant proposal. \$9,398. Role: PI
- Letiecq**, B.L. & Bailey, S. J. (2006). Montana Family Policy Impact Seminar. "Kinship care and child welfare." Sponsors: MSU College of Education, Health, and Human Development, Department of HHD, MSU Extension Service, Gladys Branegan Chalkley Lecture Fund, MSU GRG Project. \$11,080. Role: Co-PI
- Bailey, S.J., & **Letiecq**, B.L. (2006). Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Project. Human and Community Services Division, Montana DPHHS. \$50,000. Role: Co-PI
- Bailey, S.J. & **Letiecq**, B.L. (2005). Grandparents raising grandchildren expansion project. Montana Children's Trust Fund, \$15,000. Role: Co-PI
- Bailey, S.J., **Letiecq**, B.L., & Smith, A. (2005). Grandparents raising grandchildren: Mental health initiative. Brookdale Foundation—Relatives as Parents Program, \$10,000. (Role: Co-PI)
- Letiecq**, B.L. (2005). Development of the Montana Family Policy Impact Seminar Series. MSU EHHD Mini-Grant Program, \$2,500. Role: PI
- Letiecq**, B.L. & Bailey, S.J. (2005). Grandparents raising grandchildren: In-depth interview transcriptions. MSU Department of Health and Human Development, IDC Committee, \$2,400. Role: Co-PI
- Christopher, S. (2005-2010). Messengers for Health on the Apsáalooke Reservation. American Cancer Society, \$1,520,000. Role: Co-Investigator.
- Bailey, S.J. & **Letiecq**, B.L. (2004). Grandparents raising grandchildren expansion project. Montana Children's Trust Fund, \$10,000. Role: Co-PI

- Letiecq, B.L.** (2004). Rural grandparents raising grandchildren: An examination of intergenerational relationship ambiguities and stressors using family life histories. Montana State University Buy-Out for Enhancing Scholarship and Teaching (BEST) Award, Release time for Fall 2005: \$4,463. Role: PI
- Bailey, S.J., Astroth, K., Johannes, J., St. Pierre, M., Sackman, S., & Andrews, T. (2002-2006). Building Community Strengths in Montana. USDA Children Youth and Families At Risk (CYFAR) New Communities project, \$750,000. Role: Evaluation Specialist
- Leslie, L. & **Letiecq, B.L.** (1998-1999). Marital quality of interracial couples. SPSSI research grant, \$2,000. Role: Co-PI
- Letiecq, B.L.** (1997-1999). Strategies used by African American 'social fathers' to help Head Start children cope with community violence. USDHHS/ACF Head Start Research Scholars Grant, \$30,000. Role: PI

#### **Funded Undergraduate GMU OSCAR Student Awards:**

- Cherry, Christina. (2017). African American Families on the Economic Margins: Documenting Community Strengths, Resources, and Unmet Needs. Intensive Summer OSCAR Award, \$5000. Role: Mentor.
- Moron, Leanna. (2016). Undocumented and Vulnerable: Central American Immigrant Mothers' Well-Being. OSCAR Research Award, \$1500. Role: Mentor.

#### **Unfunded Research Grant Proposals:**

- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq, B.L.**, Park, J., Sanchez, A., & Motti, V.G. (2025). Family-led systems change: Co-creating an artificial intelligence-base navigator tool to advance equity in early care and education. Caplan Foundation for Early Childhood. Requested: \$60,000. Role: Co-PI
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq, B.L.**, Park, J.Y., Motti, V.G., & Sanchez, A. (2025). Family-led systems change: Co-creating an artificial intelligence-based navigator tool to advance equity in early care and education. Spencer Foundation. Requested: \$3,499,963. Role: Co-PI
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq, B.L.**, & Park, J. (2024). Fairfax County Early Care and Education Access Survey Project. Fairfax County Neighborhood and Community Services. Requested: \$151,682. Role: Co-PI.
- Grace, K.T. (2022). Measurement of Reproductive Coercion in a Diverse Sample of College Students and Adaptation of a Safety App to Respond to Dating Violence. National Institutes of Health (App No. 1 K23 HD110646-01), \$739,338. Role: Consultant.
- Gupta, J., **Letiecq, B.**, & Benitez-Perez, G. (2022). The role of organizing in thwarting structural racism and promoting health equity and justice. Interdisciplinary Research Leaders 2022 program, funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF). \$395,000.00. Role: Co-PI.
- Pollack, A., Gupta, J., & **Letiecq, B.L.** (2021). Aliados por el bienestar de las trabajadoras de limpieza (Allies for the well-being of Latina cleaning workers). National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). Role: Co-PI.
- Gupta, J. & **Letiecq, B.** (2021). Serious-gaming intervention to increase social support provided by parents to young women with endometriosis. NICHD. Role: Co-I.
- Letiecq, B. L.**, Gupta, J., & Leon-Lierman, T. (2021). *Somos CASA*: Organizing to dismantle structural racism in housing and improve health equity. Interdisciplinary Research Leaders 2021 program, funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF). \$394,581.00. Role: PI.

- Letiecq, B.L., Vesely, C.K., & Goodman, R.D. (2020).** Dream disrupted: The social and living conditions of Central American immigrant mothers rearing children during the COVID-19 crisis. Russell Sage Foundation Letter of Inquiry. Requested \$172,852. Role: PI.
- Korostelina, K, **Letiecq, B., & Rodriguez, S. (2018).** Resilience, culture of health, and well-being in rural Latino communities. Interdisciplinary Research Leaders 2018 program, funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF). \$349,974.00. Role: Co-PI.
- Goodman, R.D., **Letiecq, B.L., & Vesely, C.K. (2017).** Innovative methods for community data analysis with undocumented Latina immigrants. CEHD Seed Grant. Requested: \$10,000. Role: Co-PI.
- Vesely, C., Goodman, R., & Demulder, E. (2016, Nov). Developing Trauma-informed Care Practices in Partnership with Alexandria's Early Childhood Education Professionals and Immigrant Families. Bruhn Morris Family Foundation, \$79,168. Role: Advisor.
- Lester, J (PI) with Bethany **Letiecq** (CEHD); Jill Nelson (VSE); Oscar Barton (VSE); Jim Kinter (COS); Kim Eby (Provost Office). (2017, Unfunded). Mason Faculty ACT (Alignment for Cultural Transformation). National Science Foundation ADVANCE Preliminary Proposal. Role: Co-PI
- Lynch, J., Seifert, T., & **Letiecq, B. (2015, October).** *Father-child oral language interactions and children's vocabulary knowledge: Informing teachers' reading comprehension practices.* Proposal submitted for a Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) of Canada Insight Grant (\$168,274). Role: Consultant.
- Letiecq, B.L., Pollack, A.Z., Vesely, C.K., Goodman, R.D., & Witte, J.C. (2015).** Social and environmental factors influencing Latina immigrant family health and wellbeing: A multidisciplinary CBPR approach. Provost Multidisciplinary Research Initiatives. \$49,977. Role: PI
- Gallo, S., **Letiecq, B., Vesely, C., & Fiese, B. (2015).** *Empowering parents and providers to implement nutrition and physical activity policies in the child care setting: A feasibility study for a cluster based intervention among child care programs serving low-income families.* Robert Wood Johnson Foundation: New connection grants awarded through the Healthy Eating Research Program. \$100,000. Role: Co-I.
- Lynch, J., Seifert, T., & **Letiecq, B. (2014, October).** *Father-child oral language interactions and children's vocabulary knowledge: Informing teachers' reading comprehension practices.* Proposal submitted for a Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) of Canada Insight Grant (\$168,274). Role: Consultant.
- Witte, J., Gouleta, E., & **Letiecq, B. (2014).** A community-based participatory approach for using technology to improve early literacy in Pakistan. All Children Reading: A Grand Challenge Round 2 Grant Competition. USAID, World Vision, and the Australian Government, \$452,506. Role: Co-Investigator.
- Letiecq, B. (Co-Investigators: Burns, S., Davis, S., Garner, P., Mahatmya, D., Wheeler Poms, L., Vesely, C.) (2013).** Strategies for Advancing the Discipline of Family Science: Using a Community-Based Participatory Research Approach to Innovate. National Council on Family Relations. \$10,000. Role: PI.
- Letiecq, B. (2013).** Conceptualizing a Cultural Model of Depression among Mexican Migrant Women in MT. Project application, National Institute Health, under COBRE proposal. \$740,718.
- Letiecq, B. & Christopher, J. (2011).** Conceptualizing a Cultural Model of Depression among Mexican Migrant Women in MT. R21 revised application submitted to the National Institute of Mental Health, \$388,178. Role: PI



- Letiecq, B., & Schmalzbauer, L. (2010).** Conceptualizing a Cultural Model of Depression among Mexican Migrant Women in a New Rural Destination. R21 application submitted to the National Institute of Mental Health, \$388,178. Role: PI
- Letiecq, B.L. (2006).** Psychological health of rural grandparent caregivers. Submitted to NIH/National Institute of Mental Health (R03 mechanism), Washington, DC, \$137,350. Role: PI
- Letiecq, B.L. (2005).** Psychological health of rural grandparent caregivers. Submitted to NIH/National Institute of Mental Health (B/Start mechanism), Washington, DC, \$66,860. Role: PI
- Letiecq, B.L. & St. Pierre, N. (2003).** Walking towards our talk: Identifying and disseminating diversity best practices. Submitted to MSU Scholarship and Creativity Grants for the Advancement of the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, AY 2004, \$19,988. Role: PI
- Bailey, S.J. & Letiecq, B.L. (2002).** An evaluation of the Head Start Collaboration's Americorps Program. Submitted to the Montana Head Start Collaboration. Contingent upon their receipt of the Americorps grant, \$10,080. Role: Co-I

## PRESENTATIONS

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### PEER-REVIEWED PAPER PRESENTATIONS: International/National/Regional

- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq, B.L.**, Nakamatsu, M.T., Park, J., Zang, X. & The Family Council for Equity in Early Childhood. (2025, May 1-3). Building family councils for centering families' cultural assets in research to inform early childhood systems change. In C.Vesely & A. Sansbury (co-chairs), Centering Families' Cultural Assets in Research, Policy, and Practice in Early Care and Education. Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Minneapolis, MN.
- Letiecq, B. (2024).** Marriage Fundamentalism, Marriage Promotion, and Me: A Critical Autoethnography of the Racialized and Gendered Politics of Social Control. Paper to be presented at symposium, "The Problem With Marriage Promotion: Marriage Fundamentalism, Structural Oppression, and the Maintenance of Family Inequality" (Chair: Letiecq) at NCFR, Bellevue, Washington.
- Vesely, C., **Letiecq, B.**, Choe, J., Tohara Nakamatsu, M., DeMulder, E., & Wychie-Thomas, H. (2024). "We know what we need": Family-led early childhood systems change for equity. Paper presented at symposium, "Moving the Field From Community-Based to Community-Led Participatory Research: Studies of Collaboration to Promote Equity and Justice" (Chair: K. Roy) at NCFR, Bellevue, Washington.
- Vesely, C., **Letiecq, B.**, Goodman, R., & Marquez, M. (2024). Working in Partnership with Amigas de la Comunidad to Conduct Family-Based Health Research: What Does This Mean to You? Paper presented at symposium, "Conducting Health Research With Immigrant and Indigenous Families: Ensuring Culturally-Responsive Methods, Measures, and Meaning Making" (Chair: Daphne C. Hernandez), NCFR, Bellevue, Washington.
- Gupta, J., **Letiecq, B.**, & Benitez-Perez, J. (2024). Using a CBPAR Approach to Build a Culturally-Responsive Survey on Collective Organizing and Health with Central American Immigrant Families. Paper presented at symposium, "Conducting Health Research with Immigrant and Indigenous Families: Ensuring Culturally-Responsive Methods, Measures, and Meaning Making" (Chair: Daphne C. Hernandez), NCFR, Bellevue, Washington.
- Vesely, C., **Letiecq, B.**, Choe\*, J., DeMulder, E., & Philips, F. (2024, April). Family Partnership for Equity in Early Childhood Education: A Critical Family-Driven Systems Change Framework. Presented at the American Education Research Association annual meeting. Philadelphia, PA.

- Letiecq, B.L., **Vesely, C.K.**, DeMulder, E.D., Choe, J., & Moore, R. (2023, November). Rooting out structural racism, advancing equity among marginalized families in an early childhood system: Using a community-engaged research approach. Presented at the National Council on Family Relations annual meeting. Orlando, FL.
- Goodman, R., **Letiecq, B.**, Vesely, C., & Quintana Feliciano, V. (March 2023). Intersectional Trauma, Resilience, & Support for Central American Immigrant Mothers. American Counseling Association. Toronto, Canada.
- Vesely, C., DeMulder, E.K., **Letiecq, B.** (November 2022). Navigating Early Care and Education Vis-À-Vis Workforce Development Programs: Experiences of Afghan Refugee Families With Young Children. Presentation at the National Council on Family Relations (NCFR) Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN.
- Letiecq, B.**, Ndaiye\*, N., Cherry\*, C., Williams, J., Vesely, C., & Smith Lee, J. (2022). “You Don’t Listen to Me”: Black mothers’ educational experiences as students and parents. AERA San Diego, CA, April.
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq, B.L.**, Davis, E., Goodman, R.D., & Amigas de la Comunidad. (2021, March). Central American immigrant families during COVID: Childcare, education, and work experiences. In D. Crosby, *Families’ work-childcare coordination in the context of low-wage work, precarious schedules and the COVID-19 pandemic*. Paper symposium at the Society for Research in Child Development biennial meeting. (Virtual due to COVID).
- Vesely, C.K., Marquez, M., DeMulder, E.K., & **Letiecq, B.L.**, & Goodman, R.D. (December 2020). What does this mean to you? Co-constructing meaning of early care and education experiences through community qualitative data analysis. In J. Barnes Najor, *Engaging community partners in analyzing early education and care data*. Paper symposium at National Research Conference on Early Childhood biennial meeting. Washington, DC. (Virtual format due to COVID). <https://vimeo.com/490929765/f5d7aed4fb>
- Letiecq, B.**, Goodman, R., Davis\*, E., Zeledon\*, D., Vesely, C.K., & Marques, M. (November 2020). “*If you don’t have papers, you don’t have rights*”: Critical consciousness among Central American immigrant mothers in an anti-immigrant era. Submitted to the National Council on Family Relations, November. St. Louis, Missouri. (Virtual Format due to COVID)
- Vesely, C. et al (2020). Pathways to Kindergarten and the Transition to Kindergarten among Immigrant Families. CCEEPRC, Washington, DC. March. *CANCELLED due to COVID-19 pandemic*.
- Vesely, C. et al (2020). Contextual and Cultural Factors that Influence Families’ ECE Decision. CCEEPRC, Washington, DC. March. *CANCELLED due to COVID-19 pandemic*.
- Davis, E., **Letiecq, B.**, Vesely, C., Goodman, R., Leyva, K., & Marquez, M. (2020, April). Community-University Partnerships to Improve Service Delivery to Undocumented Communities. UNDOCU 2.0 Conference: Centering Voices, Innovating Partnerships, and Enacting Resistance in Precarious Times. Cal State University Long Beach. *CANCELLED due to COVID-19 pandemic*.
- Letiecq, B.L.** (November, 2019). Family privilege and supremacy in family science. Invited paper presentation, Special Session: Social Justice, National Council on Family Relations annual meeting. Fort Worth, TX.
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq, B.L.**, & Goodman, R.D. (November, 2019). Shifting the burden of resilience: A conceptual framework and approach for building ecosystemic resilience to support Latinx immigrant family well-being. In A. Lewin, *Building ecosystemic resilience for Latinx immigrant families*. Paper symposium at the National Council on Family Relations annual meeting. Fort Worth, TX.

- Sansbury, A., Bethea, C., **Letiecq**, B., Vesely, C., Williams, J., & AFAM Advisory Board. (2019, September). Policed in a gentrifying neighborhood: How low-income African American families cope, navigate systems, and parent. National Black Child Development Institute: NCBDI Annual Conference, Chicago.
- Vesely, C.K., DeMulder, E., Sansbury, A., Davis, E., Willard, I., **Letiecq**, B., & Amigas de la Comunidad. (2019, April). Undocumented Central American immigrant mothers' search for ECE in the context of deportation threat. In J. Mendez Smith & J. Henley, *Contextual and cultural variation in family decision-making about ECE*. Paper symposium at the Child Care and early Education Policy and Research Consortium annual meeting. Washington, DC.
- Letiecq**, B., Vesely, C., & Goodman, R. (2018, November). The Problem of Illegality: "Doing" Family under Deportation Threat. Paper presented at NCFR Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq**, B.L., Goodman, R.D., Marquez, M., Cabrera, M., & Amigas de la Comunidad. (2018, February). *What does this mean to you? Collaborative data analysis in partnership with Amigas de la Comunidad*. In S. Barrueco & M. Lopez, *Culturally grounded methods to advance an equity lens in early childhood care and education research*. Paper symposium at the Child Care and Early Education Policy and Research Consortium annual meeting. Washington, DC.
- Letiecq**, B.L., Vesely, C.K., Moron, L.\*, Goodman, R.D., Marquez, M.\*, & Shah, P.\* (2017, November). Living with strangers: Overcrowded housing among immigrant families. Paper presented at NCFR Annual Meeting, Orlando, FL.
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq**, B.L., Goodman, R.D., Marquez, M., & Leyva, K. (November, 2016). Partnering with undocumented immigrant families for health and justice. Paper presented at NCFR Annual meeting, Minneapolis, MN.
- Letiecq**, B. (2016, Nov). Collaborative Health: Community-based Action with Families on the Margins. Symposium Co-Chair (with Kale Monk), National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN.
- Goodman, R. D., **Letiecq**, B. L., & Vesely, C. K. (2016, March). Using CBPR with refugee and immigrant women: Trauma, stress and resilience. Paper presented at the meeting of the American Counseling Association, Montréal, QC.
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq**, B.L., & Goodman, R.D. (2015, November). Trauma, stress, and resilience among immigrant, refugee, and asylee families: Using a CBPR approach to build a new conceptual framework. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations Theory Construction and Research Methodology Workshop. Vancouver, Canada.
- Sanchez, R., **Letiecq**, B., & Ginsberg, M. (2015). Indigenous Family Sources of Strength for Self-Regulation and Resilience. Presented at TCRM, National Council on Family Relations, Vancouver, BC, November.
- Bailey, S., **Letiecq**, B., & Tucker, N. (2014). Native American Custodial Grandparents: Binding the Generations. Paper to be presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Baltimore, MD, November.
- Davis, S., & **Letiecq**, B. (2014). Mexican Migrants in a New Settlement: Support and Relationship Quality. Paper to be presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Baltimore, MD, November.
- Goodman, R., Vesely, C., **Letiecq**, B., & Cleaveland, C. (2014). Refugee and Undocumented Immigrant Women: Trauma and Resilience. Paper presented as part of symposium, *Families Caught in Anti-Immigrant Crosshairs: Trauma, Risk, and Resilience*, at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Baltimore, MD, November (**Letiecq**, Symposium Co-Chair).

- Cleaveland, C. & **Letiecq**, B. (2014). "The Men Had Pistols, Machetes and Daggers": A Qualitative Study of Latina Human Smuggling Experiences and Recommendations for Policy. Paper presented at Policy Conference 2.0: Energizing for Activism: Recommitting to Policy Change, Austin TX, May 29-31.
- Letiecq**, B. (2014). Working in partnership with Mexican families on the migration frontier: Embodying health equity and actualizing justice. Paper presented at the Policy Conference 2.0: Energizing for Activism: Recommitting to Policy Change, Austin TX, May 29-31.
- Cleaveland, C., & **Letiecq**, B. (2014). "They took all my clothes and made me walk naked for two days so I couldn't escape": Latina immigrant experiences of human smuggling in Mexico. Paper presented at Ethnographic Fieldwork: a Conference and Retreat. Yale University, CT, April 12<sup>th</sup>.
- Bailey, S. & **Letiecq**, B. (2013). Understanding and serving Native American and White rural-frontier custodial grandparents. Paper presentation, Generations United 17<sup>th</sup> International Conference, Washington, DC, July.
- Letiecq**, B., Gray, K., & Guillen-Sanchez\*, L. (2011). *Correlates of mental health among Mexican migrants in a rural new non-traditional receiving site*. Paper presented at the 139<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Washington, DC, October.
- Bailey, S., **Letiecq**, B., & Haynes, D. (2011). *Falling through the cracks: The unexpected expenses of raising grandchildren*. Paper presented as part of a symposium titled: *Policies and Life Pathways of Grandparents Rearing Grandchildren in a Shifting Economy*. National Council on Family Relations. Orlando, FL, November.
- Bailey, S., **Letiecq**, B., & Erickson, M. (2010). *Pathways to resilient grandfamilies in rural areas*. Paper presented as part of symposium, *My Glass is Half Full: Positive Grandparent Caregiving*, at the 63<sup>rd</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, November 20.
- Letiecq**, B., Schmalzbauer, L., Gray, K., Guillen\*, L., Erickson, M., & Schweigert, L. (2010). *Coping and Surviving in the Shadows: The Mental Health of Rural Latino Migrants in a Non-traditional Settlement Area*. Paper presented as part of symposium, *Families in the shadows: Coping and resilience among Latino migrant and transnational families*, at the National Council on Family Relations 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN, November 6. (B. **Letiecq**, symp chair).
- Schmalzbauer, L., & **Letiecq**, B. (2009). *Community-Based Methods in Action: Capturing the Mental Health of Rural Latinos*. Paper presented at the Western Regional COBRE-INBRE Scientific Conference, Big Sky, MT, September.
- Letiecq**, B., Schmalzbauer, L., Abbott, K., Gray, K., & Gutierrez, M. (2009). *Building Community, Struggling for Justice: A Community-Based Approach to Migration Research in a Rural Settlement Area*. Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, Aug.
- LaVeaux\*, D., **Letiecq**, B., & Christopher, S. (2008). *Apsaalooke Health Advocate Project: Using CBPR to promote cultural competence in health care*. Paper presented at the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Native Health Research Conference, Portland, OR, August.
- Smith, A., Gidley\*, A., Christopher, C., Knows His Gun McCormick, A., & **Letiecq**, B. (2006). *Messengers for health: Findings from a community-based participatory cervical health project on the Apsaalooke Reservation*. Paper presented at the 134<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting and Exposition of the American Public Health Association, Boston, MA, November.
- Letiecq**, B., Bailey, S., Porterfield\*, F., & Kissel\*, A. (2006). *Intergenerational ambivalence among grandparents raising grandchildren*. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN, November.

- Anderson, E., **Letiecq**, B., & Most, P. (2006). *Developing Responsibility and Social Interest Among Low-Income Fathers: The Application of Adlerian Theory*. Paper presented at the TCRM, National Council on Family Relations 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN, November.
- Porterfield\*, F., **Letiecq**, B., & Bailey, S. (2006). *Policy implications for grandparents raising grandchildren in western rural states*. Paper presented at the Northwest Council on Family Relations Conference, Calgary, Alberta, CA, June.
- Letiecq**, B. (2005). *African American Fathering in Violent Contexts: The Role of Spirituality*. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations 67<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ, November.
- Conway\*, A., **Letiecq**, B., & Bailey, S. (2005). *Rural Grandparents Raising Grandchildren: Predictors of Parental Stress*. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations 67<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ, November.
- Bailey, S.J., Conway\*, A., & **Letiecq**, B. (2005). *Two Times A Parent: Grandparents Raising Grandchildren*. Paper presented at the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Northwest Conference for Parenting Educators, Spokane, WA, March.
- Letiecq**, B., Umana-Taylor, A., Roy, K., & Hardesty, J. (2004). *Pursuing research and tenure "on the margins": Challenges and solutions*. Symposium presented at the National Council on Family Relations 66<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, November.
- Bailey, S.J., **Letiecq**, B.L., & Keller\*, J.A. (2004). *Rural after-school programs: Meeting the needs of at-risk youth*. Paper presented at the National Council on Family Relations 66<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, November.
- Bailey, S., **Letiecq**, B., & Astroth, K. (2004). *Conducting quality evaluations across multiple sites and cultures: A sharing of challenges and solutions*. Workshop presented at the Annual Children Youth and Families At Risk (CYFAR) Conference, Seattle, WA, May 13.
- Bailey, S. J. & **Letiecq**, B.L. (2003). *What is a family? Avoiding the deficit approach to programming*. Interact Session at the Annual Children Youth and Families At Risk Conference, Minneapolis, MN, May.
- Vandergriff-Avery, M., Tyler, C., Oravec, L., & **Letiecq**, B. (2001). *Bridging the gap: A diversity module for an introductory family studies course*. Paper presented at the 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual National Council on Family Relations Conference, Rochester, NY, November 11.
- Anderson, E. A. & **Letiecq**, B. L. (2000). *The young fathers/responsible fathers program: Using evaluation tools to enhance fatherhood initiatives*. Workshop presented at The National Center for Strategic Nonprofit Planning and Community Leadership's International Fatherhood Conference, New York, NY, May 31.
- Letiecq**, B. L. & Koblinsky, S. A. (1999). *African American fathers and the strategies they use to protect their children from community violence*. Paper presented at the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual National Council on Family Relations Conference, Irvine, CA, November 10-15.
- Leslie, L. & **Letiecq**, B. L. (1999). *Marital quality of interracial couples*. Paper presented at the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual National Council on Family Relations Conference, Irvine, CA, November 10-15.
- Vandergriff-Avery, M., **Letiecq**, B. L., & Bernstein, J. (1999). *Walking towards our talk: Cultural competence in teaching, research, and practice*. Paper presented at the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual National Council on Family Relations Conference, Irvine, CA, November 10-15.
- Koblinsky, S.A., Randolph, S. M., Roberts, D. D., **Letiecq**, B.L., Beemer, M., & Oravec, L. (1999). *Community violence and young African American children: Role of early childhood educators in violent neighborhoods*. Paper presented at the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual National Council on Family Relations Conference, Irvine, CA, November 10-15.

- Koblinsky, S.A., Randolph, S. M., Roberts, D. D., **Letiecq**, B.L., Beemer, M., & Oravec, L. (1999). *Community violence and young African American children: Translating research to practice*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Association for the Education of Young Children, New Orleans, LA, Nov.
- Letiecq**, B. L., & Drewery, M. P. (1999). *Mediation in child abuse and neglect cases: Is it an effective court tool?* Paper presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Family Violence Research Conference, University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH, July 28.
- Letiecq**, B. L. (1999). *The future of African American fatherhood: Incorporating afri-centric values and cultural strengths in community-based fatherhood initiatives*. Paper presented at The National Center for Strategic Nonprofit Planning and Community Leadership's International Fatherhood Conference: A Message for the New Millennium: Focusing on the Future of Fatherhood, San Francisco, CA, June 2.
- Koblinsky, S. A., Roberts, D., **Letiecq**, B. L., & Randolph, S. M. (1998). *Promoting peace in our neighborhoods: Strategies African American mothers and fathers use to keep children safe in violent communities*. Paper presented at the 60<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the National Council on Family Relations, Milwaukee, WI, Nov.

#### PEER-REVIEWED POSTER SYMPOSIUM/WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS: International/National/Regional

- Langston\*, E., **Letiecq**, B., Powell, M., Thompson\*, S., & Varier, D., (2024, April). Roles and Reflexivity in Antiracist and Decolonizing Research and Knowledge Democratization: Who and How? Roundtable presented at the AERA Conference. Philadelphia, PA.
- Letiecq**, B., Landor, A., Kuvalanka, K., Barrios, V., Anderson, L., & Rodgers, N. (2021, Nov.) *Family Privilege 2.0: A critical feminist workshop for systems change*. NCFR Workshop. Online.
- Benson, K., **Letiecq**, B., Landor, A., & van Eeden-Moorefield, B. (2021, Nov.). *Becoming a scholar advocate or activist in the academy: Challenges and opportunities along the scholar-action continuum*. NCFR Workshop. Online.
- Letiecq**, B. et al. (2020, Nov.) Surfacing the Language of Family Privilege in the Media, Policy, and Family Science: A Critical Feminist Workshop For Systems Change. Virtual workshop, NCFR Annual meeting.
- Letiecq**, B.L., Sansbury, A., Keith, A., Vesely, C.K., & Williams, J. (November, 2019). Black family life in a gentrifying community: Ecosystemic policing and resisting. In B. **Letiecq** (Chair), *Black family matters: From being policed to resisting, from grief and trauma to healing*. Poster symposium at the National Council on Family Relations annual meeting. Fort Worth, TX.
- Vesely, C. K., **Letiecq**, B. L., DeMulder, E., Goodman, R. D., & Dallman, L. (2016, July). *Using a Community-based Participatory Research (CBPR) approach to understand within-group differences of ECCE access among low-income Central American immigrant families*. In C. K. Vesely, J. Smith Mendez, & M. Lopez, Access and Utilization of Early Care and Education among Latino Families: Exploring Across- and Within-group Diversity. Poster symposium at the Administration for Children and Families National Research Conference on Early Childhood. Washington, DC.
- Vannatta\*, M., **Letiecq**, B., Bailey, S., & Tucker\*, N. (2012). *Rural Native American and White custodial grandparent: Correlates of health and resilience*. Poster presented as part of poster symposium, *Beyond Stress: Custodial Grandparent Health, Resourcefulness and Resiliency*, at the 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, National Council on Family Relations. Phoenix, AZ, November.

# PEER-REVIEWED POSTER PRESENTATIONS: International/National/Regional

- Kanselaar, S. Mandeville, J., Kornegay, L., Nusrat, M., Casey, R., **Letiecq**, B., & Gupta, J. (2024). SurrEndo: Integrating a Technology-based Serious Gaming Intervention to Clinical Screening to Address Endometriosis in Adolescence. Poster presented at APHA, Minneapolis.
- Dubon Hernández\*, R.E., **Letiecq**, B., Chaplin, T. M., Vesely, C. K., Goodman, R. D., & Marquez\*, M. (2022). *Do symptoms of depression mediate the association between environmental/structural stress and parenting behaviors in undocumented Latina mothers?* Poster presented at the 2022 special topic meeting: constructing the other, Society for Research in Child Development, Rio Grande, PR.
- Vesely, C.K., DeMulder, E., **Letiecq**, B.L., Marquez, M., Davis, E., Sansbury, A., Goodman, R.D., & Amigas de la Comunidad. (2018, November). Entrusting care on the margins: Undocumented Latinas' search for child care. Poster presentation at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA.
- Letiecq**, B., Mehta, S., Vesely, C., Goodman, R., Marquez, M. (2018, November). Addressing the Mental Health of Undocumented Latina Immigrants from Central America: A community-based, ecosystemic approach. Poster presented at APHA's 2018 Annual Meeting & Expo in San Diego, CA.
- Moron\*, L., **Letiecq**, B., Vesely, C., & Goodman, R. (2016, Nov). Undocumented and Vulnerable: Central American Immigrant Mothers' Well-Being. Poster presented at National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN.
- Goodman, R. D., Vesely, C. K., & **Letiecq**, B. (2016, March). Critical resistance and resilience among refugee and immigrant women: Buffering institutional betrayal trauma. Poster presented at the American Counseling Association Annual Meeting. Montréal, Canada.
- Shaw\*, A., **Letiecq**, B., & Gallo, S. (2015). Validation for the use of the Environment and Policy Assessment Observation (EPAO) for Obesity Prevention in Childcare. Poster presented at Experimental Biology 2015, Boston, MA. April 1.
- Tobar\*, L., & **Letiecq**, B.L. (2013). Status, Perceived Health, and Wellbeing among Migrants in a New Settlement. Poster presented at the Annual Conference, National Council on Family Relations. San Antonio, TX, November.
- Eudave\*, Y., & **Letiecq**, B. (2013). Coping and Depression among Frontier Migrants: Gender and Status Matter. Poster presented at the Annual Conference, National Council on Family Relations. San Antonio, TX, November.
- Letiecq**, B., & Guillen-Sanchez\*, L. (2011). *The mental health of rural Mexican migrant families in a shifting economy*. Poster presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, November.
- Letiecq**, B.L., Schmalzbauer, L., Gray, K., & Guillen\*, L. (2010). The mental health of rural Latinos in a new migrant settlement area: A gendered experience. Poster presented at the NIH, NCCR Third Biennial National IDEa Symposium of Biomedical Research Excellence (NISBRE), Bethesda, MD, June 16-18.
- Fitzgerald\*, M., Roy, K., Anderson, E., & **Letiecq**, B. (2008). The Effect of Father Depression on Parenting. Poster presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Little Rock, AR, November.



- Letiecq, B., Jockeyty\*, K., & Sipes\*, J.** (2008). Kinship foster care through the lens of child welfare social workers. Poster presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Little Rock, AR, November.
- Forry\*, N., Leslie, L., & Letiecq, B.** (2006). *Ideology, Perception & Marital Quality among Black/White Couples*. Poster presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN, November.
- Letiecq, B. & Bailey, S.** (2005). *Making a difference for rural youth: Evaluation findings from a CYFAR after-school program*. Poster presented at the Annual Children Youth and Families At Risk (CYFAR) Conference, Boston, MA.
- Keller\*, J.A., Letiecq, B.L., & Bailey, S.J.** (2004). *After-school programs "not just for kids": Giving voice to rural parents and caregivers*. Poster presented at the 2004 Family Science Association and Northwest Council on Family Relations Joint Conference, West Yellowstone, MT, June 17.
- Letiecq, B., Bailey, S., & St. Pierre, N.** (2003). *Evaluating from outside: Conducting cross-cultural evaluation research on an American Indian Reservation*. Poster presented at the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Vancouver, November.
- Kohler, J., & Letiecq, B.** (2003). *Does marital status matter among low-income African American fathers? Implications for marriage promotion policies*. Poster presented at the National Council on Family Relations 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Vancouver, November.
- Letiecq, B., Smith, A., Bailey, S., & Christopher, S.** (2003). *Interventions and evaluations in rural and American Indian communities: Cultural and methodological considerations*. Poster presented at the Fifth Annual Summer Institute, Family Research Consortium III, "Intervention as Science," Santa Ana Pueblo, New Mexico, June 26.
- Bailey, S. & Letiecq, B.** (2003). *Rural and Native American New Community Projects: Using a feminist approach in program planning and evaluation*. Fair Share poster presented at the Annual Children Youth and Families At Risk (CYFAR) Conference, Minneapolis, MN, May 14.
- Letiecq, B.L. & Bailey, S. J.** (2002). *Using a feminist approach to community building with rural & Native American families: Program & policy considerations*. Poster presented at the National Council on Family Relations 64<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Houston, TX, November 22. (Invited).
- Letiecq, B. L. & Koblinsky, S. A.** (2002). *African American fathers' strategies for protecting young children in violent neighborhoods*. Poster presented at Head Start's Sixth National Research Conference, Washington, DC, June 29.
- Letiecq, B. L. & Koblinsky, S. A.** (2000). *Fathering young children in violent neighborhoods: Predictors of African American Head Start fathers' parenting strategies*. Poster presented at Head Start's Fifth National Research Conference, Washington, DC, June 30.
- Letiecq, B. L., Anderson, E. A., & Koblinsky, S. A.** (1997). *Social support of homeless and low-income, permanently housed mothers over time*. Poster presented at the National Council on Family Relations Conference, Arlington, VA, November 7-10.
- Letiecq, B. L., Anderson, E. A., & Koblinsky, S. A.** (1996). *Social support networks: A comparison of permanently housed and homeless Head Start mothers living in four housing situations*. Poster presented at Head Start's Third National Research Conference, Washington, DC, June 20-23.
- Letiecq, B. L., Anderson, E. A., & Koblinsky, S. A.** (1996). *Social support networks of homeless and permanently housed low-income mothers*. Poster presented at the SPSSI's 60th Anniversary Convention, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, May 31-June 2.

# PEER-REVIEWED PAPER PRESENTATIONS: State

- Goodman, R. D., \*Tohara Nakamatsu, M., Vesely, C. V., **Letiecq, B.**, & Amigas de la Comunidad. (2024, November 14-16). “We are strong fighters”: Understanding trauma and resilience during COVID-19 among Latine immigrant mothers [Conference presentation]. Virginia Counselors Association Annual Convention, Hampton Roads, VA, United States.
- Gibson, T., & **Letiecq, B.** (2023). *Building solidarity and fighting for justice in a disconnected, unequal academy: The promise of labor organizing*. Center for Humanities Research Annual Symposium, GMU, April.
- Letiecq, B.**, Vesely, C., Levya, K., Marquez\*, M., & Davis\*, E. (2020). *Community-Campus Partnerships*. Engagement for the Public Good Conference, JMU October. CANCELLED due to COVID.
- Letiecq, B.** (2011). *Coping and Surviving in the Shadows: Rural Mexican Migrant Families in a New Destination*. Paper presented at the MTAEYC Annual meeting, Bozeman, October.
- Bailey, S. & **Letiecq, B.** (2006). *How we got here: Life histories of grandparents raising grandchildren*. Paper presented at the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Montana Gerontology Society Conference, Big Sky, MT, April 11.
- Letiecq, B.L.** & Vandergriff-Avery, M. (2000). *Understanding, respecting, and celebrating diversity: Evaluation of an undergraduate teaching module*. Paper presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> Diversity Research Forum, University of Maryland, College Park, MD, April 13.

# INVITED PRESENTATIONS/WEBINARS: International/National/Regional

- Letiecq, B.** (2025, November). *Looking Forward: From Vision to Impact*. Presidential Address. NCFR, Baltimore, MD.
- Letiecq, B.** (2025, April). *Higher Education in the Fierce Urgency of Now*. Keynote panelist, Next Systems Convergence, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA.
- Letiecq, B.** (2025, April). *Defending Higher Education*. Invited panelist, Connecticut Conference of the AAUP, Wesleyan University, CT.
- Letiecq, B.** (2025, March). *Peters and Letiecq on Authoritarianism and Higher Education in America’s Political Crisis*. FutureU Forum. Virtual broadcast live on YouTube.
- Letiecq, B.** (2024, June). *Faculty Perspectives on Campus Protests with Professors Ruth, Letiecq, and McAfee*. FutureU Forum. Virtual broadcast live on YouTube.
- Mullen, B. & **Letiecq, B.** (2024, June). *Decolonizing Higher Education: Lessons from April 17 and Beyond*. AAUP Conference and Biennial Meeting. Arlington, VA.
- Letiecq, B.** (2023, November). Moderator. *Family-Centered Migration Trends in North America*. United Nations Expert Group Meeting to prepare for the 30<sup>th</sup> International Year of the Family. Orlando, FL.
- Letiecq, B.** (2023, May). *Participatory Action Research: Community-based methods*. Invited presentation, Illinois State University Center for Integrated Professional Development (Chair: Chang Su-Russell). Online.
- Letiecq, B.** (2023, April). *Faculty working conditions are student learning conditions: (Re)building our infrastructure*. Invited presentation and workshop, Louisiana Conference of the AAUP. Baton Rouge, LA.
- Letiecq, B.** (2023, April). *Family Privilege*. Invited presentation, School of Public Health, University of Maryland (Kevin Roy). Online.

- Letiecq, B.** (2022, April). *How to build faculty power through organizing*. Invited presentation, Louisiana Conference of the AAUP. Online.
- Letiecq, B.** (2021, November). *Integrating diversity into family theory and research*. Special Session. Invited. NCFR Online Annual Meeting.
- Fomby, P., Cross, C., & **Letiecq, B.** (2021). “*How the Measurement and Meaning of Family Structure Shape Research on Young Adult Racial Inequality*” co-sponsored by the Population Studies Center, the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion educational programs working group, and the Michigan Program in Survey Methodology at the Institute for Social Research.
- Letiecq, B.** (2021, July). A Well-Funded, Coordinated Attack from the Right is Corrupting Higher Education. Here’s How. With Professors Isaac Kamola of Trinity College and Bethany **Letiecq** of George Mason University. *FutureU: Neoliberalism in Higher Education*. Michigan State University.
- Fields, S., Gibson, T., **Letiecq, B.**, & Magee, M. (2021). Organizing an Issue Campaign. AAUP Summer Institute. July. Online.
- Letiecq, B.** (2021, June). *Academic Freedom: Putting Principles into Practice at GMU*. Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO. Online.
- Letiecq, B.**, & Landor, A. (2021, May 11). *Toward Dismantling Family Privilege and White Supremacy in Family Science*. National Webinar sponsored by NCFR.
- Ndidiamaka Amutah-Onukagha; Anis Ben Brik; Rosario Esteinou; Brad van Eeden-Moorefields; Yan Ruth Xia; Bethany L. **Letiecq**; Robert Reyes; & Kale Monk (2020, Nov.) [Global Health Disparities among Families in the COVID-19 Pandemic](#). Plenary Session, NCFR Annual meeting, Role: Facilitator.
- Magee, M. & **Letiecq, B.** (2020, Nov). *How to Start an AAUP Chapter*. National Webinar sponsored by AAUP.
- Kulberg, J., **Letiecq, B.**, & Owens, M. (2019, July). *Taking on Public-Private Partnerships in Online Education*. Workshop presented at the American Association of University Professors Summer Institute, Chicago.
- Letiecq, B.** & Parsons, S. (2019, June). *The capture of academia and the courts*. APPEAL, Baltimore, MD.
- Letiecq, B.** (2019, February). *The Corruption of Higher Ed & How Faculty Can Fight Back: The George Mason U. Example*. *FutureU: Neoliberalism in Higher Education*. Michigan State University.
- Letiecq, B.** (2018, July). *Community-based research in partnership with Latina immigrant mothers rearing children under threat of deportation and family separation: Time for scholar-activism*. Paper presented at the Higher Education and Human Rights Symposium of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Washington, DC.
- Letiecq, B.** (2018, July). Restoring faculty governance: Strengthening donor policies on campus. Paper presented at the American Association of University Professors Summer Institute, Durham, New Hampshire.
- Letiecq, B.** (2018, July). From Education to Advocacy and Activism: Alternative Approaches for Translating Family Science to Policy. Presentation to FCSC 5313 Policy, Law, and Advocacy (Henderson, T.), Lamar University, Texas.
- Letiecq, B.** (2018, April). Meaning making on the margins: Partnering with undocumented immigrants to understand and promote mental health in context. Paper presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Diversity Research Conference, Department of Psychology, University of Maryland, College Park.
- Letiecq, B.** (2018, March). Working in partnership with families on the margins: Community-based

- participatory research. Presentation, Department of Family, Youth and Community Sciences Colloquium Series, University of Florida.
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq**, B.L., & Goodman, R.D. (2018, March). Community-based participatory research with refugee and immigrant women: Trauma, stress, and resilience. Presentation for the National Center on Early Childhood Development, Teaching, and Learning focused on Equity, Inclusion, Culturally, and Linguistically Responsive Practices workgroup, Washington, DC.
- Letiecq**, B. L. (2017, Nov). Invited Symposium Presenter: Connecting research, practice, and policy. National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Orlando, FL.
- Letiecq**, B. (2017, Nov). Invited Roundtable Presenter: White families and white privilege. Special Session: Social Justice Strategies to address the elephant in the classroom. National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Orlando, FL.
- Letiecq**, B.L. (2016, Nov). Scholar Activism in Family Science. Workshop Co-Chair, SNP, National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN.
- Letiecq**, B. (2016, Nov). Invited Roundtable Presenter: White families and white privilege. Special Session: Social Justice Strategies to address the elephant in the classroom. National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN.
- Letiecq**, B. (2016, March). Using a CBPR approach to build and sustain partnerships with immigrant families. Invited colloquium presented at Arizona State University.
- Goodman, R. D., Vesely, C. K., & **Letiecq**, B. (2016, March). Refugee and undocumented immigrant women: Critical resilience and institutional betrayal trauma. Invited poster presented at the meeting of the American Counseling Association, Montréal, QC.
- Letiecq**, B. (2015). Social justice strategies of family researchers and professionals in the age of Ferguson. Invited paper presented at the Student/New Professional and Inclusion and Diversity Committee panel for the National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Vancouver, BC, November.
- Letiecq**, B. (2014). Indigenous Justice: Global Research and Policy Perspectives. Special Session of the NCFR Annual Conference, Baltimore, MD. Role: Organizer and Presider. Panelists: Dr. Christine Lindquist, Christine Hurst, Alma Knows his Gun McCormick, Dr. Suzanne Christopher.
- Letiecq**, B., Gray, K., & Eudave\*, Y. (2012). Mexican families on the migration frontier: Utilizing CBPR to organize community, promote well-being, and advocate for migrant justice. Paper presented as part of invited symposium, *Community-based participatory research with health disparate communities: Implications for health, policy, and justice* at the 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, National Council on Family Relations. Phoenix, AZ, November. (**Letiecq**, symposium chair)
- Letiecq**, B.L. (2012). *Discussant: The well-being of immigrant families in the US: The role of public policy*. Symposium. The National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ, Nov.
- Bailey, S., & **Letiecq**, B. (2011). *Stress, coping and resiliency in grandparents rearing grandchildren*. Invited paper presented at the Research Symposium on Issues Facing Children and Families of the Incarcerated and Incarcerated Parents. Pacific Lutheran University, Tacoma, WA, January.
- Letiecq**, B.L. & Schmalzbauer, L.C. (2010). *Community-based methods in action: Capturing the mental health of rural Latinos*. National Association of Social Workers—MT. Bozeman, MT, February.
- Letiecq**, B.L. (2007). *Discussant: Political Constructions of Families*. Symposium. The National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, November.

- Letiecq, B.L.** (2006). *Discussant: Families facing exceptional stressors*. Panel presentation. The National Council on Family Relations Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN, November.
- Letiecq, B.** (2005). *Employment policies and their economic impact on families*. Invited presentation to the 2005 Family Economics and Financial Education National Training Conference, Bozeman, MT, June 16.
- Letiecq, B. L. & Vandergriff-Avery, M.** (1999). *Anger management*. Invited presentation at Maryland Cooperative Extension's Regional Child Care Provider Training Conference, Mt. Airy, September 18.

#### INVITED PRESENTATIONS: State/Local

- Letiecq, B.** (2025, June). *Doing research, building power and solidarity in perilous times*. 4<sup>th</sup> annual Summer Institute on Liberatory Research Methods. George Mason University, Fairfax, VA.
- Vesely, C.K., Thomas, H., **Letiecq, B.L.** (2024, September). Do-no-harm compensation panel. Fairfax Family Council for Equity in Early Childhood & Fairfax County Early Childhood Programs and Services.
- Letiecq, B.** (2024, June). *Sharing Research in Anti-Racist & Decolonizing Ways: Impact & Disrupting in the Academy*. 3rd annual Summer Institute on Anti Racist & Decolonizing Research, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA.
- Letiecq, B.L., Vesely, C.K., & DeMulder, E.K.** (2022, December). *Findings and recommendations for equitable early childhood family partnerships*. Presented to Fairfax County Board of Supervisors Successful Children and Youth Policy Team, Fairfax, VA.
- Letiecq, B.** (2021, May). *The Coming Eviction Tsunami*. Sponsored by Resolutions Addressing Systemic Racism [RASR], Inc. Virtual event. Virginia.
- Letiecq, B.** (2019, October). *Hunger Free Alexandria: Discussion on food equity*. Alexandria, VA.
- Letiecq, B.L., & Vesely, C.K.** (2019, May). *Latino immigrant family health: Food insecurity, nutrition, and policy-practice recommendations*. Paper presentation to the Hunger-Free Alexandria Steering Committee. Alexandria, VA.
- Letiecq, B.L., & Vesely, C.K.** (2019, May). *Latino immigrant family health: Social determinants, barriers to care, and policy-practice recommendations*. Paper presentation to the Community Healthcare Coalition of Greater Prince William County. Manassas, VA.
- Letiecq, B.L., Vesely, C.K., Goodman, R.D., Marquez, M., & Amigas de la Comunidad** (2019, March). *Conceptualizing immigrant and refugee health using a CBPR approach: Ecosystemic Resilience*. In B.L. **Letiecq** (Chair), *The effect of anti-immigrant policies on the health and well-being of immigrants and refugees*. Paper symposium at the Virginia Public Health Association annual meeting. Fairfax, VA.
- Goodman, R.D., **Letiecq, B.L., Vesely, C.K., Noorad, M., & Hand to Hand** (2019, March). *Refugee and asylee women navigating daily and traumatic stressors in an anti-refugee climate*. In B.L. **Letiecq**, *The effect of anti-immigrant policies on the health and well-being of immigrants and refugees*. Paper symposium at the Virginia Public Health Association annual meeting. Fairfax, VA.
- Mehta, S., Davis, E., **Letiecq, B.L., Vesely, C.K., Goodman, R.D., Moron, L., Marquez, M., & Amigas de la Comunidad** (2019, March). *Latina immigrant health in the context of illegality*. In B.L. **Letiecq**, *The effect of anti-immigrant policies on the health and well-being of immigrants and refugees*. Paper symposium at the Virginia Public Health Association annual meeting. Fairfax, VA.

- Luzcando, S., Orellana, V., Gutierrez, N., Rivas, F., **Letiecq, B.**, & Pollack, A. (2019, March). Social determinants of health among Latina immigrants working in the cleaning industry. Poster presentation at the Virginia Public Health Association annual meeting. Fairfax, VA.
- Letiecq, B.**, Sansbury, A., Marquez, M., & Fadle, S., et al. (2019, February). Creating Meaningful Community Partnerships Centered on Racial Equity. Presentation to Act for Alexandria's IMPACT Racial Equity Forum, Alexandria, VA.
- Letiecq, B.** (2018, Sept). The Falls Church City Public Schools Family Resource Center: Casa Chica de la Familia. Presentation to the FCCPS Leadership Team, Falls Church, VA.
- Letiecq, B.**, Vesely, C., Goodman, R., & DeMulder, E., (2018, May). CBPR with Immigrant and Refugee Families: Ecosystemic Trauma, Stress, and Resilience. Child and Family Network Centers, Alexandria, VA.
- Letiecq, B.L.**, Vesely, C.K., Goodman, R.D., & DeMulder, E. (2018, April). *Community-engaged research to action in Alexandria: Updates on Amigas de la Comunidad & the African American families project*. Alexandria Early Childhood Education Working Group.
- Letiecq, B.L.**, Vesely, C.K., & Goodman, R.D. (2018, March). *Latina immigrant and African American families living in Alexandria*. George Washington Middle School. Alexandria, VA.
- Letiecq, B.** (2018, April). Preparing Future Faculty and Family Professionals panel discussion. Sponsored by University of Maryland Family Science Department, College Park, MD.
- Vesely, C.K., **Letiecq, B.L.**, & Goodman, R.D. (2017, October). *Living with strangers: The practice and policy implications related to the housing experiences of Latina immigrant families*. CEHD Equity and Justice Seminar Series. Fairfax, VA.
- Letiecq, B. L.** (2017, July). Community-based participatory research with vulnerable families in Alexandria. Presentation to Office of Community Services, Dept. of Community & Human Services, Alexandria, VA.
- Letiecq, B.**, Vesely, C., Goodman, R. (2016, Oct). Understanding Alexandria's Families: Using a Community-based participatory research approach. Presentation to ACT for Alexandria's IMPACT Early Care and Education Forum, October 26.
- Letiecq, B.** (2016, August). Human development and family science: Serving families across the lifespan, preparing students for diverse career pathways. Virginia VATFCS Conference, Roanoke, VA.
- Letiecq, B.**, Vesely, C., Goodman, R., & Demulder, E. (2016, August). Latina immigrants in Arlandria: Building connections for better outcomes. Alexandria City Public Schools, Child Find and Early Childhood Special Education Services, August 31.
- Letiecq, B.** (2016, Aug). Building relationships that foster success with families and co-workers. Campagna Center, Alexandria, VA. August 29.
- Letiecq, B.L.**, Vesely, C.K., Goodman, R.D., & DeMulder, E. (2016, April). Latina immigrants in Arlandria: Vulnerabilities and promise. Presentation to the Office of Youth Services, City of Alexandria, VA.
- Letiecq, B.L.**, Vesely, C.K., Goodman, R.D., & DeMulder, E. (2016, March). Latina immigrants in Arlandria: Vulnerabilities and promise. Presentation to Alexandria Early Childhood Education Working Group. Alexandria, Virginia.
- Goodman, R. D., **Letiecq, B. L.**, & Vesely, C. K. (2016, January). Latino immigrants in Arlandria: Experiences, needs, and ecosystemic resilience. Presentation to Best Practices Court of Alexandria. Alexandria. VA.
- Letiecq, B. L.**, Vesely, C. K., & Goodman, R. D. (2015, December). Survey results: Latino immigrant families in Arlandria. Presentation to Alexandria community members. Alexandria, Virginia.

- Letiecq, B.** (2014). Using research to promote health and justice: Importance of sustainability. Invited keynote presented at Virginia Commonwealth University, Community-Engaged Research Institute. Richmond, VA, May 9.
- Letiecq, B., Gray, K., & Eudave\*, Y.** (2012). *Our new neighbors: Mexican families on the migration frontier*. Immigration Forum. The Power of We, Bozeman, MT, September.
- Letiecq, B.** (2012). *Immigration: From national narratives to Montana communities*. Unitarian Universalists Social Justice Committee, Bozeman, MT, March 2.
- Letiecq, B., Gray, K., & Eudave\*, Y.** (2012). *Mexican Migration to Montana: A Gendered Experience*. Presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Women's Policy Leadership Institute. Helena, MT, January.
- Letiecq, B.** (2011). *Immigration in Montana*. Presented at the Not in Our Town Annual Meeting, Billings, MT, November.
- Letiecq, B. & Schmalzbauer, L.** (2010). *Community-based participatory and action research with rural Mexican migrants: Building bridges*. Invited presentation to INBRE Forum for Interdisciplinary Research: Addressing Health Equity in Montana, Billings, MT, October.
- Letiecq, B.L.** (2010). *Immigration*. The Policy Institute, Helena, Montana, May.
- Bailey, S., & Letiecq, B.** (2009). *Family, School, and Legal Challenges Facing Kinship Caregivers: Community-based Initiatives and Support Strategies*. Invited presentation delivered at the Second Annual Families and Learning Conference, "Strengthening Communities in Challenging Times," Missoula, MT, August.
- Letiecq, B.L., & Bailey, S.J.** (2005). *Barriers to father involvement and strategies for creating father-friendly programs*. Invited presentation to the 2005 Montana Early Children Conference, Bozeman, MT, October 15.
- Bailey, S.J., & Letiecq, B.L.** (2005). *Ozzie and Harriet raising grandchildren: Understanding the needs of today's complex family forms*. Invited presentation to the 2005 Montana Early Children Conference, Bozeman, MT, October 14.
- Bailey, S., & Letiecq, B.** (2005). *Understanding the challenges and strengths of diverse families*. Invited presentation to the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Montana After-School Training Conference, Helena, MT, April 22.
- Letiecq, B., & Bailey, S.** (2005). *Rural after-school programs: Meeting the needs of at-risk youth and their families*. Invited presentation to the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Montana After-School Training Conference, Helena, MT, April 22.

#### INVITED/SOLICITED PRESENTATIONS/WORKSHOPS: George Mason University

- Call-Cummings, M., Dazzo\*, G., Hassell-Goodman\*, S., Buehl, M., Graham, R., **Letiecq, B.**, Miller, A., & Powell, M. (2022, March 23). *How to be an anti-racist and decolonizing researcher: Workshop 3*. [Workshop]. George Mason University, Fairfax, VA, United States.
- Call-Cummings, M., Dazzo\*, G., Hassell-Goodman\*, S., Buehl, M., Graham, R., **Letiecq, B.**, Miller, A., & Powell, M. (2022, February 23). *How to be an anti-racist and decolonizing researcher: Workshop 2*. [Workshop]. George Mason University, Fairfax, VA, United States.
- Call-Cummings, M., Dazzo\*, G., Hassell-Goodman\*, S., Buehl, M., Graham, R., **Letiecq, B.**, Miller, A., & Powell, M. (2022, February 2). *How to be an anti-racist and decolonizing researcher: Workshop 1*. [Workshop]. George Mason University, Fairfax, VA, United States.
- Call-Cummings, M., Dazzo\*, G., Hassell-Goodman\*, S., Buehl, M., Graham, R., **Letiecq, B.**, Miller, A., & Powell, M. (2021, December 1). *How to be an anti-racist researcher: Workshop 3*. [Workshop]. George Mason University, Fairfax, VA, United States.



- Letiecq, B.** (2019, March). Living with Strangers in the Context of illegality: Overcrowded Housing among Latinx Immigrant Families. Institute for Immigration Research, GMU.
- Letiecq, B.L.** (2018, Aug). Community-based research in partnership with Latina immigrant mothers rearing children under threat of deportation and family separation. Presentation to the GMU Honors College, the University Scholars Program, University Scholars Institute on Migration, Community, and Civic Engagement.
- Luzcando\*, S., Orellana\*, V., Gutierrez\*, N., Rivas\*, F., **Letiecq, B.**, & Pollack, A. (2018, Aug). Social determinants of health among Latina immigrants working in the cleaning industry. Summer Impact Conference, OSCAR, GMU.
- Rivas\*, F., Gutierrez\*, N., Luzcando\*, S., Orellana\*, V., Pollack, A., & **Letiecq, B.** (2018, Aug). Meaning making among Central American Latina immigrants working in the cleaning industry. Summer Impact Conference, OSCAR, GMU.
- Cherry\*, C., **Letiecq, B.**, Williams, J., & Felder\*, J., Goodman, R. (2017). African American Families on the economic margins: Opportunity, Vulnerability, Adaptation, and Resilience. Poster presented at GMU OSCAR Summer Celebration of Student Scholarship, August 4.
- Moron\*, L., **Letiecq, B.**, Vesely, C., & Goodman, R. (2016). Undocumented and Vulnerable: Central American Immigrant Mothers' Well-Being. Poster presented at CEHD Student Research Symposium, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA. [*Received Outstanding Presentation Award from CEHD*]
- Jackson\*, K. & **Letiecq, B.** (2016). Minority youth and juvenile justice: Family impacts. Poster presented at CEHD Student Research Symposium, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA.
- Hattery, A., Vesely, C., & **Letiecq, B.** (2016). Work Family Balance and well-being in a 24/7 workplace. George Mason University ULife Symposium, January.
- Letiecq, B.** with R Hopson, Elave Ndura, Joseph Williams, and Matt Ferry. (2015). *Social Justice During a time of social unrest: Panel Discussion and Faculty Dialog*. Panel Discussion held as part of the January 15 CEHD Opening Session for the Spring 2015 semester.
- Aleknavage, H., Carroll, W., & **Letiecq, B.** (2015). Work Family Balance and well-being in a 24/7 workplace. George Mason University ULife Symposium, January 12.
- Letiecq, B.**, & Brown, J. (2014). Using Genograms in Early Childhood Settings to Foster Parent Engagement, Workshop presented at GMU Professional Development Day Conference, Fairfax, VA, March 1.
- Letiecq, B.** (2014). *Community-based action research with Mexican migrant families: Promoting mental health and justice*. Invited presentation, Applied Developmental Psychology Colloquia Series, GMU, January 29.
- Letiecq, B.** et al. (2014). *Trans-Disciplinary Teaching, Research and Service: Panel Discussion and Faculty Dialog*. Panel Discussion held as part of the morning meetings at the January 16 CEHD Opening Session for the Spring 2014 semester.
- Letiecq, B.**, & Robles, A. (2013). Immigration research collaborative: Using a CBPR approach. Presented at the Center for Social Science Research in partnership with the Institute for Immigration Research, GMU, October 29.

#### INVITED PRESENTATIONS/POSTERS: Montana State University

- Letiecq, B.** (2013). *Mexican women on the migration frontier: Family, faith, and well-being*. Presented at an MSU Sack Lunch Seminar, April 10.

- Letiecq, B.** (2011). *Immigration: From national narratives to Montana politics*. Presented at an MSU Immigration Forum, April.
- Eudave\*, Y., & **Letiecq, B.** (2011). *Coping and Mental Health among Documented and Undocumented Mexican Migrants in a New Frontier Settlement*. Poster presented at the McNair Scholars Poster Session, MSU, Bozeman, MT, December.
- Clark\*, E., & **Letiecq, B.** (2011). *Perceptions of civil unions, the benefits of marriage, and the legalities of relationship recognition*. Poster presented at the McNair Scholars Poster Session, MSU, Bozeman, MT, December.
- Letiecq, B., & Lefthand, M.** (2008). *Apsáalooke Health Advocate Project: Using A Community-Based Participatory Research Approach*. Invited presentation to MSU's ADVANCEnetwork "Science and Place", Gallatin Gateway, MT, May 5.

#### SELECT MEDIA (30+ MEDIA QUOTATIONS):

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| Dec 2025    | Virginia Mercury, "Amid federal investigations, George Mason leaders say negotiations continue with Dept. of Justice." <a href="https://virginiamercury.com/2025/12/05/amid-federal-investigations-george-mason-leaders-say-negotiations-continue-with-dept-of-justice/">https://virginiamercury.com/2025/12/05/amid-federal-investigations-george-mason-leaders-say-negotiations-continue-with-dept-of-justice/</a> |
| Nov 2025    | New York Times, "Democrat's Win May Upend a Conservative Push in Virginia Universities." <a href="https://www.nytimes.com/2025/11/10/us/politics/spanberger-democrat-virginia-higher-education.html">https://www.nytimes.com/2025/11/10/us/politics/spanberger-democrat-virginia-higher-education.html</a>   |
| Sept 2025   | Washington Post, "Conservatives want him fired. This president says he's not going anywhere." <a href="https://www.washingtonpost.com/education/2025/09/05/gregory-washington-george-mason-university-trump/">https://www.washingtonpost.com/education/2025/09/05/gregory-washington-george-mason-university-trump/</a>  |
| Sept 2025   | Academe Blog, "GMU-AAUP on the Front Lines: An Interview with Bethany Letiecq" <a href="https://academeblog.org/2025/09/04/gmu-aup-on-the-frontlines-an-interview-with-bethany-letiecq/">https://academeblog.org/2025/09/04/gmu-aup-on-the-frontlines-an-interview-with-bethany-letiecq/</a>   |
| August 2025 | Virginia Mercury, "Despite federal investigations, GMU president will remain in role, receive pay boost" <a href="https://virginiamercury.com/2025/08/01/despite-federal-investigations-gmu-president-will-remain-in-role-receive-pay-boost/">https://virginiamercury.com/2025/08/01/despite-federal-investigations-gmu-president-will-remain-in-role-receive-pay-boost/</a>   |
| August 2025 | Washington Post, "George Mason board votes to end some DEI efforts, approve raise for president" <a href="https://www.washingtonpost.com/education/2025/08/01/george-mason-president-raise-dei-resolution/">https://www.washingtonpost.com/education/2025/08/01/george-mason-president-raise-dei-resolution/</a>   |
| July 2025   | NAACP Virginia, "Virginia NAACP Responds to the Investigation of President Gregory Washington and George Mason University" <a href="https://naacpva.org/virginia-naacp-responds-to-the-investigation-of-president-gregory-washington-and-george-mason-university/">https://naacpva.org/virginia-naacp-responds-to-the-investigation-of-president-gregory-washington-and-george-mason-university/</a>                 |
| July 2025   | VPM/NPR, "George Mason faculty fear university board will move to oust president. <a href="https://www.vpm.org/news/2025-07-31/george-mason-university-board-washington-dei-trump-gibson-letiecq-manski">https://www.vpm.org/news/2025-07-31/george-mason-university-board-washington-dei-trump-gibson-letiecq-manski</a>  |
| July 2025   | Richmond Times-Dispatch, "Williams: GMU must take stand against federal overreach" <a href="https://richmond.com/opinion/columnists/article_f5b3236d-0488-4abd-a3f2-39be19ea6c8b.html">https://richmond.com/opinion/columnists/article_f5b3236d-0488-4abd-a3f2-39be19ea6c8b.html</a>   |
| March 2025  | The Baltimore Sun, "Baltimore gains residents for first time since 2014" <a href="https://www.baltimoresun.com/2025/03/13/census-population-estimates/">https://www.baltimoresun.com/2025/03/13/census-population-estimates/</a>   |
| Feb 2025    | The Guardian, "'We're like sitting ducks': The right's 'war on woke' has a well-tested playbook to take down academics," <a href="https://www.theguardian.com/us-news/2025/feb/14/chris-rufo-jo-boaler-academics-woke">https://www.theguardian.com/us-news/2025/feb/14/chris-rufo-jo-boaler-academics-woke</a>   |

- October 2024 Featured on Research Remix Podcast, Amigas de la Comunidad and Community-based Participatory Action Research
- July 2024 Chronicle of Higher Education, "Could George Mason U. Be Republicans' 'Test Case' for Project 2025?" <https://www.chronicle.com/article/could-george-mason-u-be-republicans-test-case-for-project-2025>
- May 2024 The George, Mason Researchers Support Local School Communities through Decade-long Collaboration
- April 2024 CEHD News, Mason Faculty Receive Spencer Vision Grant to Advance Educational Equity
- April 2024 GMU IV Estate, "Professor at Mason received threats following publication" <https://gmufourthestate.com/2024/04/02/professor-at-mason-receives-threats-following-publication/>
- August 2024 Stanford Center on Early Childhood, "Announcing the 2024 RAPID Community Voices Cohort," <https://earlychildhood.stanford.edu/news/announcing-2024-rapid-community-voices-cohort>
- Dec 2022 National Catholic Reporter, "Leonard Leo has reshaped the Supreme Court. Is he reshaping Catholic University too?" <https://www.ncronline.org/news/leonard-leo-has-reshaped-supreme-court-he-reshaping-catholic-university-too>
- Jan 2022 Higher Ed Dive, "Virginia AG elevates wife of GOP donor to George Mason's interim top legal post" <https://www.highereddive.com/news/virginia-ag-elevates-wife-of-gop-donor-to-george-masons-interim-top-legal/617977/>
- March 2021 National Council on Family Relations, "Bethany Letiecq Elected New NCFR Board of Directors President-Elect," <https://www.ncfr.org/news/bethany-letiecq-elected-new-ncfr-board-directors-president-elect>
- August 2021 NBC News Washington, "Wage Theft Alleged at High-Profile Worksites." <https://www.nbcwashington.com/investigations/wage-theft-alleged-at-high-profile-worksites/2770152/>
- April 2021 University World News, "Do donors have too much influence over universities?" <https://www.universityworldnews.com/post.php?story=20210423131917828>
- March 2021 WTOP News, "GMU professors express support for janitors alleging poor working conditions, retaliation." <https://wtop.com/fairfax-county/2021/03/gmu-professors-express-support-for-janitors-alleging-poor-working-conditions-retaliation/>
- January 2021 NPR, Life is "really tough" for refugees trying to settle in pandemic America. <https://www.npr.org/2021/01/25/958293702/life-is-really-tough-for-refugees-trying-to-settle-in-pandemic-america>
- August 2020 The Chronicle of Higher Education, "Virginia Colleges Steer Millions in No-Bid Contracts to New Covid-19 Testing Company." <https://www.chronicle.com/article/virginia-colleges-steer-millions-in-no-bid-contracts-to-new-covid-19-testing-company>
- August 2020 Richmond Times Dispatch, "Faculty challenge credentials of COVID-19 testing company working with VCU, two other schools."
- August 2020 Virginia Mercury, <https://www.virginiamercury.com/2020/08/21/faculty-question-student-coronavirus-testing-at-three-virginia-public-universities/>
- May 2020 The Progressive, "College Faculty Are Speaking Out Against Billionaire Donors: Resignations from a growing number of professors bring attention to the undue influence

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- Sept 2019 Guest, The Pledge Podcast with Allison Daskal Hausman, Virginia: “If I don’t say anything, nobody says anything!” <https://www.thepledgepodcast.com/season-2>
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- August 2019 Newswise.com Press Release, Trauma Contributes to Depression Risk in Central American Immigrant Mothers: Community-Based Participatory Research Looks at Maternal Health Issues  
<https://www.newswise.com//articles/trauma-contributes-to-depression-risk-in-central-american-immigrant-mothers>
- August 2019 Associated Press, Conservative strings attached to \$50 million  
<https://www.chron.com/news/education/article/Conservative-string-attached-to-50-million-14401891.php>  
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<https://www.apnews.com/807149f5a8044bf49e24deadffac72fd>
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- Oct 2018 Washington Post, [https://www.washingtonpost.com/local/education/at-george-mason-whats-next-after-review-of-gifts/2018/10/15/b1f6dde6-ce9d-11e8-a360-85875bac0b1f\\_story.html?utm\\_term=.8e31ef443743](https://www.washingtonpost.com/local/education/at-george-mason-whats-next-after-review-of-gifts/2018/10/15/b1f6dde6-ce9d-11e8-a360-85875bac0b1f_story.html?utm_term=.8e31ef443743)
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<https://www.newsday.com/opinion/commentary/public-university-donations-1.18285577>
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- May 2018 Associated Press, Documents show ties between university, conservative donors.  
<https://apnews.com/0c87e4318bcc4eb9b8e69f9f54c7b889>  
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- May 2018 New York Times, <https://www.nytimes.com/2018/05/05/us/koch-donors-george-mason.html>
- May 2018 Editorial Board, Washington Post, [https://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/the-charles-koch-foundation-paid-to-pull-strings-at-george-mason-its-time-for-transparency/2018/05/06/7b993a60-4fc1-11e8-af46-b1d6dc0d9bfe\\_story.html?utm\\_term=.b5016d56b1a6](https://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/the-charles-koch-foundation-paid-to-pull-strings-at-george-mason-its-time-for-transparency/2018/05/06/7b993a60-4fc1-11e8-af46-b1d6dc0d9bfe_story.html?utm_term=.b5016d56b1a6)
- July 2018 Washington Post, [https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/grade-point/wp/2018/07/06/george-mason-university-foundation-is-not-a-public-body-judge-rules-in-records-case/?utm\\_term=.577604411db8](https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/grade-point/wp/2018/07/06/george-mason-university-foundation-is-not-a-public-body-judge-rules-in-records-case/?utm_term=.577604411db8)

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- April 2016 New York Times, “University in Turmoil over Scalia Tribute and Koch Role.” <https://www.nytimes.com/2016/04/29/us/koch-brothers-antonin-scalia-george-mason-law-school.html>
- March 2014 Connections Newspapers, “Creating a Harmonious Family Life” <http://www.connectionnewspapers.com/news/2014/mar/05/creating-harmonious-family-life/>
- August 2012 Major Montana outlets, including Billings Gazette and Bozeman Daily Chronicle: [http://www.bozemandailychronicle.com/opinions/guest-column-lr--is-anti-immigrant-anti-montana/article\\_92299436-f393-11e1-8a2c-0019bb2963f4.html](http://www.bozemandailychronicle.com/opinions/guest-column-lr--is-anti-immigrant-anti-montana/article_92299436-f393-11e1-8a2c-0019bb2963f4.html)

## TEACHING

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### HIGHLIGHTS:

- Co-Founded and Served as Academic Program Coordinator (2013-2017) of the GMU Human Development and Family Science Undergraduate program, a joint program of the CEHD and CHSS
- Co-Founded the Anti-Racist and Decolonizing Research (ARDR) Collaborative (2022-2023) and oversaw the establishment of the Research Methods Graduate Certificate, Concentration in ARDR.

### COURSES:

- 2013-present George Mason University, Fairfax, VA
- Graduate Courses:
    - EDUC 800: Ways of Knowing
    - EDRS 810: Problems and Methods in Education Research
    - EDRS 812: Qualitative Research
    - EDRS 814: Anti-Colonial Methodologies
    - EDRS 833: Participatory Action Research
    - EDRS 856: Critical Praxis in Education (Developed 2023)
    - EDRS 892: Capstone in Anti-racist and Decolonizing Research (Developed 2023)
    - EDUC 861: Capstone in Critical Studies in Education
  - Undergraduate Courses Developed/Taught:
    - HDFS 200: Individual and Family Development
    - HDFS 300: Individual and Family Service Delivery
    - HDFS 401: Family Law and Public Policy
    - HDFS 498/499: Internship/Advanced Internship
- 2002-2013 Montana State University, Bozeman, MT
- Undergraduate Courses Developed/Taught:
    - HDCF 263: Relationships and Family Systems (2007-2013)
    - HDCF 272: Inquiry in Health and Human Development (2002-2003)
    - HDCF 371: Research Methods (replaced HDCF 272; 2004-2005)
    - HDCF 425R: Family Law and Public Policy (2002-2013)
    - HDCF 440: Parenting in Context (2003-2005)

HDCF 464: Gender, Race, Class, and Family Diversity (2006-2013)

- Graduate Courses:

HHD 512: Research Design in Health and Human Development

HDCF 570: Independent Study of Family Programs and Theories

1998-2000     The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD  
                  Graduate Course: JHU 681: Research and Evaluation for Counselors

1996-2000     University of Maryland, College Park, MD

- Undergraduate/Graduate Courses (FMST 105: Individuals in Families; FMST 298F: Future of Families—Issues and Controversies; FMST 302: Research Methods in Family Studies; FMST 460/660: Family Violence (joint undergraduate and graduate course))

**RECENT GRADUATE STUDENT COMMITTEES:**

2025-	Member, Maribel Tohara Nakamatsu (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2025-	Member, Jihyae Choe (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2025-	Co-Chair, Alejandra Salazar Salame (PhD, CEDH, GMU)
2025-	Member, Kate Edwards (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2025-	Member, Janelle Applewhite (PhD, Psychology, GMU)
2025-	Member, Neal Wenz (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2024-	Portfolio, Desmond McGlone (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2024-	Portfolio, Christina Eagle (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2024-	Portfolio, Damaris Benton (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2024-	Member, Amanda Rea Corso (PhD, CEHD)
2024-2025	Co-Chair, Leah Carrington (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2023-2025	Portfolio, Kendra Staley (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2023-2024	Portfolio, David Lemmons (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2023-	Portfolio, Yupei (Peggy) Gong (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2023-2024	Portfolio Member, Courtney Wulf (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2023-2024	Member, Holly Tate (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2023-2025	Portfolio, Jihyae Choe (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2023-	Member, Faria Rashid (PhD, Carter School, GMU)
2023-2025	Portfolio Member, Amanda Rea Corso (PhD, CEHD)
2023-2024	Portfolio Member, Maureen Vora (PhD, CEHD)
2023-2025	Member, Rafael Hernández Dubon (PhD, Psychology, GMU)
2023-2023	Member, Deidre J. Cutter (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2022-2023	External Member, Delphina Shunkamoloh (EdD, Fielding Graduate University)
2022-2025	Portfolio Co-Chair, Neesa Ndiaye (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2022-2024	Member, Hansel Aguilar (PhD, Sociology, GMU)
2021-2023	Member, Beth Davis (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2019-2021	Portfolio Member, Beth Davis (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2019-2022	Member, Jeremy Redford (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2019-2020	Member, William Rodick (PhD, CEHD, GMU)
2015-2019	Member, Blake Johnson (PhD CEHD, GMU)
2016-2017	Member, Mayra Parada (MS, Psychology, GMU)
2014-2015	Member, Ashley Shaw (MS, Nutrition, GMU)
2012-2014	External Member, Lidice Tobar (MS, MSU Chair)

2012-2014 External Member, Yanet Eudave (MS, MSU Chair)  
 2012-2014 External Member, Nate Tucker (MS, MSU Chair)  
 2011-2012 Member, Dean's Rep, Mike Sawaya (PhD, MSU)  
 2010-2012 Chair, Mara Vannatta (MS, MSU)  
 2010-2012 Chair, Elise Coy (MS, MSU)  
 2010-2012 Member, Becca Johnson (MS, MSU)  
 2010-2012 Member, Rebecca Croghan (MS, MSU)  
 2010-2011 Member, Dean's Rep, Able Mashamba (PhD, MSU)  
 2009-2011 Chair, Joanna Dumas (MS, MSU)  
 2009-2011 Chair, Lilia Guillen-Sanchez (MS, MSU)  
 2008-2010 Chair, Melody Dykstra (MS, MSU)  
 2007-2009 Chair, Kate Jocketty (MS, MSU)

#### RECENT GRADUATE STUDENT INVOLVEMENT IN RESEARCH:

2025 Alejandra Salazar Salame (Internship, Capstone), Jennifer Kouakeu (GRA), Maribel Tohara Nakamatsu (GRA), Jihyae Choe, Xiaolu Zhang  
 2024 Holly Tate (Capstone) Alejandra Salazar Salame (Internship, Capstone), Eden Langston, Eddy Arana (Ind Study), Jennifer Kouakeu (GRA), Maribel Tohara Nakamatsu (GRA)  
 2023 Stuart Bowen (Ind study), Maribel Tohara Nakamatsu (GRA), Katherine Szocik, Jihyae Choe, Shaunda Thompson, Eden Langston  
 2022 Neesa Ndiaye (GRA), Shaunda Thompson (GRA), Jihyae Choe, Rafael Dubon Hernandez (Psychology), Eden Langston  
 2020- Beth Davis (GRA), Canaan Bethea, Beth Davis (Ed Policy), Danielka Zeledon (Counseling), Rafael Hernandez (Psychology)  
 2019- Amber Sansbury (GRA), Canaan Bethea (GRA), Tony Keith, Swati Mehta, Beth Davis, Melissa Hauber-Ozer, Carlos Lavin, Fabiola Aranda (Social Work), Syeda Buchwach (Psychology)  
 2018- Amber Sansbury (GRA), El Brown, Tony Keith (Ind Study), Swati Mehta, Margot Cabrera, Beth Davis, Ricardo Sanchez  
 2017-18 Jasmine Felder (GRA), Roberto Martinez  
 2016-17 Payal Shah (GRA), Roberto Martinez, Lici Alves, Mayra Parada (Psychology, Thesis), Marlene Marquez (Social Work), Jasmine Felder  
 2015-16 Manasa Peddy (Ind Study), Ashley Shaw (Nutrition, Thesis), Silvia Portillo (GRA), Roberto Martinez (GRA), Ricardo Sanchez  
 2014-2015 Akashi Kaul (GRA), Ricardo Sanchez (GRA), Roberto Martinez, Katherine Rojas, Annette Francese, Ashley Shaw  
 2013-14 Marriam Ewaida (GRA)  
 2012-13 Mara Vannatta (Research, Internship); Kristin "Aria" DelDuca (Ind Study); Elise Coy (Internship); Yanet Eudave (Ind Study, Research); Nate Tucker (Ind Study, Research); Lidice Tobar (Ind Study, Research); GEO Faculty Advisor  
 2011 Mara Vannatta (Ind Study); Elise Coy (Ind Study)

#### RECENT UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT INVOLVEMENT IN RESEARCH:

2022 Meghan Curley, Christina Cherry (post BA)



- 2019- Sara Luzcando, Viky Orellana, Mariana Estrada, Alex Dean, Francis Rivas, Natalia Gutierrez, Erica Harp, Bri Diederi (HDFSOS)
- 2018- Sara Luzcando, Viky Orellana, Jorge Orellano, Jennifer Rodriguez, Maria Rodriguez, Jasmine Gutierrez, Mariana Estrada, Veronica Terrazas, Alex Dean, Francis Rivas, Natalia Gutierrez, Erica Harp
- 2017-18 Christina Cherry, Wendy Lazo (Psychology)
- 2016-17 Jocelyn Terrazas, Leanna Moron, Christina Cherry, Kelly Martinez, Asha Athman (Global Affairs), Wendy Lazo (Psychology)  
Internships: Christina Cherry, Holly Sim, Angela Wallace, Marianna Lash
- 2015-16 Milenka St. Claire, Jocelyn Terrazas, Marlene Marquez, Mercedes Leon de Leon  
Internships: Leanna Moron, Kia Jackson, Jordyn Carkhuff, Jocelyn Terrazas
- 2014-15 Stephanie Fells (Ind Study), Jennifer Bogart (BAS), Nicole Kinkaid (BIS)
- 2013-14 Jennifer Brown (BIS), Nicole Kinkaid (BIS)
- 2012-13 Sam Atkins (Public Health Intern); Frances Moore (Tias y Tios); Nicolas Cuyle (Photography); Jesse Marquis (Research); Edison Jefferson (Internship, Research); Chris Mora and Chris Kloth (College Democrats); Sydney Jaramillo (Bahai Campus Club); Yanet Eudave (McNair); Lena Petterson (Research)
- 2011 Rachel Rehbein (Ind Study); Erin Miller Clark (McNair Scholar); Yanet Eudave (McNair Scholar); Blair Ward (Pres. College Democrats); Joanna Oranato (USP Research); Juliet Charon (Research); Esteban Botero Ferrero (INBRE Research)

**PUBLICATIONS RELATED TO TEACHING (ALSO CITED UNDER “RESEARCH”):**

- Vesely, C.K., Sansbury\*, A.B., Call-Cummings, M., Dodman, S., Chen\*, X., Ndiaye\*, N., Bethea\*, C., DeMulder, E., Frank, T., **Letiecq, B.**, Shaklee, B., View, J. (2023). Putting antiracism into action in teacher education: Developing and implementing an antiracist pedagogy course audit. *Journal of Early Childhood Teacher Education*.
- Anderson, E.A., Skinner, D., & **Letiecq, B.L.** (Eds.). (2004). *Teaching family policy: A handbook of course syllabi, teaching strategies, and resources* (2<sup>nd</sup> ed.). Minneapolis, MN: NCFR.

**COMMUNITY TEACHING**

- 2020 Webinar, Clifton Racial Justice Working Group: In pursuit of educational equity with Peter Noonan, William Bates, Nardos King, and Douglas Tyson, Fairfax Co, VA, November 18, 2020.
- 2020 Webinar, Clifton Racial Justice Group: Black Lives Matter: Propaganda and perspective with Jamila York, October 7, 2020.
- 2015 Co-facilitator (with C. Vesely) of Social Emotional Competence in Young Children Workshop Series. A Regional VQRIS & Fairfax Co. DFS OFC Project, Fairfax County, VA, May 2.
- 2014 Co-facilitator (with C. Vesely) of Social Emotional Competence in Young Children Workshop Series. A Regional VQRIS & Fairfax Co. DFS OFC Project, Fairfax County, VA, May 3.

**SERVICE & OUTREACH**

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**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE: National/Regional/State**

**Editorial Boards:**

- 2025 Guest Editor, *Journal of Family Theory & Review*
- 2020- Editorial Board member, *Journal of Family Theory & Review*
- 2019- Editorial Board member, *Journal of Marriage and Family*
- 2010-2017 Editorial Board member, *Family Relations*
- 2015-2018 Editorial Board member, *Grandfamilies: The Contemporary Journal of Research, Practice and Policy*
- 2007- Editorial Board member, *Journal of Family Issues*

**Performed Peer-Reviews for the following Journals:**

*Sociological Forum*  
*Social Forces*  
*Children and Youth Services Review*  
*Sociology Compass*  
*Journal of Marriage and Family*  
*Journal of Family Theory and Review*  
*Family Relations*  
*Journal of Family Issues*  
*Psychology of Women Quarterly*  
*Journal of Epidemiology and Global Health*  
*Journal of Health Education*  
*Women & Health*  
*Journal of Children and Poverty*  
*Parenting*  
*Journal of Teaching in Marriage and Family*  
*Fathering: A Journal of Theory, Research, and Practice about Men as Fathers*  
*Gerontological Social Work*  
*Journal of Research on Adolescence*  
*Grandfamilies: The Contemporary Journal of Research, Practice and Policy*

**Book/Manuscript Reviews:**

- 2014 Reviewer, *The Family: Diversity, Inequality, and Social Change* by P. Cohen
- 2013 Reviewer, *Family Policy Matters* by Karen Bogenschneider

**P&T External Review:**

- 2025 External Review for P&T Review, University of Illinois, Chicago
- 2025 External Review for P&T Review, Virginia Tech
- 2023 External Review for P&T Review, Virginia Commonwealth University
- 2017 External Reviewer for P&T Review, University of Alberta
- 2014 External Reviewer for P&T Review, Georgia State University

**Grant/Research Proposal Review:**

- 2014 External Reviewer, Montana State University's Scholarship and Creativity Grants program
- 2010-2011 Ad hoc Reviewer: Kansas NSF EPSCoR, Netherlands Org. for Scientific Research/VICI grants

- 2003-2021 Annual Reviewer: Conference proposals for National Council on Family Relations
- 2002 Reviewer, Univ.-Head Start partnership grants, Head Start Bureau, DHHS/ACYF, Washington, DC
- 2001 Reviewer, Child Abuse and Neglect grants, Children's Bureau, DHHS/ACYF, Washington, DC
- 1998 Reviewer, Head Start Research Scholars Program, DHHS/ACYF, Washington, DC

**Legislative Testimony and Other Activities:**

- 2007 Provided testimony to the Senate Judiciary Committee and Senate Public Health, Welfare and Safety Committee, Montana State Legislature, on behalf of 3 bills relating to custodial grandparenting in Montana (SB 31, SB 48, SB 49).
- 2006 Provided testimony to the Interim Committee on Children, Families, Health, and Human Services (Sen. Trudi Schmidt, Chair), Montana State Legislature, June 9, on grandparents rearing grandchildren in MT.

**NATIONAL Professional Organization Service:**

- 2023-2025 President, Board of Directors, National Council on Family Relations
- 2023- President, GMU-AAUP
- 2024- Vice-President, AAUP Local 6741 of the American Federation of Teachers
- 2023-2024 Past-President, VA-AAUP
- 2023 Search Committee, AAUP, State Policy Director
- 2022-2023 Member, AAUP/AFT Partnership Implementation and Coordination Team (PICT)
- 2022-2023 President, VA Conference of the AAUP
- 2021-2023 Vice-President, GMU-AAUP
- 2021-2023 President-Elect, Board of Directors, National Council on Family Relations
- 2021- Co-Founder and Co-Convener, George Mason University Coalition for Worker Rights
- 2020 Search Committee, AAUP, Organizer
- 2019 Search Committee, AAUP, Organizer
- 2019-2020 Board Liaison, NCFR Inclusion and Diversity Committee
- 2018-2021 Member at Large (2018-2021), VA Conference of the AAUP
- 2017-2020 Member at-Large (Elected), Treasurer, Board of Directors, National Council on Family Relations
- 2016-2021 President (2016-2021), GMU Chapter of AAUP
- 2015-2017 Past-Chair, Family Policy Section, National Council on Family Relations
- 2014-2016 Member, NCFR Public Policy Committee
- 2013-2015 Chair, Family Policy Section, NCFR
- 2011-2013 Chair-Elect, Family Policy Section, National Council on Family Relations
- 2010-2015 Committee Member, Ruth Jewson Award Committee, NCFR (Chair, 2014-2015)
- 2007-2009 State Policy Liaison to National Council on Family Relations
- 2006-2008 Secretary/Treasurer, Family Policy Section, National Council on Family Relations
- 2004-2006 Secretary/Treasurer, Northwest Council on Family Relations

**STATE OR VIRGINIA**

- 2025 Faculty Representative, Virginia Higher Education Advocacy Day, Richmond, VA
- 2023 Faculty Representative, Virginia Higher Education Advocacy Day, Richmond, VA
- 2020 Faculty Representative, Virginia Higher Education Advocacy Day, Richmond, VA

2019 Faculty Representative, Virginia Higher Education Advocacy Day, Richmond, VA  
 2019 Reviewer, Virginia Department of Education CTE Curriculum Review: Family Relations  
 2017 Reviewer, Virginia Department of Education CTE Curriculum Review: Family and Human Services

**UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, & DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE:**  
**George Mason University—Fairfax**

**University Service:**

2025- Faculty Senate Representative, CEHD  
 2023-2024 Anti-Racist Inclusive Teaching (ARIT) “Campus Champion”  
 2021 Provost Extension Review Committee, Elected by the General Faculty  
 2020-2020 Mason Continuity Coordination Team; High Risk Populations Working Group (Shernita Parker)  
 2020-2022 UndocuMason Advisory Board member  
 2019-2019 Gift Acceptance Policy Implementation Task Force  
 2017-2022 Faculty Senate Faculty Matters Committee (Chair, 2019-; Faculty Senate Exec Cmte)  
 2017-2019 Faculty Senate External Relations Committee  
 2017-2019 Faculty Senate Ad Hoc Institutional Conflict of Interest Committee  
 2017-2018 Faculty Senate Grievance Committee  
 2016-2022 Faculty Senate Representative, GSE/CEHD  
 2015-2018 Member, Mason Family Matters Committee, GMU (with ad hoc Family Policy Cmte, established new Parental Leave Policy for Instructional 9-Month Faculty)  
 2014-2016 Faculty Senate Minority and Diversity Issues Committee, GMU  
 2014 Search Committee, Assistant Director, Child Development Center, GMU  
 2014 Chair, Women’s and Gender Studies Awards Committee, Affiliate Faculty  
 2013- GMU Ad hoc Family Policy Committee

**College Service\*:**

2025-2026 Search Committee, Qualitative Methodologist  
 2025- CEHD College-level P&T Committee  
 2024-2025 Member, By-Laws Committee  
 2024- Primary Faculty, Graduate Certificate in Critical Studies in Education  
 2023-2024 Member-at-large, Associate Professors, CEHD Faculty Council (elected)  
 2022- Co-Founder/Co-Director, Anti-Racist and Decolonizing Research Collaborative  
 2022-2023 CEHD College-level P&T Committee  
 2022 CEHD Ad hoc Core values reaffirmation committee  
 2021 Study Leave Proposal Reviewer  
 2020-2022 CEHD Equity and Anti-racism Group (EARgo!)  
 2019-2021 Faculty Advisor, Human Development and Family Science Student Organization (HDFSSO)  
 2017 CEHD Faculty and Student Grievance Committee  
 2016 Member, Search Committee, CEHD Communications and Marketing Officer  
 2015- CEHD Ad hoc Social Justice Committee (Chair: Suhanthie Motha Colloquium and Brown Bag)  
 2015 Chair, Search Committee, Division of Child, Family and Community Engagement staff position

2015	Member, Search committee, Academic, Personnel, and Student Services Coordinator (Div of CFCE)
2014	Chair, Search committee, Advising and Retention Specialist (Student and Academic Affairs)
2014-2016	CEHD Council
2013-2017	Academic Program Coordinator: Human Development and Family Science

\*CEHD does not have departmental units so all service is reflected at the college level

### **Montana State University—Bozeman**

#### **University Service:**

2013	Reviewer, Diversity Awareness Office, Student Awards
2012-13	GEO, Faculty Advisor; Bahai Campus Club, Faculty Advisor
2011-13	Faculty Senate Representative, HHD
2011-13	Forward Student Org, Faculty Advisor; College Democrats, Faculty Advisor
2009-11	MSU Parent Advocate
2009	Reviewer, College of Nursing Block Grant research proposal
2009	Faculty/Staff Phone-a-thon, Office of Admissions (2/26/09)
2008-11	Grievance Committee (Chair 2009-2011)
2006-07	MSU Ad-hoc Family Policy Committee
2006-08	Queer-Straight Alliance (QSA) Faculty Advisor
2006-08	Victim Options in the Campus Environment (VOICE) Center Advisory Board member
2005-13	Women's and Gender Studies Committee
2004-13	University Student Conduct Board Member
2003-04	Search Committee, Dept. of Sociology

#### **College Service—Education, Health, and Human Development:**

2013	Dean's Research Support Committee
2012	Student Scholarships Committee
2004	Search Committee, Director of Sponsored Programs

#### **Departmental Service—Health and Human Development:**

2012-2013	Graduate Program Coordinator, HHD
2010-2013	Research Committee
2010-2011	Search Committee, Community Health (Chair)
2010-2011	Promotion and Tenure Committee
2008-2010	Undergraduate Committee
2007-2009	Program Leader, Community Health
2007	Search Committee, HHD/MSU Extension (Administrative Associate III)
2006-2007	Research Committee
2006-2007	Awards and Recognition Committee
2005-2006	Search Committee, Assistant Professor
2004-2005	Research Committee
2004-2005	Awards and Recognition Committee (Chair)
2004	Space Committee
2003-2006	Program Leader, Family Science

2002-2003 Graduate Curriculum Committee  
 2002-2003 Library Representative/Acquisitions Committee

#### COMMUNITY SERVICE:

##### Committee and Board Memberships:

2023- Co-Founder and Co-Convener, Ex officio member, Fairfax County Family Council for Equity in Early Childhood, Fairfax County, VA  
 2021-2025 Advisory Board Member, The Dream Project  
 2020-2021 Co-Founder, Clifton Racial Justice Working Group  
 2019-2020 Member, Alexandria City Public School Strategic Planning Committee  
 2019-2020 Co-Founder, Alexandria Families for Change (AFAM) Advisory Board, Alexandria VA  
 2018-2019 Co-Founder, Family Resource Center Parent Advisory Board, FCCPS, Falls Church City, VA  
 2015-2017 Board Member, Main Street Child Development Center, Fairfax, VA  
 2014- Co-Founder, Amigas de la Comunidad Community Advisory Board, Alexandria VA  
 2012-2024 Board Member (2014-)/Vice President (2012-2014)/Co-Founder, Montana Immigrant Justice Alliance, Helena, MT  
 2011-2012 Advisor, Gallatin City-County Health Department “Healthy Gallatin” initiative  
 2009-2016 Board Member, DC Area Rep, Montana Human Rights Network, Helena, MT  
 2009-2013 Founder, Salud y Comunidad: Latinos en Montana Community Advisory Board  
 2007-2009 Member, Governor’s Advisory Council on Economic Security for MT Families  
 2007-2013 Advisor, Gallatin Family Justice Coordinating Council (Judge Holly Brown, Chair)  
 2006-2013 President (2008-), Board Member, Gallatin Valley Human Rights Task Force, Bozeman  
 2006-2009 Founder and Co-Director, Montana Family Policy Impact Seminar Series  
 2005-2013 Co-Director, Montana Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Project (GRG Project)

#### FAMILY POLICY IMPACT SEMINARS:

2008 **Rural Economic Development and Self-Sufficiency in Montana:** Montana Family Policy Impact Seminar Series, Helena, MT, June.  
 2006 **Kinship Care and Child Welfare:** A Panel Discussion on Grandparents and Other Relatives Raising Grandchildren, MT Family Policy Impact Seminar Series with Dr. Sandra Bailey, MT, September. Panelists included Maylinn Smith, Tribal Law Professor, University of Montana Law School; Brent Elrod, Program Director, Generations United, National Center on Grandparents and Other Relatives Raising Children; Steve Christian, Project Director, Children and Families Program, National Conference of State Legislatures; Rutledge Hutson, Senior Staff Attorney, Center for Law and Social Policy (CLASP)

#### COMMUNITY OUTREACH: FORUMS, LEGAL CLINICS, AND CONFERENCES

2025 Digital Safety in Higher Education, PEN America (September).  
 2023 Organizer, Panel: Academic Freedom in Higher Education, VA-AAUP. Panelists included Senator Hashmi, Virginia State Legislature; Isaac Kamola, Trinity College; and Mark Bostic, AAUP. March 25.  
 2022 Organizer/Webinar: Faculty, Know Your Rights (VA-AAUP, GMU-AAUP, ACLU of VA, FIRE)

- 2019 Organizer/Panel: Are we next?: What you need to know about private-public online universities. Panelists included Bob Shireman, The Century Foundation; Monica Owens, AAUP; David Nalbone, Purdue University Northwest; and David Halperin, lawyer and investigative writer, Republic Report.
- 2018 Facilitator/Organizer: VA Conference of AAUP/Faculty Senate of VA Panel Presentation: Privatization of Public Universities (Monica Owens/AAUP, Samantha Parsons/UnKoch My Campus, Gus Thomson/Transparent GMU, Dave Kuebrich/GMU).
- 2017 Facilitator/Organizer: Understanding Donor Influence at GMU (with AAUP and UnKoch My Campus), GMU, Oct 24.
- 2017 Facilitator/Organizer: Know Your Rights: Immigration and Protests Forum (with Mason DREAMers and the ACLU of VA), George Mason University, VA, March 28.
- 2017 Co-Organizer, Family Protection Legal Clinic w/Dr. Goodman, Amigas de la Comunidad and Tenants & Workers.
- 2017 Co-Organizer, Family Protection Legal Clinic w/Dr. Rachael Goodman, Amigas de la Comunidad, Mar 4.
- 2016 Co-Organizer, Donation Drive and Health Clinic/Immigration Outreach: Served 52 families comprised of 230 individuals with clothing, toys and Neighborhood Health/United We Dream services/information
- 2016 Organizer, Know Your Rights Legal Clinic with Amigas de la Comunidad and United We Dream
- 2007-2013 Co-Organizer, Bi-Annual Know Your Rights Legal and Health Clinics with Salud y Comunidad/MIJA/MSU/and the Mexican Consulate (over 500 individuals served)
- 2011 Organizer, Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Conference, GRG Project with Dr. Sandra Bailey, Great Falls, June.
- 2011 Co-Organizer, Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Conference, GRG Project with Dr. Sandra Bailey, Billings, June.
- 2008 Organizer, Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Conference, GRG Project with Dr. Sandra Bailey, Bozeman, MT.
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