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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Housing & Community Development • Community Engagement & Asset-based Approach • Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Education

Ph.D., Urban Planning and Policy, Housing and Community Development, 2015

University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, Illinois

Dissertation: The Puerto Rican Identity: Reconstructing Ownership in the Face of Change

Master of Community and Regional Planning, Community Development, 2009

University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Thesis: From Bomb Zone to Boom Town: Real Estate Trends and Community Based Practice in Vieques

Master of Arts, Latin American Studies, Economics, 2009

University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Associates of Applied Science, Environmental Safety & Health, 2005

Central New Mexico Community College, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Bachelor of Science, Environmental Sciences, 2003

Inter-American University, San Germán, Puerto Rico

Certifications

American Institute of Certified Planners

Professional Training

Convergence Trainings: Collecting and Sharing Perishable Data, Conducting Emotionally Challenging Research, Cultural Competence in Hazards and Disaster Research, Disaster Mental Health, Institutional Review Board (IRB) Procedures and Extreme Events Research, Social Vulnerability and Disasters

IAP2 Certificate on Foundations in Public Participation, Planning for Effective Public Participation, and Techniques for Effective Public Participation

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Associate Professor, Landscape Architecture & Urban Planning, Texas A&M, August 2022

Affiliations

Center for Housing & Urban Development
Hazard Reduction and Recovery Center

Associate Professor, City and Metropolitan Planning, University of Utah, Aug. 2015 - Aug. 2022

Affiliations

Global Change & Sustainability Center
Center on Aging
NEXUS: Interdisciplinary Change for Utah Science
Center for Ecological Planning and Design
Metropolitan Research Center
Bennion Center Community Engaged Faculty
Westside Leadership Institute
Community Research Collaborative (CRC) of Utah, University Neighborhood Partners

Research Foundation Center University of New York, Since 2020

Affiliations

Center for Puerto Rican Studies

FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

Fellowships

Ford Foundation Fellowship, 2022

Urban Leadership Fellowship, Dallas, TX, 2022

Emerging Poverty Scholars Fellowship Award, 2020-2022

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) New Connections, New Orleans, LA, 2018

John R. Fellowship, University of Utah, 2018

Asset Based Community Development, DePaul University, Chicago, IL, 2017

Awards

Curriculum Innovation Award, ACSP and Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, Zoning for Equity, 2023

High Achievement Award, APA Utah, Thriving in Place, 2022

Honor Award in Analysis and Planning, The American Society of Landscape Architects, Reimagine Nature, 2022

High Achievement Award, Reimagine Nature, APA Utah, 2021

Latin American Studies and Iberian Institute, Distinguished Alumni/as, 2018

National Institute for Transportation & Communities (NITC) Student Video Contest (Adviser), Second Place, 2016

Dean's Scholar Award, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2014

Distinguished Scholar Award, University of Illinois at Chicago, 2010

American Planning Association (APA) California Northern Section, Focused Issue Planning Award for the East Bay
Greenway Concept Plan, 2009

Urban Promise Academy Hero Award, 2007

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Consultant

2023 – 2024

Canete Medina Consulting Group Inc., 10 S. Riverside Plaza 2, Chicago, IL 60606

Researcher Consultant

2023 – 2023

Texas Applesseed, 1609 Shoal Creek Blvd # 201, Austin, TX 78701

Instructor Consultant

2024

Foundation for Puerto Rico, 1511 C. Antonsanti Suite K, San Juan, 00909, Puerto Rico

Researcher Consultant

2022 – 2024

Puerto Rican Cultural Center, 701 Tillery St #13, Austin, TX 78702

Research Assistant and Project Manager

2010 – 2015

Voorhees Center, 400 South Peoria St. Suite 2100, Chicago, IL 60607

Research Analyst

2010 – 2010

National Low-Income Housing Coalition, 727 15th Street N.W., 6th Fl. Washington, DC 20005

Consultant

2009 – 2010

Ozarks Transportation Organization, 117 Park Central Square, Ste. 107, Springfield, MO 65806

Staff Planner, Concord Community Reuse Plan

2008 – 2009

City of Concord, 1950 Parkside Drive MS/56 Concord, CA 94519

Planning Aide & Green Business Assistant

2007 – 2009

Urban Ecology, 582 Market St. Suite 1020 San Francisco, CA 94104

Legislative Assistant (Interim), Board of Supervisors

2007 – 2008

City and County of San Francisco, 1 Dr. Carlton San Francisco, CA 94104

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

*Works co-authored with students

Peer-reviewed Journal Articles

1. Canham, S., Huntzinger, O., Rose, J., Jones, S., & **García, I.** (2024). Comparison of Transportation Use Among Older and Younger Persons Experiencing Homelessness. *International Journal on Homelessness*, 4(2), 242–255. <https://doi.org/10.5206/ijoh.2023.3.16452>
2. **García, Ivis**, Carlos Santos-Rivera*, Minerva Jimenez-Garcia*, and Claudia Loayza*. 2024. "Engaging Spanish-Speaking Latinos with Urban Parks in Salt Lake City" *World* 5, no. 3: 483-505. <https://doi.org/10.3390/world5030025>
3. Nelson, T. N. T., C. Poleacovschi, Carl F. Weems, K. Ikuma, **I. García**, and C. R. Rehmann. 2024. "Navigating End-User Perceptions: Development and Initial Psychometric Properties of a Water Quality Perception Scale." *Frontiers in Water* 6 (May). <https://doi.org/10.3389/frwa.2024.1357921>.
4. **García, I.** 2024. "Beyond Urban-Centered Responses: Overcoming Challenges to Build Disaster Resilience and Long-Term Sustainability in Rural Areas." *Sustainability* 16 (11): 4373. <https://doi.org/10.3390/su16114373>.
5. Muñiz, J., **I. García**, and E. González Romero. 2024. "Rights amidst Commercial Gentrification: A Comparative Case Study of Latinx Business Zones in Chicago and Santa Ana." *Planning Practice & Research*. Routledge, 1–18. doi:10.1080/02697459.2024.2351759.
6. **García, Ivis**, Carlos Santos-Rivera*, Minerva Jimenez-Garcia*, and Claudia Loayza*. 2024. "Engaging Spanish-Speaking Latinos with Urban Parks in Salt Lake City" *World* 5, no. 3: 483-505. <https://doi.org/10.3390/world5030025>
7. Canham, S., Huntzinger O., Rose J., Jones, S. and **I. García**. 2024. "Comparison of Transportation Use Among Older and Younger Persons Experiencing Homelessness" *International Journal on Homelessness*. <https://doi.org/10.5206/ijoh.2023.3.16452>
8. **García, I.** 2024. "The Value of Reentry Housing, Zoning, and 'Not in My Back Yard' (NIMBY) Obstacles, and How to Overcome Them." *Land* 13 (3): 275. <https://doi.org/10.3390/land13030275>.
9. **García, I.** 2024. "Understanding the Housing Preferences of Older Adults: Insights from a Study on Micro-Housing in Salt Lake City, U.S." *Land* 13 (2): 171. <https://doi.org/10.3390/land13020171>.
10. **García, I.** 2024. "Evictions and Housing Instability among Latina and Immigrant Mothers in Salt Lake City." *Journal of Housing and the Built Environment*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10901-023-10044-y>.
11. Ballesteros, L. M. S., C. Poleacovschi, C. F. Weems, **I. García Zambrana**, and J. Talbot. 2023. "Evaluating the Interaction Effects of Housing Vulnerability and Socioeconomic Vulnerability on Self-Perceptions of Psychological Resilience in Puerto Rico." *International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction* 84 (January): 103476. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijdr.2022.103476>.
12. Ballesteros, L. M., C. Poleacovschi, **I. García**, C. F. Weems, K. Ikuma, and C. Robert Rehmann. 2023. "The Role of Housing and Community Infrastructure in Successful Aging in Disaster Vulnerable Areas." *SSRN Scholarly Paper*. Rochester, NY. <https://doi.org/10.2139/ssrn.4617981>.
13. Nelson, T., Poleacovschi, C., Ikuma K., **García, I.**, Weems, C. F., Rehmann, C. R. and K. Estes. 2023. "Knowledge–Behavior Gap in Tap Water Consumption in Puerto Rico: Implications for Water Utilities." *ASCE OPEN: Multidisciplinary Journal of Civil Engineering* 1 (January): 04023001. <https://doi.org/10.1061/AOMJAH.AOENG-0005>.
14. Infield, E, Shi, L., **García, I.**, Minner, J., Whittington, J., Goh K., Hsu, D., Agyeman J., Boswell, M., and B. Stone. 2023. "Planning for Climate Leadership." *Journal of Planning Education and Research*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0739456X231199093>.
15. Jackson, A., A. Yerena, C. A. Lee, **I. García**, B. Chrisinger, L. Harjo, and S. Harwood. 2023. "Anti-Racist Futures: Disrupting Racist Planning Practices in Workplaces, Institutions, and Communities." *Journal of the American Planning Association* 89 (4): 411–22. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01944363.2023.2244850>.
16. Wei, Y. D., Wu Y., Xiao W., **García I.**, and M. Wen. "Urban Form, Air Pollution, and Walking Behavior: A Study of Salt Lake County, Utah." 2023. *Journal of Transport & Health* 33, 101686. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jth.2023.101686>.

17. Wu, Y., Wei, Y. D., Liu, M., and **I. García**. 2023. "Green infrastructure inequality in the context of COVID-19: Taking parks and trails as examples." *Urban Forestry & Urban Greening*, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ufug.2023.128027>.
18. Greer, V. C., Hong, A., Canham, S. L., Agutter, J., **García, I.**, Van Natter, J. M., and Caylor, N. 2023. "From Sheltered in Place to Thriving in Place: Pandemic Places of Aging." *The Gerontologist*, <https://doi.org/10.1093/geront/gnad087>.
19. Rehn, K., Canham, S.L., Rose, J., Jones, S., and **I. García**. 2023. "Visits to social and community establishments and services by persons experiencing homelessness after shelter decentralization." *Journal of Social Distress and Homelessness*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10530789.2023.2229990>.
20. Canham, S. L., Donovan, M., Rose, J., Jones, S., and **I. García**. 2023. "Transportation needs and mobility patterns of persons experiencing homelessness following shelter decentralization." *Evaluation and Program Planning*, 99, 102306. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.evalprogplan.2023.102306>.
21. **García, I.**, and N. Hernandez. 2023. "'They're Just Trying to Survive': The Relationship between Social Vulnerability, Informal Housing, and Environmental Risks in Loíza, Puerto Rico, USA." *World Development Sustainability* 2 (June): 100062. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.wds.2023.100062>.
22. Greer, V., Canham, S. L., Hong, A., Agutter, J., **García, I.**, and Van Natter, J. M. 2023. Aging in Place Through the COVID-19 Pandemic: Perspectives from Aging Service Providers. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, 0(0). <https://doi.org/10.1177/07334648231159375>.
23. **García, I.**, Miller, S., Holmes, T. 2023. "Rural Communities Challenges and ResilientSEE: Case Studies from Disasters in Florida, Puerto Rico, and North Carolina." *Social Sciences & Humanities*. <https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S2590291123000177>.
24. Park, K., **García, I.**, & Kim, K. 2023. "Who visited parks and trails more or less during the COVID-19 pandemic, and how? A mixed-methods study," *Landscape Research Record* 11, pp.157-171.
25. Ballesteros, L. M., C. Poleacovschi, C. F. Weems, **I. García**, and J. Talbot. 2023. "Evaluating the Interaction Effects of Housing Vulnerability and Socioeconomic Vulnerability on Self-Perceptions of Psychological Resilience in Puerto Rico." *International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction* 84 (January): 103476. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijdr.2022.103476>.
26. **García, I.**, M. Albelson, N. Puczkowskyj*, S. Maheruma Khan*, and K. Fagundo-Ojeda*. 2022. "Harassment of Low-Income Women on Transit: A Photovoice Project in Oregon and Utah." *Transportation Research Part D: Transport and Environment* 112 (November): 103466. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.trd.2022.103466>.
27. **García, I.**, D. Chandrasekhar, N. E. Ganapati, K. Fagundo Ojeda*, J. E. Velázquez Diaz*, and K. Williams*. 2022. "Health-Related Nonprofit Response to Concurrent Disaster Events." *International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction* 82 (November): 103279. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijdr.2022.103279>.
28. Canham, S. L., J. Rose, S. Jones, A. Clay*, and **I. García**. 2022. "Community Perspectives on How Decentralizing an Emergency Shelter Influences Transportation Needs and Use for Persons Experiencing Homelessness." *Health & Social Care in the Community* 30 (6): <https://doi.org/10.1111/hsc.13994>.
29. Chandrasekhar, D., **I. García**, and S. Khajehei. 2022. "Recovery Capacity of Small Nonprofits in Post-2017 Hurricane Puerto Rico." *Journal of the American Planning Association* 88 (2): 206–19. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01944363.2021.1938637>.
30. **García, I.** 2021. "Puerto Rico's Outmigration and the Deterioration of Economic Conditions as Identified with National Debt." *CENTRO Journal* 33 (2): 1-36. <https://centrop-archiv.hunter.cuny.edu/publications/journal-2021>.
31. Wei, Y. D., Weiye X*., and **I. García**. 2021. "Neighborhood Environment, Active Commute, and Healthy BMI in Adolescents" *Sustainability* 13 (15): 8286. <https://doi.org/10.3390/su13158286>.
32. **García, I.** 2022. "Deemed Ineligible: Reasons Homeowners in Puerto Rico Were Denied Aid After Hurricane María." *Housing Policy Debate* 32 (1): 14–34. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10511482.2021.1890633>.
33. **García, I.**, and A. Jackson. 2021. "Enhancing the Role of Government, Non-Profits, Universities, and Resident Associations as Valuable Community Resources to Advance Equity, Access, Diversity, and Inclusion." *Societies* 11 (2): 33. <https://doi.org/10.3390/soc11020033>.
34. **García, I.** 2021. "Advocating for Latino Equity: Oral Histories of Chicago Women Leaders." *Journal of Race, Ethnicity and the City* 2 (1): 54–77. <https://doi.org/10.1080/26884674.2021.1881416>.
35. **García, I.**, A. Jackson, A. J. Greenlee, A. Yerena, B. Chrisinger, and C. A. Lee. 2021. "Feeling Like an 'Odd Duck': The Experiences of African American/Black and Hispanic/Latin/o/a/x Planning Practitioners." *Journal of the American Planning Association* 87 (3): 326–40. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01944363.2020.1858936>.
36. **García, I.** 2021. "Leadership Training as an Alternative to Neoliberalism: A Model for Community Development." *Community Development* 52 (4): 440–58. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15575330.2021.1881135>.

37. Kim, K.*, **I. García**, and S. Brewer. 2021 “Spatial Relationship Between Eviction Filings, Neighborhood Characteristics, and Proximity to the Central Business District: A Case Study of Salt Lake County, Utah.” *Housing Policy Debate* 31 (3–5): 601–26. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10511482.2020.1838598>.
38. **García, I.**, and K. Kim.* 2021. “‘Many of Us Have Been Previously Evicted’: Exploring the Relationship Between Homelessness and Evictions Among Families Participating in the Rapid Rehousing Program in Salt Lake County, Utah.” *Housing Policy Debate* 31 (3–5): 582–600. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10511482.2020.1828988>.
39. **García, I.**, A. Jackson, S. Harwood, A. Greenlee, A. Lee, and B. Chrisinger. 2021. “‘Like a Fish Out of Water’: The Experience of African Americans and Latinx in U.S. Planning Programs.” *Journal of the American Planning Association* 87 (1): 108–22. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01944363.2020.1777184>.
40. **García, I.**, and D. Chandrasekhar. 2020. “Impact of Hurricane Maria to the Civic Sector: A Profile of Non-Profits in Puerto Rico.” *CENTRO Journal* 32 (3): 67–88.
41. **García, I.**, and Z. Sönmez. 2020. “An Asset-Based Perspective of the Economic Contributions of Latinx Communities: An Illinois Case Study.” *Societies* 10 (3): 59. <https://doi.org/10.3390/soc10030059>.
42. **García, I.**, and K. Kim. * 2020. “‘I Felt Safe’: The Role of the Rapid Rehousing Program in Supporting the Security of Families Experiencing Homelessness in Salt Lake County, Utah.” *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 17 (13): 4840. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph17134840>.
43. **García, I.** 2020. “Cultural Insights for Planners: Understanding the Terms Hispanic, Latino, and Latinx.” *Journal of the American Planning Association* 86 (4): 393-402. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01944363.2020.1758191>.
44. **García, I.** 2020. “Repurposing a Historic School Building as a Teacher’s Village: Exploring the Connection between School Closures, Housing Affordability, and Community Goals in a Gentrifying Neighborhood.” *Journal of Urbanism: International Research on Placemaking and Urban Sustainability* 13 (2): 153–169 <https://doi.org/10.1080/17549175.2019.1626265>.
45. Lee, C. A., B. Chrisinger, A. J. Greenlee, **I. García Zambrana**, and A. Jackson. 2020. “Beyond Recruitment: Comparing Experiences of Climate and Diversity between International Students and Domestic Students of Color in U.S. Urban Planning Programs.” *Journal of Planning Education and Research* March: 1-7. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0739456X20902241>.
46. **García, I.** 2020. “No Se Vende (Not for Sale): An Anti-Gentrification Grassroots Campaign of Puerto Ricans in Chicago.” *América Crítica* 3 (2): 35-61. <http://ojs.unica.it/index.php/cisap/issue/view/130>.
47. Kim, K.*, and **I. García**. 2019. “Why Do Homeless Families Exit and Return the Homeless Shelter? Factors Affecting the Risk of Family Homelessness in Salt Lake County (Utah, United States) as a Case Study.” *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* 16 (22): 4328-4351. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph16224328>.
48. DeLaTorre, A., **García, I.** Reno J.*, Kim, J.Y*. and K. Diaz Moore. 2019. “Life Space Mobility and Neighborhoods: How Home Modifications Impact Aging in Place. *Innovation in Aging*, 3 (1): 249, <https://doi.org/10.1093/geroni/igz038.935>.
49. **García, I.** 2019. “Human Ecology and its Influence in Urban Theory and Housing Policy in the United States.” Special Issue Innovations in Affordable Housing at the Nexus of the Market and the State. *Urban Science* 3 (2): 56-68. <https://doi.org/10.3390/urbansci3020056>.
50. **García, I.** and Crookston, J.* 2019. “Connectivity and Usership of Two Types of Multi-Modal Transportation Networks: A Regional Trail and a Transit Oriented Commercial Corridor.” *Urban Science* 3 (34): 1-12. [doi:10.3390/urbansci3010034](https://doi.org/10.3390/urbansci3010034).
51. **García, I.** 2019. “The Two-Income Debt Trap: Personal Responsibility and the Financialization of Everyday Life.” Special Issue Neoliberalism and Social Reproduction. *Polygraph: An International Journal of Culture and Politics* 13 (27): 31-49. https://polygraphjournal.files.wordpress.com/2019/02/polygraph-27_García.pdf.
52. **García, I.** 2019. “Historically Illustrating the Shift to Neoliberalism in the U.S. Home Mortgage Market.” *Societies* 9 (1): 6. <https://doi.org/10.3390/soc9010006>.
53. Greenlee, A., Jackson, A., **García, I.**, Chrisinger, B., and Lee, A. 2018. “Where Are We Going? Where Have We Been?: The Climate for Diversity within Urban Planning Educational Programs.” *Journal of Planning Education and Research* 42 (3): 331–49. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0739456X18815740>.
54. Jackson, A., **I. García-Zambrana**, Andrew J. Greenlee, C. A. Lee, and B. Chrisinger. 2018. “All Talk No Walk: Student Perceptions on Integration of Diversity and Practice in Planning Programs.” *Planning Practice & Research* 33 (5): 574–95. <https://doi.org/10.1080/02697459.2018.1548207>.
55. **García, I.** 2018. “Symbolism, Collective Identity, and Community Development.” *Societies* 8 (3): 81-94. <https://doi.org/10.3390/soc8030081>.

56. **García, I.** 2018. “Inspiring Leadership and Social Innovation Through Cultural Humility: Overcoming Critical Theory, Positivism, and Postmodernism in Planning Education.” *eJournal of Public Affairs* 7 (2): 19-35.
57. Jackson, A., Parker, M., Turner DeVera, L., **García, I.**, Holmes, T., Shiau, E., and C. Medina. 2018. “Moving the Needle: Early Findings on Faculty Approaches to Integrate Culturally Competent Pedagogy into Educational Spaces.” *eJournal of Public Affairs* 7 (2): 119-145. <http://www.ejournalofpublicaffairs.org/moving-the-needle/>.
58. **García, I.** 2018. “Community Participation As A Tool For Conservation Planning And Historic Preservation: The Case Of ‘Community As A Campus’ (CAAC)” *Journal of Housing and the Built Environment* 33 (3): 519-537. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10901-018-9615-4>.
59. **García, I.**, and S. Ara. 2018.* “Active Transportation and Perceptions of Safety: A Case Study of a Regional Trail and a Transit Corridor in Salt Lake City, Utah.” *Focus: The Journal of Planning Practice & Education* 14 (1): 37-43. <http://digitalcommons.calpoly.edu/focus/vol14/iss1/14/>
60. **García, I.** 2018. “Building a Self-Determination Gateway.” Special Issue Hybrid Realities. *Informa: University of Puerto Rico Architectural Journal*. 1(11): 42-43. <https://revistas.upr.edu/index.php/informa/article/view/15971>.
61. **García, I.** 2017. “Learning about Neighborhood Identity, Streets as Places, and Community Engagement in a Chicago Studio Course.” *Transformations: The Journal of Inclusive Scholarship and Pedagogy* 27 (2): 142-157. <http://www.jstor.org/stable/10.5325/trajincsched.27.2.0142>.
62. **García, I.** 2017. “Paseo Boricua. Identity, Symbols, and Ownership.” *América Crítica* 1 (2): 117-138. <https://doi.org/10.13125/americacritica/3014>.
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64. **García, I.**, and M. Rúa. 2017. “Our Interests Matter’: Puerto Rican Older Adults in the Age of Gentrification.” *Urban Studies* 55 (14): 3168-3184. <https://doi.org/10.1177/004209801773625>.
65. **García, I.** 2017. “Community Engagement in an Urban Daylighting Project: A Case Study of a Salt Lake City Creek.” *Journal of Urban Planning, Landscape & Environmental Design* 2 (3): 53-63. <https://doaj.org/article/60d1c433dd9b415083f67c9f58a582e8>.
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Book Accepted & In Production (Refereed)

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Book Chapters

Published

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2. **García, I.** 2024. “Appreciative Inquiry: Theoretical and Practical Illustrations.” In *Routledge Handbook of University-Community Partnerships in Planning Education*, 111–26. New York City: N.Y.: Routledge.
3. **García, I.** Jackson, A., Greenlee, A. J., and B. Chrisinger. 2023. “The People That Represent the Region and the Year of Change” In *Routledge Companion to Professional Awareness and Diversity in Planning Education*, edited by Diko, S.K., Hollstein, L.M., & Palazzo. <https://doi.org/10.4324/9781003254003>.
4. **García, I.** 2022. “Community Development Corporations Collectivize to Stay in Place: Lessons From Chicago’s Northwest Side.” In *Resistance Strategies to Gentrification*, edited by W. Curran and L. Kern. Routledge: New York.
5. **García, I.** 2022. “The Housing Condition of Latinos in Illinois before and after the Recession.” In *La Vivienda En Propiedad y Otras Opciones de Mercado: ¿Solución Habitacional Estancada o Activo de Inversión Creciente?*, edited by G. Olivera. Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México.
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and Abandonment: Strategies and Impacts after the Great Recession, edited by R. E. Finn, L. Nelson, and S. Stein, 61–75. Atlanta, GA; Cleveland, OH: Center for Community Progress, the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, and the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta.

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8. **García, I.** 2020. “Asset Based Community Development (ABCD): Core Principles” In *Research Handbook on Community Development*, edited by R. Phillips and E. Trevan. Edward Elgar Publishing Company: Cheltenham, United Kingdom.
9. **García, I.**, and M. Toro-Morn. 2018. “Puerto Rican and Mexican Women in Chicago: A Socio-Demographic Analysis of the 2008 Recession.” In *Gender and Work in the Global Economy*, edited by B. English and M. Frederickson. IAFFE Advances in Feminist Economics. London; New York: Routledge.
10. Diaz Moore, K., **García, I.** and Young J.K.* 2018. “Healthy Places and the Social Life of Older Adults.” In *Social Isolation in Later Life: Strategies for Bolstering Health and Well-Being*, edited by L. W. Kaye. Springer Publishing Company.

Book Reviews Published

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15. Khajehei, S. (Co-P.I. at U of U), Colon Rivera, E. (Co-P.I. at Ponce NHS), Chandrasekhar, D. (Advisor at U of U), García, I. (Advisor at U of U), 2021-2022, "Role of Community-Based Organizations in Public Housing Recovery after Concurrent Disasters." *Natural Hazard Center, National Science Foundation (NSF) Rapid Response Research (RAPID)*, \$50,000, award number: 1635593.
16. Chandrasekhar, D. (PI at U of U), García, I. (Co-P.I. at U of U), Ganapati, Nazife (PI at Florida International University), Mark Padilla (Co-PI at U of U), Robert Olshansky (Consultants), 2021-2024, "Collaborative Proposal: Stakeholder Intermediaries in Post-disaster Relocation in High Uncertainty." *National Science Foundation Division of Civil, Mechanical and Manufacturing Innovation (CMMI)*, \$368,315, award number: 2032838.
17. Chandrasekhar, D. (PI at U of U), García, I. (Co-P.I. at U of U), Young, R. 2021 (Co-P.I. at U of U), Horel, J. (Co-P.I. at U of U), Parvania, M. (Co-P.I. at U of U), 2021-2022, "SCC-PG: Online Role-Playing Games for Improving Multi-Stakeholder Collaboration in Concurrent Disaster Response Planning." *National Science Foundation (NSF) Division of Computer and Network Systems (CNS)*, \$147,247, award number: 2125196.
18. Driskell, D., Thomas, T., García, I. and Rigolon, A., 2021-2022, "Salt Lake City Gentrification Assessment and Displacement Mitigation Plan." *Salt Lake City Corporation*, \$150,000, RFP number: SLCI21063.
19. García, I. (P.I. at U of U), Chandrasekhar, D. (Co-PI at U of U), Ganapati, Nazife (Co-PI at Florida International University), and Kevin Fagundo (Co-PI at U of U). 2020-2021. "Non-profit Response to Concurrent Disaster Events." *Natural Hazard Center, National Science Foundation through supplemental funding from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)*, \$50,000, award number: 1635593.
20. Zapata, M. (P.I. at PSU), I. García (PI at U of U), A. Lubitow (Co-P.I. at PSU), and M. Abelson (Co-P.I. at PSU), 2020-2022. "Marginalized Populations Access to Transit: Journeys from Home and Work to Transit." *National Institute for Transportation and Communities (NITC)*, \$93,115, award number: 54504681.
21. Canham, S. (P.I.), I. García (Co-PI), J. Rose, and S. Jones. 2020-2022. "Understanding the Impact of Decentralizing Homeless Services on Mobility in Salt Lake City." *National Institute for Transportation and Communities (NITC), Department of Transportation (DOT) Fast Act*, \$100,206, award number: 54504682.
22. Ikuma, K. (P.I. at ISU), C. Poleacovschi (Co-PI at ISU), I. García (P.I. at U of U), Rehmann, C. (Co-PI at ISU) and C. Weems (Co-PI at ISU). 2020-2023. "Building Resilience in Vulnerable, Older Adult Communities Facing Increased Exposure Risks to Wastewater Contamination from Flooding in Puerto Rico." *U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Research and Development Science to Achieve Results (STAR) Program*, \$90,894 for the U of U as P.I. out of \$800,000 with Iowa State University (ISU), award number: 10055068.
23. García I. (Co-PI at U of U) and D. Chandrasekhar (Co-PI at U of Utah). 2019-2020. "Building Community Networks to Promote Disaster Recovery in San Juan Metro, Puerto Rico." *Center for Puerto Rican Studies*, \$10,000.
24. García I. (PI at U of U) and N. Peña (PI at U of UPR). 2018-2019. "Building Planning and Community Networks to Promote Disaster Recovery in Puerto Rico." *American Planning Association Foundation*, \$8,396.
25. Jackson, A. (PI at U of Florida) and I. García (PI at U of U). 2019-2020. "American Planning Association Practitioner Climate Survey." *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning*, \$2,000.
26. Linares J.C. (PI at LUCHA) and I. García (PI at U of U). 2018. "Puerto Rican Agenda Housing Summit: Latino Housing Plan." *Wintrust, LISC Chicago, Liberty Bank, MB Financial Bank, PNC Bank, and Polk Bros Foundation*, \$30,000.
27. Doner, A. (P.I. at DePaul University), D. Wisniewski (Consultant), J. Erpenbeck (Consultant), R. Dwyer-Voss (Consultant), M. Browning (Consultant) and I. García (Consultant). 2017-2019. "Community Catalyst Evaluation Project." *Institute for Museums & Libraries (IMLS)*, \$644,116.
28. García, I. (P.I. at U of U), A. DeLaTorre (Co-PI at PSU), and K. Diaz Moore (Co-PI at the U of U). 2017-2018. "Life Space Mobility and Aging in Place." *National Institute for Transportation and Communities (NITC)*, \$54,870 for the U of U as P.I. out of \$99,764 with Portland State University (PSU).
29. García, I. (Consultant) 2016. "Kearns and Community Engagement." *Sorenson Impact Center*, \$10,000.
30. Greenlee, A. (P.I. at University of Illinois Urbana Champaign), Jackson, A. (Co-PI at the University of Florida), and García, I. (Co-PI at the U of U), Chrisinger, B. (University of Oxford) and Lee, A. (University of

- Oklahoma) 2016-2017. “ACSP-POCIG Student Climate Survey.” *Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP)*, \$10,000.
31. García, I. (P.I.) 2016-2017. “Front Runner Tech Transfer.” *National Institute for Transportation and Communities (NITC)*, \$29,193 (did not write the grant).
 32. García, I. (P.I.). 2016-2017. “Active and Public Transportation Connectivity between North Temple Transit Oriented Development (TOD) and the Jordan Park River Trail.” *National Institute for Transportation and Communities (NITC) Small Starts*, \$14,642.
 33. García, I., 2014-2015. “Latinos in Illinois.” *Illinois Latino Family Commission*, \$100,000.
 34. Cintrón, R. (PI), García, I., and M. Palacios. 2011-2012. “60-Years of Puerto Rican Migration.” *Chicago Community Trust* \$25,000.
 35. Cintrón, R. (PI), García, I., and M. Palacios. 2011-2012. “60-Years of Puerto Rican Migration.” *Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC) Chicago*, \$10,000.
 36. Cintrón, R. (PI), García, I., and M. Palacios. 2011-2012. “60-Years of Puerto Rican Migration.” Institute for Research on Race & Public Policy, \$10,000.
 37. Wright, M. (Director), M. Madriz (Planner), and I. García (Planner). 2009-2010. “Sustainable Communities Grant for the Concord Naval Weapons Station Reuse Plan.” *Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG)*, \$700,000.

Internal to the University of Utah

Total Awards: 10—\$165,653

Awards Attributable to Candidate: 3—\$83,224

1. Wei, D. (Co-P.I.), Wen, M. (Co-P.I.), and García, I. (Co-P.I.), 2021-2022, “Park Use during COVID-19.” Interdisciplinary Exchange for Utah Science (NEXUS) Pilot Grant Program, \$20,000.
2. Greer, V. (Co-P.I.), Agutter, J. (Co-P.I.), Canham, S. (Co-P.I.), García, I. (Co-P.I.), and Hong A (Co-P.I.), 2020-2021, “From Sheltered in Place to Thriving in Place: Dimensions of Aging in the “Right” Place during the Pandemic.” *Scholarship Incentive Program*, \$20,000.
3. Chandrasekhar, D. (Co-P.I.), I. García (Co-PI), and D. Mendoza (Co-PI). 2020-2021. “Effectiveness of Multi-Hazard Response Planning for Concurrent Disasters (Case Study COVID-19 and Post-Earthquake Response in the Salt Lake City Metro Region).” *VPR’s Office COVID Seed Grant*, \$25,000.
4. Curtis, D. S. (Co-P.I.), I. García (Co-P.I.), C. Hodge (Co-P.I.), K. Rathunde (Co-P.I.), and B. Brown (Co-P.I.). 2019-2020. “Leveraging the Zoo, Arts, and Parks Summer Passport Program to Promote Physical Activity and Human Development.” *NEXUS Expedition Grant*, \$20,000, with the Department of Family and Consumer Studies.
5. Fischer, O. (Co-P.I.), J. Galarza (Co-P.I.), L., Henry (Co-P.I.), D. Yee (Co-PI), S. Yusaf (Co-P.I.), I. García (Co-P.I.), and F. Taylor (Co-P.I.). 2019-2020. “Research Center for Global Citizenship in Architecture & Planning.” *Scholarship Incentive Program (SIP)*, \$15,000, with the Architecture Department.
6. Fischer, O. (Co-P.I.), J. Galarza (Co-P.I.), L., Henry (Co-P.I.), D. Yee (Co-P.I.), S. Yusaf (Co-P.I.), I. García (Co-P.I.), and F. Taylor (Co-P.I.) 2019-2020. “Partnerships with Utah’s First Nations for Reinvigorating Community Engaged Scholarship, Learning, and Design Build (Bluff/Utah).” *Community Engaged Scholarship (CES)*, \$3,000, with the Architecture Department.
7. Chandrasekhar, D. (Co-P.I.), and I. García (Co-P.I.). 2018-2019. “Building Community Networks to Promote Disaster Recovery in San Juan Metro, Puerto Rico.” *CAP SIP Intramural Grant*, \$10,000.
8. García, I. (P.I.), 2017-2018, “Homeless Again: Why Households Return to the Shelter.” *VPR’s Office Seed Grant*, \$27,120.
9. García, I. (P.I.), 2016-2017, “Puerto Ricans in Illinois.” University Research Committee (URC) Faculty Research & Creative Grant Proposal, \$5,960.
10. García, I. (P.I.), 2016-2017, “Neighborhood Change.” *Community Engaged Research Grant*, \$19,573.

KEYNOTE & INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Public Policy Audiences

1. Panelist, “Disaster Displacement, Migration, and Relocation,” Natural Hazard Center Workshop, Denver, CO. July 10, 2023.
2. Facilitator, Asset-Based Community Development Institute, “ABCD and Gentrification,” February 1, 2023.

3. Guest Panelist, Small Business Anti-Displacement Network Conference, “Anti-Displacement Case Studies Spotlight #1,” November 9, 2022.
4. Guest Panelist, National Science Foundation (NSF), Office of Equity and Civil Rights and Latinx Employee Heritage Month Observance Panel, “The Important Distinction Between the Terms Hispanic and Latino.” October 13, 2022.
5. Presenter, Engaging Diverse Communities in Utah, Salt Lake City, International Association of Public Participation, Utah, September 15, 2022.
6. Presenter, Students Voice, Dallas Board of Education, Dallas, TX, August 5, 2022.
7. Panelists, Reimagining Transit: Gender Equity and Public Transit, Utah Transportation Authority, Salt Lake City, UT, April 28, 2022.
8. Keynote Speaker, Housing and Transportation Equity: Listening to the voices of older adults, people of color, and those experiencing homelessness, City of Tucson Department of Transportation and Mobility (DTM), 2nd Annual Moving Tucson Summit on Friday, May 6, 2022.
9. Equity in Planning Departments and Academia, National American Planning Association, April 19, 2021
10. Eviction Research, Utah Housing Coalition, Salt Lake City, Utah, Feb 12, 2021.
11. Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis of The Risk of Shelter Exit and Return Among Families Participating in the Rapid Rehousing Program, Salt Lake Valley Coalition to End Homelessness Crisis Core Group, Salt Lake City, Utah, July 21, 2020.
12. An Exploration of The Road Home Rapid Rehousing Program in Salt Lake County: Qualitative Analysis, Road Home, Salt Lake City, Utah, December 18, 2020.
13. Decolonizing Praxis and the Puerto Rican Struggle: The Legacy of José Lopez, Chicago, IL, November 1, 2019.
14. Remembering Hurricane Maria: Where are we two years later? National Low-Income Housing Coalition, Washington, DC, September 26, 2019. <https://youtu.be/HQSHo2ymqA0>.
15. Networking Among Non-Profits to Build Disaster Recovery Capacity in Puerto Rico. Center for Puerto Rican Studies Conference, IdeaComún, Interamerican University of Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR, August 7, 2019.
16. National Institute for Transportation and Communities (NITC), Webinar: Aging in Place: Improving Mobility for Older Adults, July 24, 2019, <https://nitc.trec.pdx.edu/events/professional-development/webinar-07242019>.
17. Latinos in Planning Webinar Series, Planning Home and the Latino Home, July 23, 2019, <https://www.planning.org/events/eventsingle/9178631/>.
18. Workshop Development Professional and Organizational Capabilities for Social Entrepreneurship and Reconstruction, Principles of Post-disaster Planning for Economic Recovery, Association de Industriales de Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR, April 23, 2019.
19. Moderator, Recovery Plan: Economic Development and Infrastructure, a Conversation with Raúl Santiago Bartolomei and Luis García Pelatti, Society for Puerto Rican Planners, University of Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR, November 15, 2018.
20. Social Entrepreneurship and Reconstruction Symposium, What is Capacity Building and Community Development Corporation (CDC) 101, Asociación de Industriales de Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR, October 6, 2018.
21. Rebuild Puerto Rico Planning Meeting, Capacity Building Concept, Planning Department, University of Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR, August 5, 2018.
22. Housing Summit 2018, Strengthening the Puerto Rican and Latino Presence in Chicago, ChiArts, Chicago, IL, June 15, 2018.
23. Puerto Rico, Puerto Ricans Diaspora Summit III, Silberman School of Social Work, Hunter’s College, New York City, NY, May 12, 2018.
24. Preserving Our Home, Community, and Culture, PechaKucha Event Vol. 24, State Room, Salt Lake City, UT, March 30, 2018, <https://www.pechakucha.org/presentations/preserving-our-homes-community-and-culture>.
25. Building Resilient Communities: A Plan to Survive and Thrive, State of Utah, and the Utah Chapter of the Earthquake Engineering Research Institute, Salt Lake City, UT, February 9, 2018.
26. Upward Mobility and Access to Opportunity: The Key to the Prosperity of our Region, Wasatch Choice 2050 + Mayor’s Metro Solutions, Salt Lake City, UT, January 23, 2018.
27. Panel on Housing, Puerto Rican Studies Association, Silberman School of Social Work 2180 Third Avenue (119th Street), New York City, NY, October 28, 2017. <https://centrop.r.hunter.cuny.edu/events-news/events/conferences/puerto-ricopuerto-ricans/prsa-program>.
28. Developing Diverse Communities, Panel Discussion. Urban Land Institute, Park City, UT, November 10, 2016. <http://utah.uli.org/event/trends-2017-economy-environment-crossroad/>.

29. How Gentrification Changes the Culture and Values of a Neighborhood, and How Community Development and Housing Policy Can Lessen These Impacts, Opening Key Speaker, Utah's Housing Coalition, Salt Lake City, UT, October 17, 2016.
http://www.utahhousing.org/uploads/2/6/4/4/26444747/2016_registration_packet_final.pdf
30. Community Outreach & Engagement, Kearns Steering Committee, Kearns, UT, March 3, 2016.
31. Making the Case for Change: Latinos in Illinois, Presented at the Hispanic Housing Development Corporation, Chicago, IL, October 4, 2014.
32. On Logan Square Gentrification, Presented at the Logan Square Neighborhood Association, Chicago, IL, September 11, 2014.
33. Making the Case for Change: Latinos in Illinois, University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) Forum, Chicago, IL, September 10, 2014.
34. The Puerto Rican Agenda Legislative Priorities, Hispanic Housing Development Corporation, Chicago, IL, August 12, 2014.
35. The Puerto Rican Movement in the U.S. How Puerto Ricans Preserve Cultural Traditions and Political Voice, Presented at Diálogo de Costa a Costa Television Show, Brooklyn, NY, June 12, 2013.
36. Puerto Ricans in Chicago and the Humboldt Park Community, Presented at St. Joseph Services, Chicago IL, May 4, 2013.
37. Community Summit "Taking Charge of Our Future," Roberto Clemente H.S, Chicago, IL, December 1, 2012.
38. Legislative Summit, Norwegian American Hospital, Chicago, IL, November 16, 2012.
39. Open to All?, A report of the Nathalie P. Voorhees Center for Neighborhood and Community Improvement. Presented to the Evanston Community Foundation at Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, April 13, 2011.

Academic Audiences

External

1. Household Water Insecurity and Depression Symptoms Among Individuals Exposed to Hurricanes Maria and Fiona, Construction Research Congress 2024.
2. An Examination of the Repair, Relocation, and Reconstruction Program (R3), Emerging Poverty Scholars Meeting, Washington, DC, Meeting, May 2023.
3. Uncovering the potential for Asset-Based Community Development, Foundation of Research and PhD Workshop, CAPP graduate students at University of Texas-Arlington, October 31, 2022.
4. Housing and Climate Change, Institute for Research on Poverty, October 12, 2022.
5. Fiona Hits Puerto Rico Five Year After Maria: About Emergency Response and Recovery, Friday Forum, The Coalition of Urban Planning PhD Students (CUPPS), Friday Forum, Urban Planning & Policy, University of Illinois at Chicago, September 23, 2022.
6. Stories of Neighborhood Change and Asset Mapping, Community Engagement in Planning, University of Utah, September 12, 2022.
7. POCIG & ACSP Administrators workshop on Diversity Survey, May 14, 2021.
8. ABCD as a Tool for Leaders to Increase their Community Power, Community Service Studies, De Paul University, October 26, 2020.
9. Post-disaster Recovery, Department of Urban and Regional Planning, College of Social Sciences and Public Policy, Florida State University, October 22, 2020.
10. An ABCD Framework for the North Star Legacy Communities Project, Department of Urban and Regional Planning, College of Social Sciences and Public Policy, Florida State University, September 23, 2020.
11. Small Non-profits and Disaster Recovery Capacity in Puerto Rico, Department of Regional Planning, UMass Amherst, September 17, 2020.
12. Networking Among Non-profits to Build Disaster Recovery Capacity in Puerto Rico, School of City and Regional Planning, Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA, November 9, 2019.
13. 25th Annual Pa'Lante, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, On My Book, Creative Process, and Academic History, April 19, 2019.
14. In Pursuit of Puerto Rican Studies Research Summit, Academic Research After Maria, University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL, April 17, 2019.
15. Hispanic Graduate Student Association, Florida State University, On Puerto Rico's Recovery: Participation, Housing, and Economic Development, Tallahassee, FL, April 5, 2019.
16. Florida State University, Plans for Shaping the Future of Puerto Rico, PR, April 4, 2019.
17. Unnatural Disaster, GSAPP, Columbia University, New York City, NY, November 9, 2018.

18. Latin American Studies Department Convocation, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, May 11, 2018.
19. Opportunity for Latinos through Community Development, Engaging and Public Policy, Political Science Department, De Paul University, Chicago, IL, February 5, 2018.
20. Equity, Leadership and Community Participation, Two-day Workshop (12-hours), Graduate School of Architecture, Guadalajara, Mexico, November 25-26, 2017. <https://es.eventhint.com/eventos/15479111/taller-equidad-liderazgo-y-participacion-comunitaria>.
21. Transformative Community Planning: Empowerment through Community Development, Public Conference, Graduate School of Architecture, Guadalajara, Mexico, November 24, 2017. <https://cronicadesociales.org/2016/11/22/conferencia-planificacion-comunitaria-transformadora/>.
22. Puerto Rico, Puerto Ricans, and its 4 Ds: Debt, Devastation, Displacement but not Dissolution, Latino Planning Org for Development, Education & Regeneration, University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago IL, November 11, 2017.

Internal

1. Looking Back to Look Forward: Hurricane Fiona hits Puerto Rico Five Years After Maria, Hazard Reduction and Recovery Center, Texas A&M University, September 28, 2022.
2. Can You Build a Better Utah? Addressing Utah's Housing Crisis, Hinckley Institute of Politics, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, March 16, 2021.
3. Exploring Alternatives to Hyper-centralized Disaster Recovery Programs in Puerto Rico and Beyond, Ecological Planning in Cities (EPIC), Center for Ecological Planning and Design (CEPD), University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, September 4, 2019.
4. Toxic: A Conversation on Environmental Racism, a conversation with Tara Houska and Nayyirah Shariff, Salt Lake City, UT, January 17, 2018.
5. On Neoliberalism, Presented for Advance Planning Theory at the Department of Urban Planning and Policy, University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago, IL, April 19, 2013.
6. 60 Years After Migration: The State of Puerto Rican Chicagoland, Presented at Friday Forum at the Department of Urban Planning and Policy, University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago, IL, February 15, 2013.
7. Contemporary Issues, Policy Recommendations, and the Puerto Rican Community, Presented for the Policy, Ethnicity, & Race Group at the Institute for Research on Race and Public Policy, University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago, IL, February 5, 2013.
8. Peer Mentoring for Graduates of Color Research Symposium, Panelist, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, May 2007.

CONFERENCES

Peer-reviewed Proceedings

1. Preventing small business displacement in gentrifying neighborhoods: Lessons from communities in the U.S. and beyond, 2023 ACSP 63rd Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, October 19-21, 2024.
2. Why homeowners with relocation assistance cannot find a replacement home after Hurricane Maria in Puerto Rico?, 2023 ACSP 63rd Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, October 19-21, 2024.
3. Contribution of Ocean Wastewater Disposal to Contamination in a Coastal City during Storms, World Environmental & Water Resources, Henderson, NV, May 21-24, 2023.
4. Public Mistrust of Drinking Water Quality in Puerto Rico Post Hurricane Maria, AIWEST-DR 2022.
5. They're Just Trying to Survive: The Relationship Between Social Vulnerability, Informal Housing, and Environmental Risks in Loiza, Puerto Rico, USA, 2022 ACSP 62nd Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario, November 3-6, 2022.
6. Water Quality Risk Perceptions and Adaptations in Puerto Rico Post-Hurricane Maria, 14th Aceh International Workshop and Expo on Sustainable Tsunami Disaster Recovery, September 29-30, 2022.
7. Who visited parks and trails more or less during the COVID-19 pandemic, and why?: A mixed-methods study, CELA 2022 Annual Conference, March 16, 2022
8. Socioeconomic and Housing Vulnerability's Role in Decision Time for Reconstruction in Puerto Rico after Hurricane Maria, Construction Research Congress, March 7, 2022.
9. Assessing psychological resilience of older adults in Puerto Rico exposed to water access and quality risks after Hurricane Maria, 2022 AEESP Conference, 28-30 June 2022.
10. Asset-based Community Development Training, 2021 Utah American Planning Association (APA) Conference, September 9, 2021.

11. Confronting Racist Planning Practices in the Workplace and Communities, 2021 National Planning Conference (NPC) American Planning Association (APA), May 6, 2021.
12. On the Outside Looking In: Latinx and African American Student Perspectives on Community-engaged Courses at Predominantly White Institutions in Planning Education, Paper Presenter, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 60th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario Canada, November 4-8, 2020.
13. The Spatial Relationship Between Eviction Filings, Neighborhood Characteristics, And Proximity to The Central Business District: A Case Study of Salt Lake County, Utah, Presenter: Keuntae Kim, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 60th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario Canada, November 4-8, 2020.
14. Asset-Based Community Development 101, Workshop Presenter, Engaged Faculty Retreat, Heber City, UT, February 20-22, 2020.
15. Equity in Planning & Policy Panel, Panelist, Utah American Planning Association (APA), Sandy, UT, October 3, 2019.
16. How Can Abandoned Properties in San Juan, Puerto Rico Become Opportunities for Affordable Housing Projects in the Post-Maria Reconstruction Environment, Paper Presenter, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 59th Annual Conference, Greenville, SC, October 24-27, 2018.
17. Diversity Dialogue Roundtable: Addressing Challenges of Bias and Discrimination in Planning Education, Roundtable Participant, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 59th Annual Conference, Greenville, SC, October 24-27, 2018.
18. Homelessness and Urban Planning, Roundtable Participant, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 59th Annual Conference, Greenville, SC, October 24-27, 2018.
19. Capacity Building Among Non-Profits in Puerto Rico, Department of Regional Planning, University of Massachusetts at Amherst, September 17, 2020.
20. Convergence: Coming Together to Improve Hazards and Disaster Research, Practice, and Policy, Roundtable Participant, 44th Annual Natural Hazards Research and Applications Workshop, Natural Hazard Center, Broomfield, CO, July 16, 2019.
21. Networking Among Non-profits to Build Disaster Recovery Capacity in Puerto Rico, 44th Annual Natural Hazards Research and Applications Workshop, Natural Hazard Center, Presenter: Divya Chandrasekhar, Broomfield, CO, July 16, 2019.
22. New Research About Puerto Rican Women: Island and Diaspora Perspectives, Paper Presenter, Society for the Anthropology of North America (SANA), San Juan, PR, May 4, 2019.
23. Spatializing Puerto Rico: Diaspora, Territory, Culture, Paper Presenter, Society for the Anthropology of North America (SANA), San Juan, PR, May 3, 2019.
24. Why Do Family Households Return to Homeless Shelters? A Case Study of Salt Lake City, Utah, Urban Affairs Conference (UAA), Presenter: Keuntae Kim, Los Angeles, CA, April 26, 2019.
25. Puerto Rican Community Organizations and Disaster Recovery: The View from San Juan, Presenter, Midwest Sociological Society (MSS), Chicago, IL, April 17, 2019.
26. Pedestrians and Equity in Latino Communities, Panelist, 2019 National Planning Conference (NPC) American Planning Association (APA), San Francisco, CA, April 15, 2019.
27. Everyday Racism: What Planners Can Do, Panelist, 2019 National Planning Conference (NPC) American Planning Association (APA), San Francisco, CA, April 14, 2019.
28. Chicago Dice Presente y Responde: Community Mobilization in the Aftermath of Irma and Maria, Paper Presenter, Puerto Rican Studies Association (PRSA), Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, October 26-28, 2018.
29. Puerto Ricans and Hurricane Maria: Reconstructing Ownership After the Storm, Paper Presenter, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 58th Annual Conference, Buffalo, NY, October 25-28, 2018.
30. Aging in Place: From Private Porches to Inclusive Communities, AIA Conference in Architecture, New York City, NY, June 23, 2018.
31. Development Without Gentrification, American Planning Association (APA), New Orleans, LA, April 21-24, 2018.
32. Actively Engaging Latinos in Planning, American Planning Association (APA), New Orleans, LA, April 21-24, 2018.
33. Promoting Diversity and Inclusive Communities, American Planning Association (APA), New Orleans, LA, April 21-24, 2018.
34. Historic Preservation, Community Development, and School Closures: A Case Study of a Teacher's Village in Chicago, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), Denver, CO, October 12-17, 2017.

35. Housing Issues and Uneven Development Linked to Demographic Changes, Utah, American Planning Association (APA), Park City, UT, October 6-7, 2017.
36. Planning for and with Racially and Ethnically Diverse Communities, American Planning Association (APA), New York City, NY, May 6-9, 2017.
37. Cultural Competency in Planning, American Planning Association (APA), New York City, NY, May 6-9, 2017.
38. Facilitated Dialogue on Leadership and Planning, American Planning Association (APA), New York City, NY, May 6-9, 2017.
39. Active and Public Transportation Connectivity between North Temple TOD and Jordan Park River Trail, Utah Campus Compact Engaged Faculty Retreat, Moab, UT, February 9-11, 2017.
40. Sharing Homeland but Not Home: Insider-Outsider ethnographers in Puerto Rican Chicago, Ethnographic and Qualitative Research Conference, Las Vegas, NV, January 30-31, 2017.
41. Leadership as Praxis: A Model for Small-Scale Urban Interventions and Community Organizing Among Latino Immigrants, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP), Portland, OR, November 3-6, 2016.
42. Puerto Rican Women Leaders, Latina/o Studies Association Conference, Pasadena, CA, July 7-9, 2016.
1. Los Cambios No Son Para Nosotros [The Changes Are Not for Us]”: Puerto Rican Elderhood in the Age of Gentrification, Latin American Studies Association (LASA), New York City, NY, May 27-30, 2016.
2. Essential Tools for Building Inclusive Communities, Paper Presenter, 2016 National Planning Conference (NPC) Association Planning Association (APA), Phoenix, AZ, April 5, 2016.
3. Westside Studio, Presenter, Latinos in Action Youth Leadership Conference, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, April 1, 2016.
4. Understanding Leadership in Community Development Theory and Practice, Paper Presenter, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 54th Annual Conference, Houston, TX, October 22-25, 2015.
5. Driving Mobility and Creative Urban Interventions, Paper Presenter, Latin American Studies Association (LASA), San Juan, PR, May 27-30, 2015.
6. Community as a Campus: Community-driven Educational Transformation, Paper Presenter, Second City Anthropology Conference, Loyola University, Chicago, IL, March 8, 2014.
7. On the Move to the South: Puerto Rico’s Debt Crisis and Migration to Florida, Paper Presenter, Urban Affairs Association (UAA), Miami, FL, April 8-11, 2014.
8. Narrative, Voice, Authorship: Interview Responses Read As Text, Paper Presenter, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Philadelphia, PA, October 30-November 2, 2014.
9. Puerto Rican Women: A Socioeconomic Portrait, Paper Presenter, Puerto Rican Studies Association (PRSA) 11th Biennial Conference, Denver, CO, October 23-26, 2014.
10. Paseo Boricua: Alternative Regimes of Ownership, Paper Presenter, Puerto Rican Studies Association (PRSA) 11th Biennial Conference, Denver, CO, October 23-26, 2014.
11. Paseo Boricua: Alternative Regimes of Ownership, Paper Presenter, Urban Affairs Association (UAA) 44th Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX, March 21, 2014.
12. Puerto Rican and Mexican Women in Chicago: A Socio-demographic Analysis of the 2008 Recession, Paper Presenter, Global Women’s Work in Transition Author’s Conference, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, September 24-26, 2014.
13. Housing as a Social Process, Paper Presenter, Association of American Geographers (AAG) Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, April 13, 2013.
14. Between Two Flags: Paseo Boricua, Humboldt Park, and the Puerto Rican Experience in Chicago, Paper Presenter, Urban Affairs Association (UAA) 42nd Annual Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, April 19, 2012.
15. Between Two Flags: Paseo Boricua, Humboldt Park, and the Puerto Rican Experience in Chicago, Paper Presenter, 14th Annual Chicago Ethnography Conference, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, April 14, 2012.
16. Between Two Flags: Paseo Boricua, Humboldt Park, and the Puerto Rican Experience in Chicago, Paper Presenter, Second City Anthropology Conference, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, March 9, 2014.
17. Housing and the Reproduction of Everyday Life, Paper Presenter, Second City Anthropology Conference, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, March 9, 2013.
18. Residential Choice and Stability in Chicago: A Comparison of CHA Tenant Vouchers and Trust Fund Property, Paper Presenter, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 53rd Annual Conference, Cincinnati, OH, November 12, 2012.
19. A Comparative Study of the Socioeconomic Status of Puerto Ricans, Paper Presenter, Puerto Rican Studies Association (PRSA) 10th Biennial Conference, Albany, NY, October 26, 2012.

20. Waukegarican: Puerto Ricans in Waukegan, Paper Presenter, 75th Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society (MSS), Minneapolis, MN, March 29, 2012.
21. Rent and the Reproduction of Everyday Life, Paper Presenter, Second City Anthropology Conference, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, March 3, 2012.
22. A Brief History of the U.S. Home Mortgage Market: Delineating the Neoliberal Turn, Paper Presenter, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 52nd Annual Conference, Salt Lake City, UT, October 16, 2011.
23. Illustrating the Shift from Keynesianism to Neoliberalism in the U.S. Home Mortgage Market, Paper Presenter, Annual Transnational Sociology Workshop: Credit, Mortgages, and Derivatives: Understanding the Global Financial Crisis, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Springfield, IL, November 12, 2011.

Non-Referred Conference Presentations

1. Exploring the Experiences of Homeowners in the Reconstruction Program in Puerto Rico, Natural Hazard Center Workshop, Denver, CO. July 10, 2023.
2. Community Engaged Learning + Research Pathway, Civic Leadership Conference, Bennion Center, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, November 19, 2022.
3. Promoting Diversity and Inclusion in the Planning Academy Through Intersectionality Among Interest Groups Hosted by the ACSP Committee on Diversity, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 61st Annual Conference, All Virtual Conference, October 21, 2021.
4. Roundtable: Creating Equitable and Inclusive Classrooms Hosted by FWIG, GPEIG, Inclusion, POCIG, and the ACSP Student Governing Board Representatives, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 61st Annual Conference, All Virtual Conference, October 23, 2021.
5. Active Community Engagement and Awareness for Inclusive Cities: Coping with Current and Future Pandemics: Fifth International Conference on Learning Cities, Song Do, South Korea, October 29, 2021.
6. Preparing for the Academic Job Market, Speaker, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 60th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario Canada, November 4-8, 2020.
7. Recovery for Everyone: Socioeconomic Impacts of Disasters, Resilience Workshop, Cottonwood Heights, UT, February 9, 2018.
8. Pedestrian Safety for Our Most Vulnerable and at Risk, Utah Pedestrian Summit, West Jordan, UT, November 30, 2017.
9. Preparing for the Job Market, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Denver, CO, October 13, 2017.
10. Gentrification in Vieques, Puerto Rico, Paper Presenter, New Mexico American Planning Association (APA), Sandia Resort and Casino, Albuquerque, NM, April 19, 2007.
11. Gentrification in Vieques, Puerto Rico, Paper Presenter, Graduate Student Association Conference, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, August 24, 2005.
12. Navajo Nation Sand Water Filter, Presenter, Workforce for Environmental Restoration in Communities (WERC) Environmental Design Contest, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, NM, May 4, 2005.
13. Population Study of Calisto Nubila, Paper Presenter, XII Symposium of Natural Wildlife, University of Sacred Heart, Santurce, PR, April 23, 2002.
14. Population Study of Calisto Nubila, Paper Presenter, McNair Research Conference, Inter American University, San Germán, PR, November 10, 2001.

Refereed Conference Panels & Roundtables

1. Diversity in Planning Profession and Education, 2022 ACSP 62nd Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario, November 3-6, 2022.
2. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion: What have we learned? A Roundtable discussion from a minority faculty perspective, 2022 ACSP 62nd Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario, November 3-6, 2022.
3. Pre-organized Session: Responding to Climate Induced Displacement as a Pathway to Climate Justice, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 61st Annual Conference, All Virtual Conference, October 7, 2021.
4. Roundtable: Zoning for Equity: A New Multi-Campus Course Aiming to Undo Exclusionary Zoning, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 61st Annual Conference, All Virtual Conference, October 23, 2021.
5. Roundtable: Zoning for Equity: A New Multi-Campus Course Aiming to Undo Exclusionary Zoning, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 61st Annual Conference, All Virtual Conference, October 23, 2021.

6. Cultural Insights for Planners: Understanding the Terms Hispanic, Latino, and Latinx, Organizer and Moderator, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 60th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario Canada, November 4-8, 2020.
7. ACSP roundtable on Disaster Relocation, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 60th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario Canada, November 4-8, 2020.
8. Transnational University-Community Collaborations for Post-Disaster Recovery: Research, Education and Engagement, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 60th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario Canada, November 4-8, 2020.
9. Cultural Insights for Planners: Understanding the Terms Hispanic, Latino, and Latinx, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 60th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, November 4-8, 2020.
10. Post-disaster Housing Reconstruction and Redevelopment: Case studies from the Philippines, Puerto Rico, Florida, and Texas, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 59th Annual Conference, Greenville, SC, October 24-27, 2019.
11. Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion in Planning & Urban Studies Departments (Roundtable Participant), Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Buffalo, NY, October 25-28, 2018.
12. Organizing Community and Nonprofit Networks for Community Rebuilding, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 58th Annual Conference, Buffalo, NY, October 25-28, 2018.
13. Planning for a Just, Equitable, and Sustainable Recovery, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 58th Annual Conference, Buffalo, NY, October 25-28, 2018.
14. Sixty Years After Migration: The State of Puerto Rican Chicagoland, 76th Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society, Chicago, IL, February 25, 2013.

TEACHING

COURSE INSTRUCTION & DEVELOPMENT

Instructor in Higher Education

Texas A&M University

Landscape Architecture & Urban Planning

Fall 2024

- PLAN 661-600 Communications in Planning (15 students)
- PLAN 664-600 Planning Theory and History (19 students)
- PLAN 684-620 Professional Internship (11 students)

Summer 2024

- PLAN 684-620 Professional Internship (3 students)

Spring 2024

- URPN 493 URSC Capstone Course (22 students, 4 out of 5)
- PLAN 684-620 Professional Internship (1 student)
- PLAN 693-602 Professional Study (1 student)

Fall 2023

- PLAN 661-600 Communications in Planning (15 students, 4 out of 5)
- PLAN 684-620 Professional Internship (1 student)

University of Utah

City and Metropolitan Planning, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT

Fall 2015

- CMP 4030/6430 Planning Communication (14 students, 5.75 out of 6)
- CMP 4030/6030 Leadership and Community Engagement (10 students, 5.57 out of 6)

Spring 2016

- CMP 4280/6280 Westside Studio (12 students, 4.83 out of 6)

Summer 2016

- CMP 4960/6960 Chicago LAB (11 students, 3.93 out of 6)

Fall 2016

- CMP 4030/6430 Planning Communication (12 students 5.0 out of 6)
- CMP 4030/6030 Leadership and Community Engagement (7 students, 5.25 out of 6)

Spring 2017

- CMP 4280/6280 Westside Studio (5 students, 5.0 out of 6)
- CMP 4960 Westside Leadership Institute (17 students, 5.0 out of 6)

Fall 2017

- CMP 4030/6430 Planning Communication (19 students, 4.13 out of 6)
- CMP 4030/6030 Leadership and Community Engagement (10 students, 4.62 out of 6)

Summer 2017

- CMP 4960/6960 Chicago LAB (7 students, 5.0 out of 6)

Spring 2018

- CMP 4280/6280 Westside Studio (15 students, 4.23 out of 6)
- CMP 4960 Westside Leadership Institute (18 students, 6.0 out of 6)

Fall 2019

- CMP 6430 Community Engagement in Planning (14 students, 4.22 out of 6)

Spring 2020

- CMP 4280/6280 Westside Studio (9 students, 5.64 out of 6)

Fall 2020

- CMP 6430 Community Engagement in Planning (23 students, 5.51 out of 6)

Summer 2021

- CMP 4280/6280 Puerto Rico Resiliency Lab (13 students, scores no longer used by the U of U)

Spring 2021

- CMP 4280/6280 Westside Studio (23 students, scores no longer used by the U of U)
- CMP 4030/6030 Leadership and Community Engagement (10 students, scores no longer used by the U of U)
- CMP 4960 Westside Leadership Institute (12 students, scores no longer used by the U of U)

Spring 2022

- CMP 4280/6280 Westside Studio (15 students, scores no longer used by the U of U)

Summer 2022

- CMP 4280/6280 Puerto Rico Resiliency Lab (7 students, scores no longer used by the U of U)

Architecture Department, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT

ARCH 4968/4960 ChicagoLAB: Summer 2016 & 2018 (cross-listed with CMP 4960/6960)

Undergraduate Studies, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT

UGS 4820 Undergraduate Capstone Course: Summer 2016 & 2018 (cross-listed with CMP 4960/6960)

Center University of New York

Continuing Education Program at Hunter's College, Center University of New York, NYC, NY

ICC 103 How to Start or Transform a Nonprofit Organization into a Community Economic Development Corporation: Online Course 2020

University of Illinois

Urban Planning and Policy, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL

US 101 Introduction to Urban Studies

- Fall 2013 (27 students, 4.15 out of 5 scale)
- Spring 2014 (scores not available)

Teacher Assistant

University of Illinois

Urban Planning and Policy, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL
US 205 Cinema and the City: Fall 2012 and Spring 2013

University of New Mexico

School of Architecture and Planning, Albuquerque, NM

CRP 500 Planning Theory and Practice: Fall 2005 & Spring 2006
CRP 403/503 Community Based Practice: Fall 2005 & Spring 2006
CRP 435/535 Community Economics: Fall 2005 & Spring 2006
CRP 413/513 Qualitative Research Methods: Fall 2005 & Spring 2006

Central New Mexico Community College, Albuquerque, NM

SUST 1134 Introduction to Sustainability Studies: Fall 2004 & Spring 2005

Inter-American University

UP 174 Upward Bound Biology Secondary Education Laboratory: Fall 2003 & Spring 2004
SPAN 107A Spanish Laboratory: Fall 2000 to Spring 2002

Service-Learning Community Partner

Community Brigades Service-Learning, University of Missouri, Springfield, MO

SRV 3028 Global Service to Grupo Latino Americano: Fall 2009 & Spring 2010

Mt. Diablo Unified School District

Academy of Construction, Manufacturing, and Engineering, Concord, CA

SP 9030 Concord Naval Weapons Station Studio Course: Fall 2008

Professional Certifications

Professional Certification for the Reconstruction of Puerto Rico is provided by the Fundación Comunitaria de Puerto Rico (FCPR) and Hunter College supported by the Department of the Housing in Puerto Rico through CDBG-DR funds

How to transform a low-profit organization (OSFL) into a community development corporation (CDC):
Summer 2024, 3 sessions (100 students)

Asset Based Community Development (ABCD): Summer 2024, 3 sessions (81 students)

Other Teaching Experience

Berlitz International Institute, San Francisco, CA

SPN 202 Intermediate Spanish: Fall 2007, Spring 2008 & Summer 2008

Guest Lectures for Courses

1. Human Ecology and Its Influence in Urban Theory and Housing Policy in the United States, URSC 631, Foundations for Planning Thought, Texas A&M University, September 12, 2022.
2. On Asset Based Community Development, Civic Leadership Class, Bennion Center, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, September 13, 2022.
3. Climate Survey, Spring 2022-UP 501-Planning History and Theory-Section D, April 20, 2022.
4. ABCD 101, Civic Leadership Class, Bennion Center, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, April 26, 2022.
5. Place-it and Thriving in Place, AIA COTE Top Ten Competition for Students: SLC Urban Trailhead+Equity Engagement Center, Architecture and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, March 30, 2022.
6. On Thriving in Place and Just Recovery, The Just City, City & Metropolitan Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, March 18, 2022.
7. Overview of Puerto Rico Disaster Recovery, Architecture and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, April 9, 2021.
8. Three Plans for Puerto Rico, Architecture and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, March 23, 2021.
9. Case Studies, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, February 22, 2021.
10. Interview Guides, Architecture and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, February 17, 2021.
11. Video Ethics and Tips, Architecture and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, February 11, 2021.
12. Neighborhood Diversity, Architecture and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, October 23, 2020.

13. Puerto Rico Status of Recovery After Hurricanes Irma, Maria, and Earthquakes, Global Sustainability, Environmental Education, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, March 31, 2020.
14. Intro to ABCD for Civic Leadership Class, Bennion Center, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, March 31, 2020, and November 18, 2019.
15. What a Just Recovery Would Look Like in Puerto Rico? The Just City, City & Metropolitan Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, February 25, 2020.
16. ABCD Workshop for Bennion Center Faculty, Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, September 25, 2019.
17. Hurricane Maria in P.R. and the Role Planning is Playing in Recovery, Planning for Disaster and Environmental Change, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, January 31, 2019.
18. ABCD and Community Engagement, Design Context, Architecture and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, March 26, 2018.
19. Paint the Pavement, Design Context, Architecture, and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2020 and 2021.
20. The ChicagoLAB Experience, Public Interest Design, Architecture, and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, September 7, 2017.
21. On Ethnography, Environmental Justice and Participatory Action Research, March 28, 2017.
22. Community Engagement, Culture and the Design of Paseo, Public Interest Design, Architecture and Planning, Salt Lake City, UT, October 25, 2016.
23. Puerto Rican Immigration and the Humboldt Park Ethnic Enclave, Sophomore Seminar on Multiculturalism: The Immigrant Experience in America at De Paul University, Chicago, IL, October 9, 2014.
24. Puerto Rican Chicago. Presented for the Puerto Rican Chicago Course at Latin American Studies, DePaul University, Chicago, IL, September 12, 2012.
25. Latinos in the Mid-west. Presented for Human Diversity Class at the School of Professional Psychology at the Forest Institute, Springfield, MO, October 2009.

TEACHING INNOVATION

1. Promoting Active Learning Course, Texas A&M University System Instructional Excellence Project (Spring 2023)
2. Center for Teaching and Learning Excellence (CTLE) Summer Bootcamp (July 2021)
3. Global Learning Across the Disciplines Learning Outcomes for CMP 4280/6280 Puerto Rico Resiliency Lab (Summer 2021)
4. Wasatch Experience Faculty and T.A. Program, Sustainability Course Designations to CMP 6430 (SUSL), CMP 6280 (SUSL) and CMP 4280 (SUSC)
5. Community Engaged Learning Course Designation for CMP 6430, CMP 6280, CMP 4280, CMP 4960, CMP 6960, and CMP 6030.
6. Center for Teaching and Learning Excellence (CTLE) Mini-Bootcamp to Teach Online (May 2020)
7. Center for Teaching and Learning Excellence (CTLE) Summer Bootcamp (July 2020)
8. Training Provider for Community Engagement Professional Credentialing Program for Campus Compact (July 2020)

TEACHING GRANTS & GIFTS

1. Minjee K., R. Pendall, D. Pfeifer, A. Whittemore, P. Monkkonen, J. Reece, I. García and, E. Goetz. 2023. "Zoning for Equity." Curriculum Innovation Award, Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, \$7,000.
2. Chandrasekhar D. and García, I. 2022. "Puerto Rico Lab," \$15,000.
3. García, I. 2022. "Puerto Rico Lab" Bennion Center, \$900.
4. García, I. 2022. "Thriving in Place" Salt Lake City's Arts, Culture, and Events (ACE) Fund, \$2,000.
5. García, I. 2022. "Thriving in Place" University Neighborhood Partners, \$2,000.
6. García, I. 2022. "Thriving in Place" Bennion Center, \$750.
7. García. 2021. "Building Resilience in Vulnerable Older Adult Communities Facing Increased Exposure Risks to Wastewater Contamination from Flooding in Puerto Rico" (GLAD) Grants, *Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)* to mentor a student, \$2,400.
8. García, I and D. Chandrasekhar. 2021. "Puerto Rico Resiliency Lab" Global Learning Across the Disciplines (GLAD) Grants, \$2,500.
9. García, I. 2021. "Reimagine Nature" Salt Lake City's Arts, Culture, and Events (ACE) Fund, \$1,000.

10. García, I. 2021. "Earth Day Event." *Bennion Center*, \$1,000.
11. García, I. (P.I.) 2018-2019. "Disaster Resilient Research and Teaching Initiative in Puerto Rico." *John R. Park Award*, \$10,000.
12. García, I. 2018. "Affordable Housing Plan Development for the Puerto Rican Agenda." *Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)* to mentor Bryan Luu, \$2,400.
13. García, I. 2016-2021. "Westside Studio Course." *University Neighborhood Partners*, \$10,600
14. García, I. 2017. "Westside Leadership Institute Access to Computers Programs." *Sustainable Campus Initiative Fund (SCIF)*, \$2,000.
15. García, I. 2017. "Aging in Place: Creating A Life Space Mobility Tool." *Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)* to mentor Jordan Pieper, \$2,400.
16. García, I. 2016. "ChicagoLAB Course." *Collaborative Capstone Projects*, \$8,000.
17. García, I. 2016. "ChicagoLAB Course." *Bennion Center*, \$500.

STUDENT ADVISING & MENTORING

Texas A&M University

Doctoral

Advisor

1. Leslie Martínez-Román

Committee Member

1. Sharone Lennox, Judanne. 2024.

Master's

Chair

1. Mohamad, William. 2024. "Oak Park Trail: A Holistic Design Approach"

Co-Chair

1. Allen, Joseph. 2023.

Committee Member

1. Bakley, Cole. 2024. "Gentrification Fuel by Gastronomy: The Case of Santa Cruz, Lima, Peru"

University of Utah

Doctoral

Chair

1. Fagundo Ojeda, Kevin. "Psychosocial needs of women in Puerto Rico: Service delivery after consecutive disasters."

Committee Member

1. Kaniewska, Justyna. 2024. "Displacement, Affordable Housing, and Ridership in TODs—Is There a Connection?"
2. Parker, Bruce. 2024. "Every decision counts: Planning America's Small Communities."
3. Hernandez, Nicolas. 2024. "Emerging Engagements with Energy Democracy: Energy Transition in Post Crisis Puerto Rico"
4. Kim, Junsik. 2024. "Evaluation of the Impact of Bus Rapid Transit on Vehicle Traffic Volume and Emissions in Provo-Orem Transit Corridor"
5. Kim, Sua. 2023. "Promoting Mitigation through Post-disaster Small Business Recovery Programs," Qualifying Exam.
6. Khajehei, Sayma. 2023. "Impact of disaster mitigation projects on low- and moderate-income homeownership in New York City after the 2012 Hurricane Sandy," Qualifying Exam.
7. Kim, Keuntae. 2020. "Transit and Business Dynamics: Evidence from the U.S. and Simulation Modeling of Future Business Location Patterns near Transit," Dissertation.
8. Child, Roger. 2020. "Faculty Housing Benefits: A Nationwide Comparison of Housing Affordability for College and University Faculty," Dissertation.
9. Kim, JaYoung. 2020. "Another One Rides the Bus? The Connections between Bus Stop Amenities, Bus Ridership, and ADA Paratransit Demand," Qualifying Exam.
10. Levine, Zachary. 2019. "GNAR communities," Dissertation.

11. Garfinkel-Castro, Andrea. 2019. "Planning Culture in an Era of Change and Uncertainty: Exploring Planners' Responses to the Fatal Shootings of Unarmed People of Color by Police Officers," Dissertation.
12. Parker, Bruce. 2019. "Planning and Prisons: The Sitting and Design of U.S. Prisons," Dissertation.
13. Wheelwright, Matt. 2019. "Build Environment Professionals: Practice X Placemaking In the Western United States," Qualifying Exam.

Master's

Chair

1. Khan, Sadika. 2021. "People of Color's Access to Public Transportation in Salt Lake City and Portland"
2. Ruiz, Patrick. 2022. "Affordable Housing in Salt Lake County- Perspectives from a Developer."
3. Julian, Morgan. 2022. "Uneven Development and the Merry-GoRound of Systemic Policies in the Fairpark and North Temple Neighborhood"
4. Campbell, Clint, 2022. "North Temple: More than a Street"
5. Loayza, C, 2022. "Multicultural Placemaking & Community Belonging" Webpage Walkthrough."
6. Arnold, Elizabeth. 2021. "Wasatch County General Plan Update."
7. Rodriguez, Damian. 2021. "Keep Glendale Beautiful."
8. Victor, Lauren. 2020. "Paint the Pavement."
9. Hague, Claire. 2020. "Aging in Place: The City's Role in Housing for Older Adults."
10. Pavez, Nicole. 2019. "Westside Connections."
11. Peters, Ryan. 2018. "Bikeshare Equity: Are We Just Repeating History? A Case Study Analysis of Equity in Salt Lake City through the Bicycle Lens in the 1890s and 2000s."
12. Crookston, Jeni. 2017. "Increasing Usership of the Jordan River Parkway Trail for Active Transportation Users."
13. Baker, Jordan. 2017. "The Socioeconomic Change of Salt Lake City Community Council Districts 1970-2010."
14. Sifat Ara Khan, Shabnam. 2016. "Assessing Streetscape Improvements for Active Transportation Users: A Case Study of the North Temple Corridor in Salt Lake City."
15. Niu, Xiaoyang. 2016. "The Low-income Housing Tax-Credit."

Undergrad

1. Vielstich, Olivia Ann. 2022. "Building Community Resilience: Housing and Flooding in Loiza after Hurricanes Irma and Maria" Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP).
2. Luu, Bryan. 2019. "Affordable Housing Plan Development for the Puerto Rican Agenda" Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP) and 2018 Alumni Bennion Summer Fellows.
3. Adams, Rachel. 2016. "Evicted Without a Lawyer: A Case for Legal Representation for Tenants in Eviction Cases" Independent Capstone Project.
4. Pieper, Jordan. 2018. "Aging in Place: Creating A Life Space Mobility Tool" Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP).
5. Ball, Sam. 2017. "Westside Leadership Institute Access to Computers Programs," Sustainable Campus Initiative Fund (SCIF)

Highschool

1. Sarbaev, Eugene. 2020. student at McNeil Highschool, Austin, Texas, AP Research, "COVID-19 and Homeless Stabilization Programs."

SERVICE-LEARNING PROJECTS

Reports

Texas Target Communities

1. García, I., Ahmed, F., C. Bakley, T. Cooleen, C. Couch, E. Dupont, C. Fielding, C. Ford, N. Garcia, L. Lee Gunn, A. Hardy, M. Hatton, J. Hoang, M. Mahdavi, W. Mohamad, K. Rath, and S. Yee.. 2023. "Liberty County Strategic Plan Update" Communications in Planning: Texas A&M University.

Westside Studio

2. García, I., H. Boland, T. Cancilla, S. García, J. Kim, D. Kourtides, C. Lee, M. Lee, and F. Merrill. 2020. "West Side Housing Plan: Planning for Affordable Housing and a High Quality of Life." Westside Studio: University of Utah. <https://westsidestudioslc.wixsite.com/westside-studio/copy-of-housing-summit>

3. Tracy, J., N. Xiaoyang, and A. Benchaouch. 2017. "North Temple Corridor Housing & Neighborhood Assessment." Edited by I. García. Westside Studio: University of Utah. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.28921.83049>.
4. Hilton, J., M. Barton, A. Sumner, and E. Flores. 2017. "North Temple Motels." Edited by I. García. Westside Studio: University of Utah. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.22210.94402>.
5. Shelton, C., K. Milliner, and R. Adams. 2017. "Evictions in the North Temple Corridor." Westside Studio: University of Utah. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.11305.75365>.
6. Westside Studio. 2017. North Temple Neighborhood Change: Promoting Equitable Development Along the North Temple Corridor. University of Utah, City and Metropolitan Planning. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.35826.99527>
7. Barrett, C., S. Sherman, G. Loyola Pelaez, and R. Holcomb. 2017. "Strategies to Mitigate North Temple Homelessness." Westside Studio: University of Utah. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.28082.96966>.
8. Binks, J., V. Chan, A. Zaker, and J. Syversen. 2017. "North Temple Corridor Housing Strategies." Westside Studio: University of Utah. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.26405.24805>.
9. Baker, J., A. Barlow, T. Cain, K. Cisney, J. Close, J. Crookston, C. Dahlberg, et al. 2016. "Active and Public Transportation Connectivity Between North Temple and The Jordan River Parkway Trail." Edited by I. García. Westside Studio: University of Utah. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.19327.36005>.

ChicagoLAB

1. García, I., A. Jacobs, A.* Rauk, B. Luu*, G. Gray,* L. Hunt,* L. Victor,* M. Baker,* and S. Safiullah.* 2018. "2018 Housing Summit: Strengthening the Puerto Rican and Latino Presence." Chicago, IL: The Puerto Rican Agenda. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.15647.41125>.
2. McAllister, C., G. Regenhardt, M. Jacobsen, J. Connell, and N. Faizi. 2016. "Safe Passage: A Community Resource for Traffic Calming and Placemaking in Humboldt Park." ChicagoLAB: University of Utah. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.22473.08802>.
3. Aguilera, P., T. Cameron Carter, C. Cameron Carter, and C. Watkins. 2016. "Promoting Paseo Showcasing Local Asset for the Economic and Social Empowerment of Humboldt Park." ChicagoLAB: University of Utah. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.11567.89766>.
4. Farley, C., M. Frazier, and S. Lin. 2016. "Child Care Center: Visualizations for a New Center at the Heart of Humboldt." ChicagoLAB: University of Utah. [10.13140/RG.2.2.18278.78401](https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.18278.78401).

Leadership and Community Engagement

1. Ball, S., R. Adams, M. Baker, A. Dalton, A. Benchaouch, I. Bradley, and Z. Smallwood. 2016. "Neighborhood Change: A Glance at the West Side, Salt Lake City." Edited by I. García. Leadership and Community Engagement: University of Utah. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.19904.89600>.
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Community Engagement in Planning

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2. Garvey, B., M. Dahlstrom, K. Haycock, and K. Steinicke. 2017. "Folsom Corridor & Jordan River Parkway Trail Connections." Westside Studio: University of Utah.

Extramural Exhibitions

1. Three Creeks Confluence, Thriving in Place, Salt Lake City, April 16, 2022.
2. Marriot Library, Thriving in Place, December 6, 2022.
3. Utah State Fairpark Grounds, West Side Coalition Community Celebration, Salt Lake City, February 18, 2020.

4. Urban Theater, Strengthening the Puerto Rican and Latino Presence in Chicago, Chicago, IL, June 18, 2018.
5. Parada Puertorriqueña, Strengthening the Puerto Rican and Latino Presence in Chicago, Chicago, IL, June 16, 2018.
6. ChiArts, Strengthening the Puerto Rican and Latino Presence in Chicago, Chicago, IL, June 15, 2018.

Mural & Signs Installations

1. Westside Studio. 2022. "Together is Better." Mural. Dual Immersion Academy, 1155 Glendale Dr, Salt Lake City, UT 84104.
2. Westside Studio. 2022. "Thriving in Place." Mural. Three Creeks Confluence, 950 1300 S, Salt Lake City, UT 84104.
3. Westside Studio. 2021. "Reimagine Nature: Asset Map." Mural. Poplar Grove Park. 750 Emery St W, Salt Lake City, UT 84104.
4. Westside Studio. 2021. "Reimagine Nature: Circles." Murals. 9th South River Park. Jordan River Parkway Trail, Salt Lake City, UT 84104.
5. Westside Studio. 2020. "WestPoint Compass." Street Mural. Pacific Heritage Academy. 1755 W 1100 N, Salt Lake City, UT 84116.
6. Regenhardt, Gabë and Matthew Montgomery. 2018. "Peace Labyrinth Restauration." Mosaic. Jordan River Peace Labyrinth. 1550 Riverside Dr, Salt Lake City, UT 84104.
7. Stewart, J., and T. Nelson. 2018. "North Star Elementary Community Assets." Sign. West Pointe Park. 1920 Colonel Rd, Salt Lake City, UT 84116.
8. Brewer, D., and J Burton. 2018. "Welcome to Jordan Meadows." Mural. Jordan Meadows Park. 1920 W 400 N, Salt Lake City, UT 84116.
9. Wang, M., C. Johnson, T. Cain, J. Baker, and C. Piazza. 2016. "NOTE Districts" Mural. North Temple Corridor. 780 W N Temple St, Salt Lake City, UT 84116.
10. Haycock, K. and K. Steinicke and M. Dahlstrom. 2015. "You Are Here: Mapping Community Assets" Sign. 1255 West Clark Avenue, Salt Lake City, UT 84116.
11. Cook, F., X. Chen, J. Gray, N. Palmer, and T. Tannahill. 2017. "NOTE District." Mural. North Temple Corridor. North Rec Center Jordan River Park Way Trail. 114 900 W, Salt Lake City, UT 84116.

Community Festivals

1. Westside Studio. 2022. "Together is Better."
2. Westside Studio. 2022. "Thriving in Place."
3. Westside Studio. 2021. "Reimagine Nature Mural."
4. Westside Studio. 2020. "WestPoint Compass."
5. Garner, B., J. Smith, and K. Robertson. 2018. "Fairpark Celebration of Spring and Plant Sale."
6. Steinicke, K., M. Dahlstrom, K. Haycock and B. Garvey. 2017. "Folsom Corridor Community Outreach Event."

SERVICE

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

National Organizations

Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP)

1. Vice-President (President Elect)
2. Executive Committee
3. Institutional Governance Committee, Fall 2023-Fall 2025
4. Climate Action Task Force, March 2020-Current
5. Marcia M. Feld Leadership, 2023
6. Conference Location Policy Review Task Force, September 9 to October 31, 2022
7. Co-Chair, Planners of Color Interest Group (POCIG), October 2018-Current,
<https://www.acsp.org/page/POCIG>
 Research Team
 Edward Blakely Award Committee
 CV Book Committee
 Writing Retreats and Accountability

Getting Ready for Tenure Series

1. Location Task Force, October 2019-March 2020
2. Reviewers, Posters, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 60th Annual Conference, Toronto, Ontario Canada, November 4-8, 2020
3. Graduate Student Clinic, 2017-2018

Asset-Based Community Development (ABCD) Institute, De Paul University, Chicago, IL

1. Board Member, Summer 2018-Current
2. Co-chair Publications Committee, Summer 2017-Current
3. Training Group, Summer 2018-Current
4. Higher Education Training Group with Campus Compact, Summer 2019-Current
5. ABCD Institute's Governance Committee, February 2018-Current

American Planning Association (APA)

1. AICP Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity Reviewer, 2021
2. Proposal Reviewer, National Planning Conference (NPC) of the APA, 2021
3. APA Faculty Leader, APA Student Engagement, 2020
4. Student Representatives Council (SRC) Nominating Committee of the APA, 2020
5. Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Track Chair, National Planning Conference (NPC) of the APA, 2020
6. Review and Implementation Feedback, Spanish Education Module Early Care and Education (ECE) Programs, 2020
7. Proposal Reviewer, National Planning Conference (NPC) of the APA, 2019
8. Managing Change in Communities Proposal Reviewer, National Planning Conference (NPC) of the APA, 2018
9. Panel Organizing, Latinos in Planning, American Planning Association, May 2010-Current, <https://www.planning.org/divisions/latinos/>

Center for Puerto Rican Studies (Centro)

1. Member, IdeaComún, October 2018-Current, <https://centropr.hunter.cuny.edu/>
2. Academic Committee, IdeaComún, October 2018-Current, <https://centropr.hunter.cuny.edu/>
3. Conference Organizer, Fall 2018 and Spring 2019

Other National Organizations

1. Convener, Planners for Puerto Rico, November 2017-Current
2. Member, Common Good Collective Cohort, 2020-Current, <https://commongood.cc/>
3. Board Member, National Puerto Rican Agenda, July 2018-Current, <https://www.puertoricanagenda.org/>
4. Member, Disaster Housing Recovery Network, National Low-Income Housing Coalition, November 2017-Current, <https://nlihc.org/explore-issues/projects-campaigns/disaster-housing-recovery>

Conference Service

Major Role (Organizer)

1. SBAN Puerto Rico Town Case Study, Puerto Rican Cultural Center, Chicago, IL, July 7-9, 2023. Role: Organizer.
2. ABCD Institute-Campus Compact Joint Higher Ed Training, De Paul University, Chicago, IL, August 13-14, 2020. Role: Trainer and Organizer.
3. ABCD Workshop for New Mexico Simon Scholar Program, July 18-20, 2020, in Santa Fe, NM. Role: Organizer.
4. Next Practices Workshop, Asset Based Community Development (ABCD), Bennion Center, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, May 4, 2020, Role: Organizer.
5. ABCD 101 Training, June 19 – 21, 2019, Asset Based Community Development Institute, De Paul University, Chicago, IL. Role: Team Leader and Organizer.
6. Social Entrepreneurship and Reconstruction, University of Puerto Rico and Asociación de Industriales de Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR, October 5-6, 2018. Role: Organizer.
7. Housing Summit 2018, Strengthening the Puerto Rican, and Latino Presence in Chicago, ChiArts, Chicago, IL, June 15, 2018. Role: Organizer.
8. National Training Event, Asset Based Community Development Institute, De Paul University, Chicago, IL, June 12-13, 2018. Role: Trainer and Organizer.

9. Neighborhood Change Student-Community Partner Symposium, Salt Lake City, UT, April 27, 2017. Role: Organizer.
10. Writing Retreat of the Latin American Cities Working Group, Rio Piedras, PR, May 31-June 6, 2015. Role: Organizer.
11. Taking Control of our Neighborhoods' Future, Nathalie P. Voorhees Center for Neighborhood and Community Improvement at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago, IL, May 1, 2015. Role: Co-Organizer.
12. Making the Case for Change Report Release, Nathalie P. Voorhees Center for Neighborhood and Community Improvement at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) and the Illinois Latino Family Commission, Chicago, IL, September 10, 2014. Role: Co-Organizer.
13. Understanding the Deepening Divide in Chicago, Nathalie P. Voorhees Center for Neighborhood and Community Improvement at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago, IL, April 11, 2014. Role: Co-organizer.
14. Neoliberal Urbanism Symposium, Lead Organizer, CUPPS & the Great Cities Institute at the University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL, April 27-28, 2012. Role: Organizer.
15. New Normal Symposium, Putting the Community Back in Control of Community Development, Nathalie P. Voorhees Center for Neighborhood and Community Improvement at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago, IL, June 1, 2012. Role: Assistant to Lead Organizer.
16. New Normal Symposium, Workforce Development That Can Really Help Our Communities, Nathalie P. Voorhees Center for Neighborhood and Community Improvement at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago, IL, June 8, 2012. Role: Assistant to Lead Organizer.
17. Central Advisory Council 2012 Strategies and Recommendations Report Release, Nathalie P. Voorhees Center for Neighborhood and Community Improvement at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago, IL, August 20, 2012. Role: Assistant to Lead Organizer, Note Taker and White Paper Writer.
18. Symposium on Race and Community Politics in the U.S. and U.K., Nathalie P. Voorhees Center for Neighborhood and Community Improvement at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), Chicago, IL, June 13-14, 2011. Role: Assistant to Lead Organizer.
19. Reflejo de las Mujeres de Juárez Symposium, SOLAS & University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, 2005. Role: Organizer.

Minor Role

1. Pre-Doctoral Workshop, Community Engaged Scholarship and Service Learning, Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning (ACSP) 61st Annual Conference, All Virtual Conference, October 21, 2021.
2. Asset Based Community Development Workshop for the Institute of Museum and Libraries (IMLS), Washington, DC, February 12-15, 2019. Role: Trainer.
3. Transportation and Communities 2018, Activating Community Opportunities Using Transportation Organizations as Assets, Portland, OR, Sept 13-14, 2018. Role: Trainer.
4. Asset Based Community Development Workshop for the Institute of Museum and Libraries, De Paul University, Chicago, IL, February 5-8, 2018. Role: Trainer.
5. Latin American Cities Group in affiliation with Latin American Studies Association, 2014, Role: Organized 10 panels under the "Cities, Planning and Social Services" track.
6. 2013 Urban Affairs Conference (UAA), San Francisco, CA, April 6, 2013, Right to the City: Concepts and Empirics. Role: Moderator.
7. 2013, 2014, and 2015 Urban Affairs Conference (UAA), San Francisco, CA, Austin, TX and Miami, FL. Role: Volunteer.
8. 2012 Fair Housing Conference, May 11, 2012, Lake County Community Foundation. Role: Volunteer and note taker.
9. 2011 NCIF Annual Development Banking Conference, November 1-3, 2011, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, Chicago, IL. Role: Notetaker.
10. Architecture for Change Summit, September 22-24, 2011, Roosevelt University & University of Illinois, Chicago, IL. Role: Volunteer.
11. Round Lake Community Forum, February 26, 2011, Round Lake, IL. Role: Facilitator.
12. Austin Listening Event, January 25, 2011, Chicago, IL. Role: Facilitator.

Expert Panel Invitations & Review Critic

1. Reviewer, Voices of the Community' Video Contest, Making Cities Resilient 2030 (MCR2030), United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction – Regional Office for the Americas and the Caribbean, November 3, 2021.

2. Reviewer, Final Reviews of Thesis Projects presented by degree candidates from the Urban Planning and Design Department at the Harvard Graduate School of Design, Boston, MA, May 14, 2020.
3. Reviewer, Final Reviews of Thesis Projects presented by degree candidates from the Urban Planning and Design Department at the Harvard Graduate School of Design, Boston, MA, May 16, 2019.
4. Guest expert to review plan, “What’s Next for Buffalo Niagara?” Buffalo, NY, October 22, 2018.
5. Rose Center Expert Panel Recommendations, Salt Lake City, UT, April 9, 2018.
6. SLC Public Utilities Planning Workshop for the Water Reclamation Facility, Salt Lake City, UT, October 11, 2016.

Referee for Academic Publications

Journal Manuscript Referee – 115 manuscripts total

1. Applied Geography – 2 manuscripts in 2022 and 2023
2. CENTRO Journal – 3 manuscripts in 2016, 2017, and 2019
3. Cities – 3 manuscripts in 2021 and 2022
4. City & Society – 1 manuscript in 2016
5. Community Development – 1 manuscript in 2023
6. Educational Science – 1 manuscript in 2021
7. Habitat International – 1 manuscript in 2019
8. Housing and Society – 1 manuscript in 2023
9. Housing Studies – 2 manuscripts in 2023-2024
10. Housing Policy Debate – 5 manuscripts in 2020-2024
11. Housing, Theory, and Society – 1 manuscript in 2021
12. International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction – 5 manuscripts in 2020, 2022-2024
13. International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health – 3 manuscripts in 2020, 2022 and 2023
14. International Journal of Mass Emergencies and Disasters – 2 manuscripts in 2021 and 2022
15. Journal of Applied Science and Technology – 1 manuscript in 2020
16. Journal of Community Practice – 1 manuscript in 2023
17. J. Open Innov. Technol. Mark. Complex. – 1 manuscript in 2021
18. Journal of Housing and the Built Environment – 2 manuscripts in 2023 and 2024
19. Journal of Extreme Events – 1 manuscript in 2022
20. Journal of Participatory Research Methods – 1 manuscript in 2019
21. Journal of Planning Education and Research – 5 manuscripts in 2019-2024
22. Journal of Planning Literature – 1 manuscript in 2024
23. Journal of Race, Ethnicity & the City – 1 manuscript in 2021
24. Journal of the American Planning Association – 4 manuscripts in 2019-2022
25. Journal of Urban Affairs – 7 manuscripts in 2021, 2023-2024
26. Journal of Urbanism – 2 manuscripts in 2019 and 2021
27. Journal of Transportation – 1 manuscript in 2022
28. Journal of Community Development – 1 manuscript in 2021
29. Journal of Community Practice – 1 manuscript in 2021
30. Land – 5 manuscripts in 2020, 2021 and 2024
31. Landscape and Urban Planning – 2 manuscripts in 2023
32. Local Environment: An International Journal of Justice and Sustainability – 1 manuscript in 2019
33. Medical Science Forum – 1 manuscript in 2023
34. Natural Hazard Review – 1 manuscript in 2022
35. Resources – 4 manuscripts in 2019 and 2020
36. Societies – 5 manuscripts in 2018, 2019, and 2020
37. Spaces & Flows: International Conference on Urban and ExtraUrban Studies – 1 manuscript in 2013
38. Sustainability – 17 manuscripts in 2019-2021
39. Sociological Forum – 1 manuscript in 2023
40. Social Sciences – 1 manuscript in 2021
41. Social Science & Medicine – 1 manuscript in 2022
42. Systems – 3 manuscripts in 2018, 2019, and 2020
43. Planning Theory & Practice – 1 manuscript in 2022
44. Public Health – 1 manuscript in 2022

45. The International Journal of Architectonic, Spatial, and Environmental Design – 2 manuscripts in 2017 and 2021
46. Urban Geography – 1 manuscript in 2021
47. Urban Science – 1 manuscript in 2019
48. Urban Planning – 2 manuscripts in 2022
49. Violence Against Women - 1 manuscript in 2023
50. Water Security – 1 manuscript in 2020
51. Wellbeing, Space & Society – 1 manuscript in 2021

Guest Editor

1. LAND, “Promoting Anti-racism in Land System Science and Social Ecological Systems.”
2. Journal of the American Planning Association, “Anti-Racist Futures: Disrupting Racist Planning Practices in Workplaces, Institutions, and Communities” with A. Jackson and A. Yerena.
3. International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, “Disaster Response and Recovery: Challenges and Strategies”
4. CENTRO Journal, “A Current Look at Puerto Ricans in Chicago,” 2016 with M. Toro-Morn and M. Alicea
5. Societies, “Enhancing the Role of Government, Nonprofits, Universities, and Resident Associations as Valuable Community Resources to Advance Equity, Access, Diversity, and Inclusion,” 2020 with A. Jackson.

Editorial Review Board Member

1. Urban Planning, 2023-Current
2. Applied Geography, 2022-Current
3. International Journal of Operations & Production Management, 2021-Current
4. Open Transportation Journal, 2021-Current
5. Sustainability, Journal Section: “Sustainability of Culture and Heritage,” 2020-Current
6. Societies, 2020-Current
7. Land, 2024-Current

Book Proposal Peer-Review

1. Routledge – 1 manuscript in 2020

Book Chapter Peer-Review

1. Emerald Publishing. 2019. “Urban Mobility and Social Equity in Latin American Cities: Evidences, Concepts, and Methods for more Inclusive Cities,” edited by D. Oviedo, N. Villamizar Duarte, A. M. Ardila.

Referee for Practice Non-blinded Publications

1. Bridging the Divide: 30 Strategies for Reducing Polarization at the Neighborhood Level. 2023. Chicago: Asset-Based Community Development Institute.
2. Community Building: Connecting People and Place to Build Community and Reduce Social Isolation. 2020. United Kingdom: Torby Community Development Trust.
3. Asset-Based Community Development: A Booklet for Residents. Norway: Western Norway University of Applied Sciences 2.
4. A Conversation with John McKnight, Co-Founder of the Asset-Based Community Development Institute. Chicago: National Civic Review.
5. Asset-Based Community Development at a Glance. Canada: Tamarack Institute.
6. A Guide to Identifying and Sharing a Neighborhood’s Educational Assets with Young People. Chicago, IL: Asset-Based Community Development Institute at DePaul University.
7. It Doesn’t Take a Neighborhood to Raise a Modern Child: The Economic, Political, and Cultural Socialization of Young Americans. Chicago, IL: Asset-Based Community Development Institute at DePaul University.
8. A Guide to Government Empowerment of Local Citizens and Their Associations. Chicago, IL: Asset-Based Community Development Institute at DePaul University.
9. A History of the Asset-Based Community Development Institute: Unintentionally Creating a Movement. Chicago, IL: Asset-Based Community Development Institute at DePaul University.
10. The Four Essential Elements of an Asset-Based Community Development Process: What Is Distinctive About an Asset-Based Community Development Process. Chicago, IL: Asset-Based Community Development Institute at DePaul University.
11. Differentiating the Functions of Institutions and Associations: A Geometry Lesson. Chicago, IL: Asset-Based Community Development Institute at DePaul University.

12. Asset-Based Community Development: The Essentials. Asset-Based Community Development Institute at DePaul University.
13. The Educating Neighborhood: How Villages Raise Their Children. Dayton, OH: Kettering Foundation.

Editor for Practice Non-blinded Publications

14. McNight, J., and I. García (Ed.). 2023. “Bridging the Divide: 30 Strategies for Reducing Polarization at the Neighborhood Level.” Chicago, IL: Asset-Based Community Development Institute at DePaul University. <https://doi.org/10.13140/RG.2.2.31253.19688>.

External Grant Review

1. Institute for Research on Poverty (IRP)’s Emerging Poverty Scholars Fellowship Program, supported by The JPB Foundation, Fall 2022

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Texas A&M University

College of Architecture

1. Graduate Committee, 2023-Current

Landscape Architecture & Urban Planning

1. Planning Advisory Committee, 2022-Current
2. MUP Strategic Planning Committee, 2024-Current
3. Planning Faculty Committee, 2022-Current
4. Curriculum Committee, Master of Urban Planning, 2022-Current
5. Search Committee, 2022-2023
6. Ph.D. Admissions Committee, 2022-2023

University of Utah

Campus

1. Committee Member, Community Research Collaborative, Summer 2020
2. Committee Member, University Teaching Committee, 2017-Current
 - Distinguished Teaching Awards
 - University Teaching Grants
 - John R. Park Teaching Fellowship
 - Community Engaged Teaching and Scholarship Award
 - Calvin S. and JeNeal N. Hatch Prize in Teaching
 - Early Career Teaching Awards
3. Committee Member, Bennion Center Scholars, Since 2017
4. Member of Executive Committee of the Global Change & Sustainability Center, 2019-present
5. Steering Committee, Westside Leadership Institute (WLI), University Neighborhood Partners (UNP), Since 2016
6. Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans (SACNAS), A+P College Representative, May 2017

College of Architecture & Planning

1. Diversity Action Committee, 2018-Current
2. Design Build Salt Lake Construction Volunteer, Summer 2020
3. Committee Member, Community Engagement in Planning and Design Graduate Certificate, January 2017-Current
4. Building Space Committee, 2018-2019
5. Co-organizer, A+P College Charrette, 2016 & 2017
6. Design Foundations CMP Representative, February 2017

Department of City & Metropolitan Planning

7. Strategic Planning Committee, 2020-Current
8. Master’s Admissions Committee, Spring 2016-2021

9. Search Committee, CMP, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020
10. Ph.D. Admissions Committee, Spring 2016-2018
11. Co-organizer, Mayor's Symposium/Wasatch Choice 2050 Consortium, 2018
12. Curriculum Committee, Urban Ecology (B.S.), 2017
13. Curriculum Committee, Metropolitan Planning Policy & Design (Ph.D.), 2017

University of Illinois at Chicago

Campus

1. Immigration Initiative, Member, 2012-2015
2. The Chicago Area Study (CAS) Group, Student Researcher, Sociology, Fall 2011-Spring 2012

College of Urban Planning & Public Affairs

1. Undergraduate Admissions Committee, Urban and Public Affairs Program, College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs, Chicago, IL, Spring 2014
2. President, College of Urban Planning Ph.D. Students (CUPPS) Organization, <http://uic.collegiatelink.net/organization/collegeofurbanplanningphdstudents>, May 2011-May 2012
3. Main Organizer, Friday Forum Lecture Series, Organizer, <http://www.uic.edu/cuppa/upp/events.html>, May 2011-May 2012

University of New Mexico

Latin American Studies & Iberian Institute

1. President, Student Organization for Latin American Studies, Latin American Studies & Iberian Institute, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, Fall 2006-Spring 2007, <https://www.solasunm.org/2019.html>
2. Committee Member, Sin Fronteras Film Festival Committee, Student Organization for Latin American Studies, Latin American Studies & Iberian Institute, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, Fall 2006-Spring 2007, <https://www.solasunm.org/2019.html>
3. Committee Member, Solidarity with Latin America Fundraising Organizing Committee, Student Organization for Latin American Studies, Latin American Studies & Iberian Institute, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM, Fall 2006-Spring 2007, <https://www.solasunm.org/2019.html>

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Leadership Roles at Local Organizations

Texas

1. Organizing Committee, Baptist Church Food Bank, College Station, TX, 2024-Current

Puerto Rico

1. Board Member, Urbana Planifica Inc., San Juan, PR, September, 2022-Current.

Salt Lake City, Utah

1. Member, Salt Lake City's Human Rights Commission (Appointed Position), Salt Lake City, UT, October 2020-May 2022.
2. Vice Chair and Board Member, Assist Inc., Salt Lake City, UT, October 2016-June 2022
3. Member, Advisory Board, The Emerging Leaders Initiative, August 2021-June 2022
4. Member, Access and Transportation Working Group, Envision Utah, 2020-June 2022
5. Member, Salt Lake Valley Coalition to End Homelessness Crisis Core Group, 2020-June 2022
6. Member, The Transportation Task Group, Salt Lake Valley Coalition to End Homelessness Crisis Core Function Group, 2020-June 2022
7. Steering Committee Member, West Side Leadership Institute (WLI), Salt Lake City, UT, Fall 2015-Spring 2018
8. Committee Member, Paint the Pavement, Rose Park Community Council, Salt Lake City, UT, Fall 2017-Spring 2018
9. Vice Chair, Planning Commission, Salt Lake City, UT, April 2016-May 2018

Chicago, Illinois

1. Member, Puerto Rico Town Committee, Puerto Rican Agenda, August 2021-Current
2. Member, Housing Committee, Puerto Rican Agenda, August 2013-Current
3. Co-Chair, Puerto Rican Agenda, Chicago, IL, August 2010-May 2015, <http://www.puertoricanchicago.org/>

4. Member, Illinois Latino Agenda, Chicago, IL, July 2014-May 2015, <http://www.latinopolicyforum.org/issues/leadership/illinois-latino-agenda>
5. Member, Community As A Campus, Chicago, IL, August 2013-May 2015, <https://greatcities.uic.edu/uic-neighborhoods-initiative/humboldt-park-initiative/>
6. Member, Austin Coming Together, Chicago, IL, Fall 2010-Spring 2011, <https://austincomingtogether.org/>
7. Committee Member, Housing Acuerdo of the Latino Policy Forum, Chicago, IL, November 2010-December 2011, <http://www.latinopolicyforum.org/issues/housing/housing-acuerdo>

Springfield, Missouri

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