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### Education

- 2006-2007 **NIMH Post Doctoral Fellow.** National Institute of Mental Health Program on Mental Health Services Research, Rutgers University, Institute of Health, Health Care Policy & Aging Research.
- 2004-2006 **NIMH Post Doctoral Fellow.** National Institute of Mental Health Program: Family Research Consortium IV, UCLA.
- 2005 **Ph.D., Clinical Psychology.** APA Accredited Program, Kent State University. Kent, OH.
- 2002 **Clinical Internship.** University of Michigan, Counseling and Psychological Service, APA Accredited Internship Ann Arbor, Michigan.
- 1998 **M.A., Clinical Psychology.** APA Accredited Program. Kent State University, Kent, OH.
- 1991 **B. A., Psychology.** Vassar College. Junior Year Abroad: British American Drama Academy, Poughkeepsie, NY.

### Teaching Experience

- 2014-  
Present **Associate Professor, Psychology.** Kenyon College, Gambier, OH.
- 2007-  
2014 **Assistant Professor, Psychology.** Kenyon College, Gambier, OH.
- Abnormal Psychology
  - Clinical Psychology

- Cross-Cultural Psychology
- Introduction to Psychology
- Introduction to Women and Gender Studies
- Latin@ Psychology
- Introduction to Research Methods

- 2012 **Resident Director of Kenyon in Rome Program.** Rome, Italy.  
Courses taught: (Class Size: 8)
- Abnormality Psychology in the Italian Context
  - Cross-Cultural Psychology
- 2010 **Faculty Member.** Semester at Sea – Institute for Shipboard Education Sponsored by the University of Virginia (ship campus). Visited and lectured on a traveling ship that went to Hawai'i, Japan, China, Viet Nam, India, Mauritius, South Africa, Brazil, and Ghana. Taught courses on cross-cultural psychology and identity development. Class size: 30
- 2004 **Instructor, Child Psychotherapy.** Northwest University, Kirkland, WA. Flown in monthly as a special instructor to teach an upper-level graduate course on child psychotherapy with a strong multicultural perspective. Class size: 35.
- 2003 **Instructor, Abnormal Psychology.** University of Toledo, Toledo, OH. Taught an upper-level undergraduate abnormal psychology course. Class size: 100.
- 2003 **Multicultural Teaching Scholar, Hispanic/Latino Psychology.** University of Missouri, Columbia, MO. Received fellowship to teach an upper-level graduate course. Received mark of distinction for the course. Class size: 8.
- 1998 **Instructor, Adolescent Psychology.** Kent State University, Kent, OH. Taught upper-level undergraduate psychology course. Class size: 75.
- 1997 **Instructor, Child Psychology.** Kent State University, Kent, OH. Taught an introductory undergraduate psychology course. Class size: 163.

### Teaching Awards & Honors

- 2014 **APA Division 52 Henry David International Mentoring Award, Nominee.**
- 2013 **Community Based and Service Learning Grant.** Funded by Kenyon's Teacher Teaching Teachers Grant, this was a summer workshop that continued training on how to integrate service learning and community based interventions in the classroom (Funded: \$16,300).

- 2013 **Culturally Responsive Pedagogy Grant.** Funded by Kenyon's Center for Innovative Pedagogy, this grant, which was submitted by the Latino Studies Faculty, funded a two day college-wide initiative on culturally responsive pedagogy. (Funded: \$7,000).
- 2013 **Flipping the Classroom Grant To Improve Quantitative Reasoning.** Funded by Kenyon's Center for Innovative Pedagogy, this grant, which was submitted by faculty members in the math and natural science departments, will provide support for a pilot program that will use teacher-created videos to enhance learning in the classroom. (Funded: \$8,000).
- 2013 **Implementing Community-Based Research and Service Learning Grant.** Funding by Kenyon's Center for Innovative Pedagogy, this grant funded training and a workshop that addressed how faculty can integrate service learning projects into their teaching (Funded \$15,340.00).
- 2012 **Developing the Essentials at Kenyon Through Flipped Learning.** Funded by Kenyon's Center for Innovative Pedagogy, this grant, submitted by Prof. Katherine Edwards, provided two year support to enhance complimentary online learning. (Funded \$10,000).
- 2011-2012 **Chair of APA's Division 2: Society for the Teaching of Psychology Standing Committee on International Relations.**
- 2011, 2013, 2014 **Outstanding Faculty Award Nominee.** Given by the Kenyon Greek Assoc in conjunction with the Kenyon College Community Development Fund, for excellence in teaching and mentoring of Kenyon Greek students.
- 2008; 2010 **Kenyon College Trustee Teaching Excellence Award, Nominee.**
- 2008 **American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education, Faculty Fellow.**
- 2008 **Kenyon College's Teacher's Initiative Grant.** *How Do We Study Distress in Diverse Groups?* Funded proposal for attend APA methodology workshop. (Funded: \$2,500).
- 2004 **High Flyer Excellence in Teaching Award, University of Missouri-Columbia.**

### Research Awards & Honors

- 2014 **Kenyon College Summer Science Scholar Faculty Mentor.**
- 2013 **Kenyon College John W. Adams Summer Scholars Program in Socio-Legal Studies Mentor.**

- 2013 **Kenyon College Summer Science Scholar Faculty Mentor.**
- 2012 **Kenyon College Summer Science Scholar Faculty Mentor.**  
(Two students)
- 2012 **Kenyon College Faculty Development Award.** Travel award received to be part of APA's First Delegation to Cuba. (\$2,000).
- 2010-2013 **Harvey F. Lodish Faculty Development Endowed Chair in the Natural Sciences.** In recognition of excellence in teaching, research, and scholarship to junior faculty in the natural sciences. (\$30,000).
- 2011 **NIMH Early Career Investigator International Travel Award.** Travel award given to attend the Wellcome Trust Global Mental Health Networking Workshop and World Mental Health Congress of the World Federation for Mental Health in Cape Town, South Africa (\$5,000).
- 2011 **NIMH Conference and Travel Award.** Award given for poster presentation at the Critical Research Issues in Latino Mental Health, Miami, Florida. (\$800).
- 2009 **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's New Connections Third Annual Symposium Travel Award.** Participation by invitation only.
- 2008 **National Hispanic Science Network on Drug Abuse,** Inducted as Early Research Scientist.
- 2008 **Kenyon College Summer Science Scholar Faculty Mentor.**
- 2006 **NIMH/Foundation for Child Development & Family Research Consortium Travel Grant.** (\$800).
- 2006 **Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Health & Society Scholars** (Semi-Finalist).
- 2006 **NIMH Pediatric Loan Repayment Program Recipient: National Center for Minority Health and Health Disparities.** *Ataques de Nervios and Asthma Among Puerto Ricans.* Proposal to investigate the association between *ataques* and asthma in Puerto Rican youth. (Funded: Awarded \$27,000).
- 2006 **Trainee.** Sponsored by UPR/CHA Exploratory EXPORT Center: Bridging Communities (NIMH Grant # 5P20MD000537-03). Principal Investigator: Glorisa Canino, Ph.D.
- 2005 **NIMH Conference & Travel Award.** Award given for poster presentation at the Critical Research Issues in Latino Mental Health, Princeton, New Jersey (\$800).

- 2005      **Junior Investigator.** Antisocial Behaviors In U.S. And Island Puerto Rican Youth (NIMH Grant # 5R01MH056401-05). Principal Investigator: Hector Bird, M.D.
- 2002      **Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowship** (Honorary Recognition)
- 2000      **American Psychological Association Dissertation Research Award.**
- 2000      **Kent State Graduate Student Award, Office of Institutional Diversity.**
- 1999      **Kent State University Applied Psychology Center Graduate Research Fellowship.**
- 1999      **Photovolt/UGM Equipment Award: Spectrophotometer for Dissertation Research.**
- 1998      **American Psychological Association Outstanding Student Research Award** (given for thesis), Division of Clinical Psychology, Ethnic Minority Subdivision.
- 1998      **National Hispanic Scholarship Fund.**
- 1995-96   **American Psychological Association Minority Fellowship** (Honorary Recognition).

## Publications

\*Kenyon Student, †Kenyon Faculty

1. Diemer, M.A., Mistry, R., Wadsworth, M.E., **López**, I. & Reimers, F. (2012). Best practices in conceptualizing and measuring social class in psychological research. *Analyses of Social Issues & Public Policy*. Advance online publication: doi: 10.1111/asap.12001
2. **López**, I., Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H. *Ataques de nervios* and somatic complaints among Island and Mainland Puerto Rican children. (2011). *CNS Neuroscience & Therapeutics*, 17(3), 158-166. doi: 10.1111/j.1755-5949.2010.00137.x
3. Rivera, F., **López**, I., Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H. Perceived discrimination and antisocial behaviors in Puerto Rican children. (2011). *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*, 13(3), 453-461. doi: 10.1007/s10903-010-9421-x
4. **López**, I., Rivera, F., Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H. (2009). *Ataques de nervios* and their psychiatric correlates in Puerto Rican children from two different contexts. *Journal of Nervous and Mental Diseases*, iii-x, 12, 923-929. doi: 10.1097/NMD.0b013e3181c2997d

5. **López, I. R.** (2008). Puerto Rican phenotype: Understanding its historical underpinnings and psychological associations. *Hispanic Journal of Behavioral Sciences, 30*(2), 161-180. doi: 10.1177/0739986307313116.
6. **López, I. R.** (2008). "But you don't look Puerto Rican": The buffering effects of ethnic identity on the relation between skin color and self-esteem among Puerto Rican women. *Cultural Diversity & Ethnic Minority Psychology, 14*(2), 102-108. doi: 10.1037/1099-9809.14.2.102
7. **López, I. R., & Contreras, J. C.** (2005). The best of both worlds: Biculturalism, acculturation, and psychological adjustment among mainland Puerto Rican adolescent mothers. *Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology, 36*(2), 192-208. doi: 10.1177/0022022104272901
8. Contreras, J. M., **López, I. R.,** Rivera-Mosquera, E. T., Raymond-Smith, L., & Rothstein, K. (1999). Social support and adjustment among Puerto Rican adolescent mothers: The moderating effect of acculturation. *Journal of Family Psychology, 13* (2), 228-243. doi: 10.1037/0893-3200.13.2.228
9. Nagayama Hall, G. C., Bansal, A., & **López, I. R.** (1999). Ethnicity and psychopathology: A meta-analytic review of 31 years of comparative MMPI/MMPI-2 research. *Psychological Assessment, 11*(2), 186-197. doi: 10.1037/1040-3590.11.2.186
10. Findling, R. J., Grcevich S. J., **López, I.,** Schulz, S.C. (1996). Antipsychotic medications in children and adolescents. *Journal of Clinical Psychiatry, 57,* 19-23.

### Book Chapters & Encyclopedia Entries

1. **López, I.,** \*Walker, L., & \*Yildiz Spinel, M. (Accepted). Understanding the association between phenotype and ethnic identity. In C. Santo & A. Umaña-Taylor (Eds.). *Studying ethnic identity: Methodological advances and considerations for future research.* American Psychological Association.
2. **López, I** & \*Ho., A. (2013). Culture-bound (or culturally salient?): The role of culture in disorder. In K. D. Keith (Ed.). *The Encyclopedia of Cross-Cultural Psychology.* John Wiley & Sons, Inc. doi: 10.1002/9781118339893
3. **López I,** \*Gonzalez, A.N., & \*Ho, A. (2012). *Skin Color.* In T. F. Cash (Ed.). *Encyclopedia of Body Image and Human Appearance,* Vol 2. (pp. 730–737). San Diego: Academic Press.
4. **López, I.,** Dent, T., Ecosto, E, & \*Prado-Steiman, M. (2011). Theories of acculturation and cultural identity. In A. Zigelbaum & J. Carlson (Eds.). *Working with Immigrant Families: A Practical Guide for Counselors* (pp. 21-37). New York, NY: Routledge/Taylor & Francis Group.

5. Teichman, J., Lugo, A., **López**, I. R., Iklau, M., Rahman, R. (2002). The challenges and rewards of conducting ethnic minority research. In J. Contreras & J. M., Kerns, A. Neal-Barnett (Eds.), *Latino children and families in the United States: Current research and future directions*. (pp. 253-264). Greenwood Publishing Group, Inc: Westport, CT.
6. Hall, G. C. N., **López**, I. R., & Bansal, A. (2001). Academic acculturation: Race, gender, and class issues. In H. L. K. Coleman & D. Pope-Davis (Eds.), *The Intersection of Race, Class, and Gender: Implications for Multicultural Counseling* (pp. 171-188). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

### Other Published Work

1. **López**, I., \*Ho, A., & \*Gonzalez, A. The worldwide epidemic of skin bleaching: Its prevalence, predictors and associated problems (2011). *The Ohio Psychologist*, 28-30.
2. **López**, I., & \*Prado-Steiman, M. (2010). Clinical issues among immigrant women: Risk and Resiliency. *The Ohio Psychologist*, 57, 18-20.
3. **López**, I. R. (2006, Summer). Parenting my biracial babies as a feminist psychologist. *The Feminist Psychologist*, 32 (3).

### Manuscripts In Progress

1. **López**, I., Rodriguez, E. M. Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H. What predicts *ataques de nervios* among Puerto Rican children? (Analyses in progress).
2. Rodriguez, E. M., **López**, I., Sanchez-Johnsen, L., Ramirez, R., Canino, G. J., Bird, H. R., & Celedon, J. C. (2013). Cumulative stress versus domain specific stress in asthma in Puerto Rican children: A prospective study. Manuscript in preparation.
3. **López**, I. & \*Walker, L. Appearance anxiety among Spanish Speaking Women: Clinical implications from an exploratory study. (Resubmission in progress).
4. **López**, I & \*Walker, L. "*Bewitched, bothered and bewildered*": A mixed method exploration of the experience of racial and ethnic misidentification among Puerto Rican women. Manuscript in preparation. (Reanalyses in progress).
5. **López**, I. *Present your case: The use of student case presentations in the teaching of clinical psychology*. (Manuscript in preparation).
6. Yildiz Spinel, M., Murnen, S., Corker, K., & **López**, I. *Predicting benevolent sexism from exposure to telenovelas* (Manuscript in preparation).

## Presentations

1. Rodriguez, E. M., **López, I.**, Sanchez-Johnsen, L., Ramirez, R., Canino, G. J., Bird, H. R., & Celedon, J. C. (2014, March). Cumulative versus domain-specific stress and asthma in Puerto Rican children: A prospective study. Paper presented at the Society of Pediatric Psychology Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
2. **López, I.**, \*Yildiz Spinel, M, \*Grosh, L. (2012, Jan.). *Be Your Whitest White: The Selling and Marketing of Skin Bleaching Creams*. Presented at the Dying to Be Beautiful Conference: Body Image, Eating Behaviours, and Health in the Caribbean. Montego Bay, Jamaica.
3. **López, I.** & \*Prado-Steiman, M. (2010, Nov.). *Se pone nerviosa - Maternal ataques de nervios across two different sites*. Roundtable discussion presented at the National Latina/o Psychological Association Biennial Conference, San Antonio, TX.
4. †Schoenfeld, J., †García, I., & **López, I.** (2009, Oct.). Anxious Borders: Ethnic identity and appearance anxiety among Puerto Rican women. In J. Schoenfeld (Chair) *Multi-Disciplinary Approaches to Race and National Identity*. Paper presented as part of the multidisciplinary panel for the Crossing Over: Redefining the Scope of Border Studies Conference. Cleveland State University, Cleveland, OH.
5. **López, I.**, Rivera, F., Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H. *Ataques de nervios* and psychopathology in Puerto Rican children from two different contexts. In I. López (Chair) *Psychological assessment and needs assessment of minority children* (2009, Sept). Paper presented at the Second World Association of Cultural Psychiatry, Norcia, Italy.
6. **López, I.**, †Hurst, A., & \*Chapman, K. (2009, June). *Working Class in the Ivory Tower*. Multitiered panel presented at the Working Class Studies Association Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.
7. Varela, R. Silverman, W., Ollendick, T. H., & **López, I.** (2008, Nov.). *Ataques de nervios* in Puerto Rican children. In T. H. Ollendick (Chair) *Anxiety in Latino youth: Prevalence, expression, and socio-cultural influences*. Symposium presented at the 42nd annual convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, Florida.
8. Rivera, F., **López, I.**, Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H. (2006, Nov.). *Perceived discrimination and antisocial behaviors among mainland and Island Puerto Rican youth*. Invited presentation at the annual NIMH conference of Critical Research Issues in Latino Mental Health: Mental Disorders among Latinos. Sante Fe, New Mexico.
9. **López, I. R.** (2004, November). Towards a historically informed theory of phenotype. In I. R. **López** (Chair), *Writings from a crooked house: Deconstructing Puerto Rican*

*racial and ethnic identity*. Symposium conducted at the inaugural conference of the National Latina/o Psychological Association, Scottsdale, Arizona.

10. **López**, I. R, Bansal, A., Rivera, E. & Maramba, G. (1997, April). *On Becoming: The impact of acculturation on women of color. The case of Latina and Asian women*. In D. Walker (Chair). Panel discussion conducted at the 9th annual meeting of the Kent State-Salem Women's Conference, Salem, Ohio.
11. Neal-Barnett, A. **López**, I. & Owens, D. (1996, August). Neither Black nor White. The impact of skin color in the Puerto Rican community. In A. Neal Barnett (Chair), *Women of color on color: Healing wounds, and building legacies*. Round table discussion conducted at 104th annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
12. Neal-Barnett, A. **López**, I. & Owens, D. (1996, April). *The impact of skin color and self perceived attractiveness in Puerto Rican women*. In A. Neal-Barnett (Chair). Panel discussion conducted at the 8th annual meeting of the Kent State-Salem Women's Conference, Salem, Ohio.

### Professional Poster Sessions

1. Rodriguez, E. M., **López**, I., Sanchez-Johnsen, L., Ramirez, R., Canino, G. J., Bird, H. R., & Celedon, J. C. (2014, March). Stress and asthma in Puerto Rican children. Poster to be presented at the Society of Pediatric Psychology. Philadelphia, PA.
2. Rodriguez, E. M., **López**, I., Sanchez-Johnsen, L., Ramirez, R., Canino, G. J., Bird, H. R., & Celedon, J. C. (2013, September). Cumulative versus domain-specific stress and asthma in Puerto Rican children: A prospective study. Poster presented at the Department of Psychiatry 4th Annual Research Extravaganza, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL.
3. **López**, I., Ramirez, R., Canino, G. C., & Bird, H. (2013, Aug.) *Predicting ataques de nervios among Puerto Rican Children – Or how the past predicts the future*. Poster presented at the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
4. **López**, I., Ramirez, R., Canino, G. C., & Bird, H. (2011, Nov.) *What predicts an ataque de nervios among Puerto Rican children?* Poster presented at the Critical Research Issues in Latino Mental Health Conference, Miami, Florida.
5. **López**, I., \*Ho, A., & \*Kastenber, B. (2011, Aug). *Beauty and the bleach: The worldwide epidemic of skin bleaching*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
6. Rivera, F., **López**, I., Guarnaccia, P., Ramirez, R. & Canino, G., & Bird, H. (2011, Feb.). *Is it because I'm Puerto Rican or because you say I can't speak English? – Assessing site differences in ethnic and language discrimination among Puerto Rican*

- youth*. Poster presented at the NIH Conference on the Science of Research on Discrimination and Health, Washington, D.C.
7. **López, I.** (2011, Jan.) *Present your case: The use of student case presentations in the teaching of clinical psychology*. Poster presented at the National Institute on the Teaching of Psychology, Tampa, Florida.
  8. **López, I., \*Ruskin, D., Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H.** (2009, Mar.). *Ataques de nervios in Puerto Rican children and its association to physical symptomatology*. Poster presented at the Anxiety Disorders Association of America Conference: Anxiety and Health: Translating Research Into Practice, Santa Ana Pueblo, New Mexico.
  9. **López, I., \*Ruskin, D., Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H.** (2008, June). *The association of ataques de nervios and asthma among Puerto Rican youth*. Poster presented at the annual NIMH sponsored Family Research Consortium Conference. New Orleans, Louisiana.
  10. **López, I., Rivera, F., Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H.** (2006, July). *The experience of ataques de nervios in Puerto Rican children*. Poster presented at the annual NIMH sponsored Family Research Consortium Conference. Spokane, Washington.
  11. **López, I., Rivera, F., Bagchi, A., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H.** (2005, Nov.). *Ataques de nervios in Puerto Rican mainland and island children*. Poster presented at the annual NIMH conference of Critical Research Issues in Latino Mental Health: Mental Disorders among Latinos: Biological and psychosocial influences on diagnosis and treatment. Princeton, New Jersey.
  12. **López, I. R.** (2005, April). *Mixed methods for a mixed race: Integrating qualitative and quantitative methods in the study of race among Puerto Ricans*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Psychological Anthropology, San Diego, California.
  13. **López, I. R. & Neal-Barnett, A.** (2004, July). *"I feel pretty, oh so pretty." Phenotype, ethnic identity, and adjustment in Puerto Rican women*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
  14. **López, I. R., Flores, L.Y., Heppner, P. P.** (2004, July). *History, sociology, and anthropology in the teaching of a Latino psychology class*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
  15. **Contreras, J. M. & López, I. R.** (1997, August). *Correlates of psychological adjustment among young Latina mothers*. Poster presented at the 105th annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.

16. Trestman, R. L., Steinberg, B., Mitropolou, V., New, A., **López, I.**, & Siever, L. J. (1994, August). *Differential biological mediation of affective instability and behavioral impulsivity in personality disorders*. Poster presented at the 25th Congress of the International Society of Psychoneuroendocrinology, Seattle, Washington.
17. Steinberg, B., Trestman, R. L., **López, I.**, Mitchell, D. & Siever, L. J. (1994, May). *Diurnal rhythms in acute and remitted depression*. Poster presented at the 147th annual meeting of the American Psychiatric Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
18. Steinberg, B. T., Trestman, R. L., **López, I.**, Pavell, E., & Siever, L. J. (1994). *Cholinergic challenge and affective instability in personality disorder patients*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Biological Psychiatry.
19. Intrator, J., Trestman, R. L., Mitropolou, V. **López, I.**, Pavell, E. Taurke, E., Siever, L. J. (1994). *Clinical dimensions of the dramatic cluster: Self report and biological validators*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Biological Psychiatry.
20. Intrator, J. Trestman, R. L., Trestman, R. L., Mitropolou, V. **López, I.**, Pavell, E. Taurke, E., Siever, L. J. (1993, Sept.). *Biological and dimensional validators of the dramatic cluster*. Poster presented at the International Congress on the Disorder of Personality, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
21. Trestman, R. L., deVegvar, M., Coccaro, E. F., Mitropolou, V., **López, I.**, & Gabriel, S. & Siever, L. J. (1993, Sept.). *Aggression and suicide in personality disorders and MDD: Differential biology*. Poster presented at the International Congress on the Disorder of Personality, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
22. Intrator, J. Trestman, R. L., Mitropolou, V. **López, I.**, Pavell, E. Taurke, E. (1993, May). *The dramatic cluster dimensions and validators*. Poster presented at the 146th annual meeting of the American Psychiatric Association, San Francisco, California.
23. Trestman, R. L., deVegvar, M., Coccaro, E. F., Mitropolou, V., **López, I.**, & Gabriel, S. (1993, May). *Differential biology of aggression and suicide*. Poster presented at the 146th annual meeting of the American Psychiatric Association, San Francisco, CA.
24. Trestman, R. L., deVegvar, M., Coccaro, E. F., Mitropolou, V., **López, I.**, Gabriel, S. & Siever, L. J. (1993). *Differential biology of impulsivity, suicide, and aggression in depression and in personality disorders*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Biological Psychiatry.

### Invited Talks & Workshops

1. **López, I.** (2014, June). Invited speaker for online training on cultural idioms of distress for medical and clinical psychology graduate students at APA's internship site Hennepin County Mental Health Center in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

2. **López, I.** (2013, Sept). Invited discussant. *Owning Your First Year*. Part of a panel that addressed the needs of first-years who are first-generation college students. Sponsored by Kenyon's REACH program. Gambier, OH.
3. **López, I.** (2013, Aug.). Invited discussant. Women of Color Conversation Hour. American Psychology Association Conference, Honolulu, Hawaii.
4. **López, I.** (2012, Feb.) Community discussion on Women and Mental Illness. Hosted by the Doris Crozier Center, Kenyon College.
5. **López, I.** & Prado-Steiman\*, M. (2010, Sept.). *Understanding Ataques de Nervios: Grief and Rage in the Body*. Workshop presented for Continuing education credits for the Multiethnic Advocates for Cultural Competence Conference: The Cultural Mosaic of Latinos in Ohio, Care, Commitment and Competence: Featuring the Latino Cultures. Columbus, OH.
6. **López, I.** & Prado-Steiman, M.\* (2009, April). *"Acculturation and the Immigrant Woman: A Review of the Research to Date"* Invited talk given to Kenyon's Latino student organization, ADELANTE, Gambier, OH.
7. **López, I.** (2009, January). *"Are we post race in the age of Obama?"* Kenyon college faculty panel on race and ethnicity. Part of the MLK Kenyon College Symposium. Gambier, OH.
8. **López, I. R.** (2008, March). *"Life before tenure...Is there one?"* Invited talk given to graduate students at the American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education, Miami, Florida.
9. **López, I. R.** (2003, July). *"I feel pretty, Oh so pretty"*. *Phenotype and adjustment among mainland Puerto Rican women*. Paper presented at the University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri.
10. **López, I. R.** (2003, July). *Addressing the mental health needs of young Latino/a students*. Three hour workshop presented to public school teachers of Columbia, Missouri.
11. **López, I. R.** (2002, July). *Meeting the needs of international students: A review of the research and clinical applications*. Paper presented for the counseling staff at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

## Research With Undergraduate Students

- 2013      **Content Analysis of Telenovelas.** Independent study with Melek Yildiz Spinel'14.

- 2013 **Maternal Infanticide in Italy and the U.S.** Independent study with Olivia Siulagi'14.
- 2011 **Skin Color Group.** Research group that is investigating the worldwide phenomena of skin bleaching. Includes Avril Ho'11, Bronte Kastenbergl'14, and Melek Yildiz Spinel'14.
- 2011 **Social Class and the Vietnamese College Experience: A Qualitative Inquiry.** Independent study with Nancy Truong'11.
- 2011 **Content and Thematic Analysis.** Independent study with Avril Ho'11.
- 2010 **Racial Identity and Depiction.** Independent study with Analise Gonzalez'11.
- 2008 **Distinguishing between TKS and Social Phobia.** Independent study with Dan Lakin'10.
- 2008 **The Experiences of Women of Color.** Independent study with Lovey Walker'09.

### Student Awards

- 2014 **Kenyon College Summer Science Scholar** . Emily Hurd won a grant *Comparing Gender Role Portrayal in American vs. Danish Popular Magazines*
- 2013 **John W. Adams Summer Scholars Program in Legal Studies.** Olivia Siulagi won a grant to research Italian filicide. Name of project: *Mothers Who Kill: Legal and Psychological Aspects of il Delitto di Cogne.*
- 2013 **Kenyon College Summer Science Scholar.** Melek Yildiz Spinel won a grant to study *Intersectionality in Spanish Telenovelas.*
- 2012 **Kenyon College Summer Science Scholar.** Bronte Kastenbergl (Anthropology Major) won a grant to do a *Content Analysis of Skin Bleaching Videos.*
- 2012 **Kenyon College Summer Science Scholar.** Melek Yildiz Spinel to research Spanish soap operas. *Telenovelas: Ethnic and Gender Representations in U.S. Spanish media.*
- 2012 **Davis Peace Prize (Competitive Submission – Not funded).** Olivia Siulagi, Cassandra Dempwolf, & Lamont Williams (all former Kenyon in Rome students) submitted a grant to partner with the Joel Nafuma refugee Center in Rome to create an English language program for refugees.

- 2012 **Fulbright Scholar.** Megan Wilhelm completed a Fulbright Fellowship to study intercultural conflict in Cyprus.
- 2011 **Ohio Psychological Association Student Prize.** Avril Ho & Analise Gonzalez. Students won top prize in top prize in the non-empirical session of the Ohio Psychological Association.
- 2011 **Student Travel Award.** Elizabeth Aznar. Travel award to attend and present at the APA Conference on Diversity in Clinical Psychology, Tennessee.
- 2010 **Student Travel Award.** Marina Prado-Steiman. Travel award to attend and speak at the Multiethnic Advocates for Cultural Competence Conference, Columbus, OH.
- 2009 **Student Travel Award.** Kelsey Chapman. Travel award by attend and speak at Working Class Association Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.
- 2008 **Kenyon College Summer Science Scholar.** Dan Lakin. *Investigating the association of TKS with DSMIV Disorders.*
- 2008 **Student Travel Award.** Lovey Walker. Travel award to attend and present at the APA Conference on Diversity in Clinical Psychology.

### Undergraduate Conference Presentations & Posters

1. Yildiz Spinel, M., Murnen, S., López, I., & Corker, K. (2014, May) *Telenovelas' Viewing and Gender Role Attitudes among Latinas*. To be presented at the Midwest Psychology Association Conference, Chicago, IL.
2. Yildiz Spinel, M. & López, I. (2013, May). *Telenovelas: Ethnic and gender representations in Spanish media*. Presented at the Midwest Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
3. \*Ho., A., \*Yildiz-Spinel, M., \*Kastenber, B., & López, I. (2011, April). *The reasons and risks for skin bleaching*. Talk presented at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Ohio Undergraduate Psychology Research Conference, Kenyon, Ohio.
4. \*Truong, N. & López I. (2011, April). *Minority within a minority: Understanding Vietnamese Educational Achievement*. Talk presented at the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Ohio Undergraduate Psychology Research Conference, Kenyon, Ohio.
5. \*Gonzalez, A., \*Ho, A., & López, I. *Cutting, breaking, and bleaching: Appearance modification in ethnic minority women* (2010, Nov). Poster presented at the Ohio

- Psychological Association, Columbus. Poster won the top prize in the non-empirical session.
6. López, I., & \*Prado-Steiman, M., (2009, Oct). *The American paradox of immigration: How acculturation places immigrant women at risk for violence*. Poster presented at the Ohio Psychological Association, Columbus, OH. Poster received honorable mention and later published in their newsletter.
  7. López, I., \*Prado-Steiman, M., Ramirez, R., Canino, G., & Bird, H. (2009, April). *Distressing Borders: Maternal ataques de nervios in two different contexts*. Talk presented at the 23<sup>rd</sup> Ohio Annual Undergraduate Psychology Research Conference, Wooster, Ohio.
  8. \*Chapman, K. López, I., & Hurst, A. (2009, April). *Issues of class in academia: A review of the research*. Presentation for Kenyon College Psychology Research Day.
  9. \*Walker, L. & López, I. (2009, April). *Misidentification among Puerto Rican women: A mixed methods investigation*. Presented at the 23rd National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR) at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse: La Crosse, Wisconsin.
  10. \*Prado-Steiman, M. & López, I. (2009, April). *Immigrant Women: Risk and Resiliency*. Presentation for Kenyon College Psychology Research Day.
  11. \*Walker, L & López, I. (2008, April). *Misidentification among Puerto Rican women: Preliminary results of a qualitative study*. Talk presented at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Undergraduate Psychology Research Conference, Dayton, Ohio.
  12. \*Walker, L. & López, I. (2008, Oct). *Misidentification among Puerto Rican women: Preliminary results of a mixed methods investigation*. Presentation for Kenyon College Psychology Research Day. Gambier, OH.
  13. \*Lakin, D. & López, I. (2008, Oct.). *A meta analysis of taijin kyofusho symptoms and social phobia*. Presentation for Kenyon College Psychology Research Day. Gambier, OH.
  14. \*Lakin, D. & López, I. (2008, Oct.). *A meta analysis of taijin kyofusho symptoms and social phobia*. Presentation at the 23rd National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR) at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse: La Crosse, Wisconsin.
  15. López, I., \*Ruskin, D., Ramirez, R., Guarnaccia, P., Canino, G., & Bird, H. (2008, Oct). *The impact of maternal mental health on the prevalence of asthma among Puerto Rican children*. Poster presented at the Ohio Psychological Association. Columbus, OH.

## Student Honors (outside of psychology)

- 2013 **Women and Gender Studies:** Reader of McKinley Sherrod's Senior Comps: *Depictions of Latinos in English media*. (In Progress).
- 2013 **International Studies:** Advisor/Reader of Emily Shapiro's Senior Comps: *Latino Underperformance in U.S. Schools: An Examination of its Puzzling Persistence and Potential Solutions*. (Received High Pass).
- 2009 **International Studies:** Reader of Sophie Davis-Cohen's Senior Comps: *Waiting for Repatriation: A comparison of the formation and evolution of the Iraqi Jewish refugee cultural identity in Israel, with the Palestinian refugee identity in Jordan*. (Received Distinction).

## Research Experience

- 2006-2007 **National Institute of Mental Health Post Doctoral Fellow, Mental Health Services Research, Rutgers University.** NIMH Grant #5T32MH016242-27. (Principal Investigators: David Mechanic, Ph.D. & Allan Horowitz, Ph.D., Medical Sociologists). Institute of Health, Health Care Policy & Aging Research. Research focused on cultural and ethnic variations in mental health. Site Mentors: Peter Guarnaccia, Ph.D., Medical Anthropologist, Glorisa Canino, University of Puerto Rico, & Hector Bird, M.D., Columbia University.
- 2004-2006 **National Institute of Mental Health Post Doctoral Fellow, Family Research Consortium IV, UCLA.** NIMH Grant # 5T32MH019734-13. Joint Position as an NIMH funded UCLA Post Doctoral Fellow & Visiting Scholar at Rutgers University, Institute of Health, Health Care Policy & Aging Research. Mentor: Peter Guarnaccia, Ph.D., Medical Anthropologist.
- 1999-2000 **Interviewer.** Dept of Social Work, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. Involved in three separate NIMH funded studies. Primary study was a large longitudinal study investigating the psychological functioning and service utilization of severely mentally ill mothers. Subset of the study investigated custody losses experienced by the mothers and the adjustment of their children. Conducted bilingual home interviews. Translated measures into Spanish. Supervisor: Daphne Oserman, Ph.D., Sociologist.
- 1995-1997 **Project Coordinator.** Latina Adolescent Parenting Project, Kent State University, Kent, OH. Community based research investigating the contextual, individual, and child variables involved in the psychological development of young Puerto Rican mothers. Conducted recruitment and computer-assisted (laptop) interviews of participants in either English or Spanish in their homes. Videotaped and coded mother-child interactions. Translation of measures. Ran lab meetings. Supervised assistants. Mentor: Josefina Contreras, Ph.D., Clinical Psychologist.

- 1994-1995 **Research Coordinator.** Dept. of Psychiatry, Case Western Reserve University/University Hospitals of Cleveland, Cleveland, OH. Assistant to the Chairman of the Department of Psychiatry. Coordinated multiple research projects. Recruited first-time diagnosed adolescent schizophrenics to undergo battery of tests to investigate the relationship between child and adult schizophrenia. Helped implement numerous drug sponsored pharmacological studies investigating the efficacy of novel antipsychotics (i.e., risperidone, ziprasidone) for treatment resistant schizophrenic and borderline patients. Wrote IRB protocols. Devised research budgets. Supervisor: Charles Schultz, M.D.
- 1992-1994 **Research Assistant.** The Mood and Personality Disorder Program. Mt. Sinai Medical Center (New York) & Veteran's Administration Medical Center (Bronx), New York, Part of a 4 million, 10-year funded research team, investigating the biological correlates of mood and personality disorders. Created and supervised computerized data system of all protocols. Trained by O.S.H.A. to carry out drug challenge studies (e.g., d-amphetamine, fenfluramine & clonidine). Assisted in lumbar puncture protocol. Administered psychological measures. Supervisors: Larry Siever & Robert Trestman, MDs.

## Clinical Experience

- 2001-2002 **Psychology Intern.** *University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.* APA approved clinical psychology internship at University of Michigan Counseling & Psychological Services. Conducted brief individual and process group therapy, weekly intakes, eating disorders assessment, and clinical supervision of doctoral student. Served as liaison for Office of International Students. Specialization in ethnic minority and international students.
- 2000 **Psychology Trainee.** Private Practice, Ann Arbor, MI. Responsibilities included psychological assessments for disability claims.
- 2000 **Psychology Intern.** Federal Correctional Facility, Milan, OH. Translator for Spanish speaking inmates. Conducted assessments in Spanish.
- 1998-1999 **Psychology Intern** Department of Ohio Corrections: Lorain, Trumbull, & Warren County, OH. Completed three separate rotations at all-male prisons as part of clinical placement requirement at Kent State University. Institutions varied from Minimal Security to Supermax. Facilitated various groups (interpersonal, cognitive, anger management), conducted therapy and assessments. Completed mental health screenings and involuntary commitment hearings. Sessions conducted in English and Spanish. Supervisor: Paul Goodwin. Ph.D.

1996-1997 **Student Clinician.** Psychological Clinic, Kent State University, Kent, OH. Conducted intakes, short and long-term individual therapy, couples therapy, and assessments with college and community populations. Sessions conducted in Spanish and English.

### University Service (\*ongoing commitments)

2014 Met with external reviewers for Kenyon Summer Science Program.  
 2014 Met with external reviewers for Women and Gender Studies Program.  
 2014 Invited Speaker: Dr. Jason Irizarry, Associate Professor of Multicultural Education. Organized speaker to come to campus to speak about culturally responsive pedagogy.  
 2013 Hispanic Heritage Month. Participant.  
 2013\* Faculty Subcommittee on Global Engagement  
 2013 Consultant to Admissions Office regarding how to redesign Kenyon College web page to attract Spanish-speaking students  
 2011\* Latino Studies Advisory Board  
 2011 Co-Founder of Latino Studies Concentration.  
 2011 Secretary to the Faculty  
 2011 Marilyn Yarbrough Dissertation/Teaching Fellowship Search Committee Member  
 2011 Center for Global Engagement Advisory Committee  
 2011 Co-hosted Film Discussion: "*I want to live in America: Representations of Puerto Ricans in West Side Story.*" Center for Global Engagement.  
 2010, 2011 Puerto Rican Heritage Month. Joint presentation with Profs García and Roman-Odio and Fine Arts Librarian Carmen King.  
 2010\* Transnational Feminism Collective Member.  
 2009\* Crossroads Seminar Member.  
 2009\* Women and Gender Studies Advisory Board.  
 2009 STEM Panelist for Trustees' Diversity Committee, Standing committee of the Kenyon College Board of Trustees.  
 2009 Natural Sciences Representative at Trustee Opportunities Scholar Weekend.  
 2009 Creation of Day of Dialogue Symposium for MLK Day, funded through KCCDF.  
 2008 Marilyn Yarbrough Dissertation/Teaching Fellowship Search Committee Member.  
 2008 Latino Film Series. "*Living La Vida Loca*": *U.S. Latin@s in Film and Music Videos*. Film series conducted in collaboration with Prof. Ivonne García and Fine Arts Librarian Carmen King. Sponsored from Kenyon College Community Development Fund.  
 2008 Kenyon College New Faculty Orientation Panelist.  
 2008 Participation in Kenyon Educational Enrichment Program (KEEP) geared toward retaining retention risk students.  
 2008 Participation in the LINKS program geared toward attracting minority students.  
 2008 Participation in Diversity Awareness Week: Economic Diversity at Kenyon.

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2008 Helped with reception for noted Puerto Rican poet, Martin Espada.

### Departmental Service (\*ongoing commitments)

2014 Psychology Tenure Review Committee  
 2013-4 Participated in Psi Chi banquet.  
 2014 Invited Speaker: Dr. Amanda Clinton, Associate Professor of Psychology at the University of Puerto Rico. Organized speaker who came to campus to speak about semi-lingual assessment.  
 2013 Organized trip to Trumbull Correctional Institution, Ohio, Department of Rehabilitation and Correction.  
 2012 Psychology Biopsychology Search Committee.  
 2010-2012 Off Campus Activities Program Coordinator  
 2008-2009 Psychology Group: Undergraduate Advisor  
 2008\* Preprofessional Liaison for Clinical and Counseling Psychology  
 2008-2009 Took students to Ohio Undergraduate Psychology Conference  
 2009 Hosted speaker: Medical Anthropologist Eileen Anderson-Fye, PhD., Assistant Professor of Anthropology and Associate Director of the Schubert Center for Child Development at Case Western Reserve University.  
 2007 Hosted speaker: Clinical Psychologist, Paul Goodwin, PhD, Mental Health Administrator, Clinical Director, Trumbull Correctional Institution, Ohio, Department of Rehabilitation and Correction.

### Professional Service

2011, 13-14 APA Committee on International Relations. Nominee and Alternate.  
 2011-2012 Div. 2's Liaison to the Committee on International Relations in Psychology  
 2011 Lobbied Congress on behalf of APA for protection of the Minority Fellowship Program and the General Psychology Education Program.  
 2008-2011 American Psychology Association for Committee on Socioeconomic Status, Task Force Member.

### Conference & Book Reviews

2014 Reviewed book on teaching Introduction to Women & Gender Studies for Oxford University Press.  
 2014 Reviewed book on bilingual assessment, APA Books.  
 2004; 2008 National Latina/o Psychological Association. Conference Evaluator.

### Grant & Program Reviews

2010 Input given regarding APA's response to the Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) reauthorization legislation.

- 2010 Reviewed grant on the preliminary evaluation of a maternal-child health ward in the Dominican Republic. Program established through the Diller Foundation with aide from Project Hope.
- 2009 Reviewed APA Task Force Report on the Psychosocial Effects of War on Children and Families Who are Refugees from Armed Conflict Residing in the United States
- 2007-2008 Consultant on Developing Interventions for Latino Children, Youth, and Families on (NIMH Grant # R13 MH077403). PI: Luis H. Zayas, Ph.D.
- 2007 Reviewer of federal program Hispanic Health Marriage Initiative.

## Manuscript Reviews

Journal of Latina/o Psychology (APA journal), *Reviewer* (2013-2015)  
 Journal of Family Issues, *Ad Hoc Reviewer*  
 Journal of Research on Adolescence, *Ad Hoc Reviewer*  
 Clinical Case Studies, *Ad Hoc Reviewer*  
 Applied Developmental Science, *Ad Hoc Reviewer*  
 CNS Neuroscience and Therapeutics. *Ad Hoc Reviewer*  
 Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health, *Ad Hoc Reviewer*  
 Journal of Counseling Psychology (APA journal), *Ad Hoc Reviewer*  
 Cultural Diversity & Ethnic Minority Psychology (APA journal), *Ad Hoc Reviewer*  
 Journal of Youth and Adolescence, *Ad Hoc Reviewer*  
 Journal of Mental Health Counseling, *Ad Hoc Reviewer*

## Media Coverage

- Featured in APA Monitor in regards to APA sponsored trip to Cuba: <http://www.apa.org/international/pi/2012/06/cuba.aspx> (June 2012)
- Featured in Kenyon Collegian in regards to new Latino Studies concentration: <http://www.kenyoncollegian.com/news/interdisciplinary-programs-to-prepare-students-for-life-after-kenyon-1.2762125> (Jan, 2012)
- Featured in Kenyon College *Fortnightly Newsletter*. (2011) <http://www.kenyon.edu/x57121.xml>
- Appeared in Kenyon Collegian in regards to campus wide talks concerning discrimination (April 2009).
- Appeared in Kenyon Collegian with regards to the MLK Jr Day of Dialogue (Jan 22, 2009). <http://media.www.kenyoncollegian.com/media/storage/paper821/news/2009/01/22/Features/Day-Of.Dialogue.Honors.Mlk.Jr.Day-3594036.shtml>
- Taped symposium on Anxiety and Latino youth taped as part of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies Conference (Nov. 2008).
- Featured in the newsletter, *El Boletín*, for the National Latino/a Psychological Association (Nov. 2008).
- Featured in online newsletter for the National Hispanic Science Network, *El Faro: La Voz de la Red* (Nov. 2008).

- Interviewed for Kenyon Collegian with regards to Latino Film Series. (Sept. 2008.)  
<http://media.www.kenyoncollegian.com/media/storage/paper821/news/2008/09/11/Ae/Living.La.Vida.Loca-3426434.shtml>
- Interviewed by gradPsych, the APA organization for Psychology Graduates for feature on “Finding a family-friendly internship”.  
<http://gradpsych.apags.org/mar05/cover-friendly.html> (March, 2005).
- Interviewed for Adelanteonline.com with regards to skin color research. This is an online magazine serving Latinos in Central Missouri. (Summer, 2003)  
[http://www.adelantesi.com/Archive/Sept03/psychologist\\_eng.htm](http://www.adelantesi.com/Archive/Sept03/psychologist_eng.htm)
- Dissertation Featured in Photonics Spectra: A trade magazine on spectrophotometry. “Study Quantifies Shades of Social Acceptance” July, 2001, p. 52. <http://www.photonics.com/Article.aspx?AID=9723>
- Featured in interview for Psychology Today: “Personality Assessment: A normal guy gets tested for mental illness” (Jan. 1994)  
<http://www.psychologytoday.com/articles/pto-19940101-000025.html>

## Community Service

- 2012 Organized community service projects for students in Rome, Italy.
- 2012; 2014 Organized community service projects for Latino Psychology course, Kenyon College.
- 2014 Organized community service projects for Women & Gender Studies Kenyon College.
- 2011-12 Organized community service projects for Women & Gender Studies Kenyon College.
- 2011 Organized donation of hotel toiletries for local shelters as part of the APA Conference in Washington, DC.

## Selected Professional Development

### Seminars At Kenyon

- 2013 The Teaching of the African Diaspora. Cross Roads TTT Seminar.
- 2013 Community-Based Research and Service Learning Summer Seminar.
- 2012 Women, Gender and Sexuality in the Islamic World. Title VI Summer Seminar.
- 2011 Methodology & the Law. Kenyon Justice Project Faculty Development Seminar.
- 2011 What is Race? Cross Roads TTT Seminar.
- 2010 Transnational Approaches to Teaching Race and Feminism. TTT Seminar.
- 2010 Race & the Law. Kenyon College Justice Project Faculty Development Seminar.
- 2010 Writing Across the Curriculum. TTT Seminar.
- 2010 African Diaspora. Cross Roads TTT Seminar.
- 2009 Media & the Law. Kenyon College Justice Project Faculty Development Seminar.
- 2008 Asian Perspectives on Humanity. TTT Seminar.
- 2008 Death by Law. Kenyon Justice Project Faculty Development Seminar.

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## Training Conferences

- 2014 Digital Scholarship Conference, Ann Arbor, MI.
- 2014 Danish Institute for Study Abroad, International Educators Conference, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2013 Lilly Conference on College and University Teaching, Miami University, Oxford, OH.
- 2013 APA Training Workshop: Understanding the DSM 5: Problems and Prospects in the Diagnostic Revisions. Honolulu, Hawaii.
- 2013 APA Training Workshop: The New Statistics. An Introduction: Confidence Intervals, Effect Sizes, and Meta-Analysis. Honolulu, Hawaii.
- 2011 APA Methodology Course: Structural Equation Modeling. Washington, DC.
- 2011; 2014 National Institute on the Teaching of Psychology. Tampa, Florida
- 2009 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's New Connections Third Annual Symposium. Princeton, NJ.
- 2008 APA Advanced Training Institute in Research Methods in Diverse Racial and Ethnic Groups. East Lansing, Michigan.
- 2006 Randomized Controlled Clinical Trials and Community Based Participatory Research Conference. Supported by University of Puerto Rico and the Cambridge Health Alliance Center, San Juan, PR.
- 2005 Psychology of Survey Response. Joint Program in Statistical Methodology, University of Maryland. Funded through their minority fellowship. Boston, Mass.
- 2004 Introduction to STATA. Full day workshop, Stata Corp., Boston, Mass.

## Professional Affiliations

### American Psychological Association

- Division 2: Society for the Teaching of Psychology  
Standing Committee Member of international Relations
- Division 35: Society for the Psychology of Women
- Division 45: Society for the Psychological Study of Ethnic Minorities
- Division 52: Division of International Psychology  
Standing Committee on International Committee for Women
- Division 56: Division of Trauma Psychology

### American Anthropological Association

World Association of Cultural Psychiatry

National Latina/o Psychological Association

International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology

Multiethnic Advocates for Cultural Competence, Columbus, Ohio.

Association of Working Class Academics

## Languages Spoken

- English: Native speaker.
- Spanish: Heritage speaker. Professional working proficiency.

Italian: Elementary proficiency.  
 French: Elementary proficiency.

## International Experience

Have traveled and/or lectured worldwide:

Africa: South Africa (2x), Mauritius, Ghana  
 Asia: Japan, China (Mainland & Hong Kong), Viet Nam,  
 India (lived for 5 months; visited 2x)  
 North America: Canada, Mexico  
 Caribbean: Jamaica, Dominican Republic, Cuba, Puerto Rico (ongoing)  
 South America: Brazil  
 Europe: Belgium, Cyprus, Italy (lived for 6 months; visited 5x),  
 England (lived for 5 months), Scotland, France (2x), Spain,  
 Denmark (upcoming)

## Student Mentorship

\*identifies as Latina;

†identifies as either U.S. domestic minority or first generation college student;

††identifies as an international student

### Class of 2014

#### **Bronte Kastenber**

- Independent Study on skin bleaching. Presented at APA conference (2011)

#### **Olivia Siulagi**<sup>†</sup>

- Legal Studies Scholar (2013)
- Honorable mention on Davis Peace Prize (2012)
- Was part of the Kenyon in Rome program (2012)

#### **Melek Yildiz Spinel**<sup>\*††</sup>

- Summer Science Scholar (2012 & 2013)
- Independent Studies on skin bleaching and *telenovelas*.
- Co-author on book chapter on ethnic identity and phenotype.
- Presented at Ohio Undergraduate Research Psychology Conference (2011)
- Presented at Eating Disorders Conference in Montego Bay, Jamaica (2012)
- Presented at Mid-West Psychological Association Conference (2013)

### Class of 2013

#### **Leigha Grosh**<sup>†</sup>

- Did research on skin bleaching and presented at the Eating Disorders Conference in Montego Bay, Jamaica (2012)

### Class of 2011

#### **Alice Adeola Adebisi**<sup>††</sup>

- Attending graduate school in global mental health in London, England.

#### **Elizabeth Aznar\***

- Essay was considered for a special issue to the Harvard Educational Review on the Latino Undergraduate Experience.
- Received travel award for APA Conference on Diversity in Clinical Psychology (2011).

#### **Analise Gonzalez\***

- Presented and awarded top prize at the Ohio Psychological Association (2010) and co-authored an article that appeared in the *Ohio Psychologist*.
- As part of independent study co-authored an Elsevier Encyclopedia entry on Skin Color and Appearance (2010)
- Traveled together on Semester at Sea Program
- Obtained a position for Teach for America

#### **Avril Ho<sup>††</sup>**

- Presented and awarded top prize at the Ohio Psychological Association (2010) and co-authored an article that appeared in the *Ohio Psychologist*.
- Presented at the Ohio Undergraduate Psychology Conference (2011)
- As part of independent study co-authored an Elsevier Encyclopedia entry on Skin Color and Appearance (2010)
- Presented at APA conference on content analysis of skin bleaching (2011)

#### **Marina Prado-Steiman\***

- Co-author on book chapter on immigration and acculturation
- Published article in the newsletter of The Ohio Psychologist
- Presented at Ohio Psychological Association (2008, 2009) and won Honorable Mention (2009)
- Invited talk for Multiethnic Advocates for Cultural Competence (2010)
- Helped with getting summer research experience with sociologist Dr. Fernando Rivera
- Attending Law School

#### **Nancy Troung<sup>†</sup>**

- Independent study on educational attainment among Vietnamese
- Presented at Ohio Undergraduate Research Psychology Conference & the Asian American Psychological Association Conference (2011)
- Attending graduate school for counseling psychology

#### **Class of 2010**

##### **Kelsey Chapman<sup>†</sup>**

- Paper accepted for conference of Working Class Studies Association Conference, Pittsburgh, PA, 2009
- Attending graduate school in counseling psychology (2010)

##### **Dan Lakin**

- Summer Science Scholar. (Summer 2008): Investigating the association of TKS with DSMIV Disorders
- Independent Study (Fall 2008). Distinguishing between TKS and Social Phobia

- Poster accepted for 23rd National Conference on Undergraduate Research (2009)
- Completed an NIMH summer internship.
- Attending Columbia University graduate school for clinical psychology

#### **Megan Wilhelm**

- Obtained Fulbright Scholarship to study interethnic conflict in Cyprus
- Attending graduate school in sociology with race/ethnicity focus.

#### **Class of 2009**

##### **Diana Ruskin**

- Worked on independent research on the association of *ataques* and anxiety
- Poster presented at the Ohio Psychological Association. Columbus, OH (2008); at the annual NIMH sponsored Family Research Consortium Conference. New Orleans, Louisiana & Anxiety Disorders Association of America Conference: Anxiety and Health, Santa Ana Pueblo, New Mexico
- Accepted to master's program in counseling psychology

##### **Lovey Walker\*†**

- Independent Study. (Spring 2008). The Experiences of Women of Color.
- Travel Award to APA Conference on Diversity in Clinical Psychology
- Presented a talk the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Undergraduate Psychology Research Conference, Dayton, Ohio (2009)
- Poster accepted for 23rd National Conference on Undergraduate Research (2009)
- Attending graduate school in counseling psychology (2010).

#### **Class of 2008**

##### **Alice Lowy**

- Attending graduate school in counseling psychology (2013).

#### **Supervised Graduate Students**

1. Noé Rubén Chávez\*, M.A. (2008) Community Psychology, University of Illinois, Chicago.
2. Michelle Cruz-Santiago\*, M.A. (2008). Clinical-Community Psychology, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.
3. Francine Sevogia\*, M.A. (2008). Social Psychology, University of Michigan.