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EDUCATION

University of California, Irvine (Fall 2007 – Present).

Ph.D. student in Sociology

-Graduate Emphasis in Chicano/Latino Studies

-Field examinations in Immigration and Inequality (Race)

University of California, Irvine (Spring 2010).

M.A., Sociology

Second-year paper: “*The Health of Latino Adolescents and the Transition to Young Adulthood.*”

Biola University – La Mirada, California (May 2007).

B.A., Sociology

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Immigration, Health Inequalities, Race/Ethnicity, Families, and the Transition to Adulthood

PUBLICATIONS

Zambrano, Carolyn. 2010. “Health and the Transition to Adulthood: Does Immigrant Generational Status Matter?” *Field Actions Science Report*.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

Biola University (Fall 2005 – Summer 2006)

Growing Up in America: The Power of Race in Lives of Teens. Stanford University Press, 2010. PIs: Brad Christerson, Richard Flory, and Korie Edwards.

Research Assistant, Student Researcher

University of California, Irvine (Summer 2006)

Completed project examining Latino student achievement using the “Study of Promising After-School Programs” with Gil Q. Conchas and Eduardo Mosqueda.

PRESENTATIONS

“The Nutritional Behavior of Immigrant Adolescents.” 1st Annual University of California Global Health Day. Irvine, CA. November 30, 2010. [Poster presentation]

“Latinos, Obesity, and the Transition to Adulthood.” 2010 Add Health Users Conference. Bethesda, MD. July 23, 2010.

“The Health of Latino Adolescents and the Transition to Adulthood: Results from Wave 4 of Add Health.” University of California Center of Expertise on Migration and Health 1st Annual Research Training Workshop. La Jolla, CA. May 13, 2010.

“The Health of Latino Adolescents and the Transition to Adulthood.” Pacific Sociological Association Conference. San Diego, CA. April 10, 2009.

“Creating Positive Social Capital: How After-School Programs Can Benefit Low-Income Latino Students.” SURF Research Symposium, University of California, Irvine. August 17, 2006.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor

Sociology 460: Topics: Immigration and Society (Biola University, Fall 2010 & Spring 2011)

Teaching Assistant

Public Health 144, Health Behavior Theory (UCI, Summer 2011)

Sociology 135/Psychology 178N, Socialization, Self, and Identity (UCI, Winter 2011)

Chicano Studies 62, Chicano Studies II (UCI, Fall 2010)

Sociology 63, Race and Ethnicity (UCI, Spring 2010)

Chicano Studies 189/Psychology 192Q, Chicano/Latino Social Psychology (UCI, Winter 2010)

Chicano Studies 158W/Women’s Studies 139W, Feminisms of Color (UCI, Fall 2009)

Sociology 41, Small Group Behavior (UCI, Spring 2009)

Sociology 39/Psychology 78A, Introduction to Social Psychology (UCI, Fall 2008 & Spring 2011)

Chicano/Latino Studies 61, Chicano Studies I (UCI, Spring 2008)

Sociology 180, Writing Seminar: Sociology of Alternative Medicine (UCI, Winter 2008 & Summer 2008)

Sociology 154, Medical Sociology (UCI, Fall 2007 & Winter 2009)

Sociology 443, Methods of Sociological Research (Biola University, Fall 2006 & Spring 2007)

Sociology 376, Baja California in Social & Cultural Context (Biola University, January 2007)

HONORS AND ACADEMIC AWARDS

UC Irvine Center for Latinos in a Global Society Research Fellowship (Summer 2009)

UC Irvine Department of Sociology, Summer Research Fellowship (Summer 2008)

Who’s Who Among American College & University Students (Fall 2007)

UC Irvine Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (Summer 2006)

Biola University Dean’s List (Fall 2005 and Spring 2006)

Biola University Academic Scholarship (2004 – 2007)

Biola University, SURGE Scholar (2004 – 2007)

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University of California, Irvine

Co-Chair, Sociology Graduate Student Assn. (2010-present)

Recorder, Chican@/Latin@ Graduate Student Collective, (2010-present)

Representative to 2nd Year Cohort, Sociology Graduate Student Assn. (2008 – 2009)

Open House Committee Co-Chair, Sociology Graduate Student Assn. (2007 – 2008)

Biola University

Associated Students, Multicultural Relations Department Chair. (2005 – 2006)

Vice Provost’s Diversity Leadership Committee, Student Member. (2005 – 2006)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE & MEMBERSHIPS

Reviewer, *Social Science and Medicine*

American Sociological Association, Student Member

Pacific Sociological Association, Student Member

LANGUAGES

Spanish – native fluency in speaking, reading, and writing.