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EDUCATION

Ph.D.	University of New Hampshire (Sociology)	1972-1975
M.A.	New School for Social Research (Sociology)	1968-1970
B.S.	St. Peter's College (Sociology)	1964-1968

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Professor Emeritus, Department of Sociology Georgia State University	2012-present
Professor, Department of Sociology Georgia State University	1990-2011
Associate Professor, Department of Sociology Georgia State University	1981-1990
Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology Georgia State University	1975-1981
Graduate Assistant, Department of Sociology University of New Hampshire	1972-1975

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

Chair, Department of Sociology Georgia State University	1995-1998
Graduate Director, Department of Sociology Georgia State University	1986-1988

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Family	History of Fatherhood/Motherhood/Childhood
Gender	Culture and Cognition
Theory	Collective Memory
Social Psychology	Qualitative and Historical Methods
War	Content Analysis

COURSES TAUGHT

Introduction to Sociology (undergrad)	Qualitative Methods (grad)
Social Problems (undergrad)	Research Methods (grad)
Social Psychology (undergrad)	Cognitive Sociology (undergrad, grad)
Family Sociology (undergrad, grad)	Family Studies (grad)
Family Violence (undergrad, grad, honors)	Parents and Children (honors)
Birth and Parenthood (undergrad, grad, honors)	Writing for Publication (grad)

PUBLICATIONS

Books, Monographs, and Edited Volumes

Ralph LaRossa. *Of War and Men: World War II in the Lives of Fathers and Their Families*. University of Chicago Press, 2011.

Ralph LaRossa. *The Modernization of Fatherhood: A Social and Political History*. University of Chicago Press, 1997.

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Ralph LaRossa. "Warfare and Parent Care: Armed Conflict and the Social Logic of Child and National Protection." Chapter 6 in Shelley MacDermid Wadsworth and David S. Riggs (eds.), *War and Family Life*. (Presentation at International Research Symposium on Military Families sponsored by the Military Family Research Institute at Purdue University.) Springer, 2016.

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Kevin Roy, Anisa Zvonkovic, Abbie Goldberg, Elizabeth Sharp, and Ralph LaRossa. "Sampling Richness and Qualitative Integrity: Challenges for Research with Families," *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 2015, vol. 77, pp. 243-260.

Ralph LaRossa. "Thinking About the Nature and Scope of Qualitative Research," *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 2012, vol. 74, pp. 678-687.

Ralph LaRossa. "Writing and Reviewing Manuscripts in the Multidimensional World of Qualitative Research," *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 2012, vol. 74, pp. 643-659.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Historical Study of Fatherhood: Theoretical and Methodological Considerations." Chapter 2 in Mechtild Oechsle, Ursula Müller, and Sabine Hess (eds.), *Fatherhood in Late Modernity: Cultural Images, Social Practices, Structural Frames* (Presentation at Conference on "Fatherhood in Late Modernity," Center for Interdisciplinary Research, Bielefeld University, Germany). Barbara Budrich Publishers, 2012.

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Ralph LaRossa. "Single-Parent Family Discourse in Popular Magazines and Social Science Journals," *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 2009, vol. 71, pp. 235-239.

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Ralph LaRossa. "Grounded Theory Methods and Qualitative Family Research," *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 2005, vol. 67, pp. 837-857.

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Phillip W. Davis, Jennifer L. Chandler, and Ralph LaRossa. "'I've Tried the Switch but He Laughs Through the Tears': The Use and Conceptualization of Corporal Punishment During the Machine Age, 1924-1939," *Child Abuse and Neglect*, 2004, vol. 28, pp. 1291-1310.

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Amy Laura Dombro. "Spotlight on Research: World War II in the Lives of Fathers and Their Families." Interview with Ralph LaRossa. In Karen Rose Blaisure, Tara Saathoff-Wells, Angela Pereira, Shelley MacDermid Wadsworth, and Amy Laura Dombro, *Serving Military Families: Theories, Research, and Application* (Second Edition). Routledge, 2016, pp. 238-239.

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Ralph LaRossa, Wendy Simonds, and Donald C. Reitzes. "Culture, Cognition, and Parenthood," Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 2003.

Ralph LaRossa. "Constructing the Transition to Parenthood," American Sociological Association, 2003.

Ralph LaRossa. "Teaching About Family Violence" (Invited Panel Presentation), American Sociological Association, 2002. (Sponsored by Sociologists for Women in Society and the Society for the Study of Social Problems.)

Ralph LaRossa. "The Culture of Fatherhood in Post-World War II America, 1945-1959," Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction, in conjunction with the American Sociological Association, 2002.

Phillip W. Davis, Jennifer Chandler, and Ralph LaRossa. "'I've Tried the Switch But He Laughs Through the Tears': Concerns About Corporal Punishment in Early 20th Century America," Southern Sociological Society, 2002.

Ralph LaRossa, Charles Jaret, Malati Gadgil, and G. Robert Wynn. "Gender Disparities in Mother's Day and Father's Day Comic Strips: A 55 Year History," Southern Sociological Society, 2001.

Ralph LaRossa. "Fatherhood and Motherhood in Post-World War II America, 1945-1964: Taking Another Look," National Council on Family Relations, 2000.

Ralph LaRossa and Donald C. Reitzes. "The Impact of Early 20th Century Urbanization and the Great Depression on 'Chronometrical Childhood,'" National Council on Family Relations, 1999.

Ralph LaRossa, Charles Jaret, Malati Gadgil, and G. Robert Wynn. "The Culture of Parenthood in Father's Day and Mother's Day Comics," American Sociological Association, 1999.

Ralph LaRossa. "A Call from a Child: Help Seeking Behavior Among Early 20th Century American Youth," Southern Sociological Society, 1999.

Pauline Boss, William Doherty, Ralph LaRossa, Walter Schumm, and Suzanne Steinmetz. "The Sourcebook and Beyond" (Invited Panel Presentation), Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1998.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Social Realities of Fatherhood and Motherhood: Toward an Interpretive Understanding of the Culture of Parenthood," Southern Sociological Society, 1998.

Paula Dressel, Ralph LaRossa, Donald C. Reitzes, and Frank Whittington. "Sociologists as University Administrators: From Lines of Divide to Lines of Collaboration" (Panel Presentation), Southern Sociological Society, 1997.

Ralph LaRossa and Jaimie Ann Carboy. "How the Message that Men Should Be Involved with Children Can be Thwarted by Business Interests and Ideological Constraints: The Rise and Fall of the Parents' Day Movement in the 1920s and 1930s," National Council on Family Relations, 1996.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Culture of Fatherhood and the Early 20th Century Popular Press," National Council on Family Relations, 1995.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Making of the American Father: Lessons from the Machine Age" (Keynote Address), Family Council of North Carolina, 1995.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Pursuit of Justice and the Creation of Father's Day and Mother's Day," Southern Sociological Society, 1995.

Ralph LaRossa. "Fatherhood and the Early 20th Century 'Save the Babies' Movement: Men's Letters to the U.S. Children's Bureau, 1915-1940," American Anthropological Association, 1994.

Ralph LaRossa. "Fatherhood and the Early 20th Century Child Study Industry," National Council on Family Relations, 1994.

Ralph LaRossa. "Toward New Developments in Constructivist Thinking About the Family" (Invited Panel Presentation), National Council on Family Relations, 1994.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Politics of Gender and the Social Construction of American Fatherhood," Pre-Conference Workshop, "Anticipating the Future of Males in Families," sponsored by the Minnesota Council on Family Relations, in conjunction with the National Council on Family Relations, 1994.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Future of Males in Families: Multidisciplinary Perspectives" (Invited Panel Presentation), Pre-Conference Workshop, "Anticipating the Future of Males in Families," sponsored by the Minnesota Council on Family Relations, in conjunction with the National Council on Family Relations, 1994.

Ralph LaRossa. "Reflections on Fatherhood" (Invited Presentation), Southeastern Council on Family Relations, 1994.

Ralph LaRossa and Donald C. Reitzes. "Father Involvement Among Yesterday's Dads: Rethinking the Findings from the Early Middletown Studies," National Council on Family Relations, 1993.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Culture and Conduct of Fatherhood in Early 20th Century America," American Sociological Association, 1993.

Ralph LaRossa. "Child in the Machine Age, Father in the Postmodern Age: Toward a Historical Understanding of Elder Men in the Late 20th Century" (Invited Presentation), National Institute on Aging Seminar on Men's Caregiving Roles in an Aging Society, 1993.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Science of Child Rearing and the Social Placement of the American Father" (Invited Plenary Address), Southwestern Sociological Association, in conjunction with the Southwestern Social Science Association, 1993.

Pauline Boss, William Doherty, Ralph LaRossa, Walter Schumm, Suzanne Steinmetz. "Sourcebook of Family Theories and Methods: A Contextual Approach" (Progress Report), National Council on Family Relations, 1992.

Ralph LaRossa. "Teaching About Family Violence" (Invited Panel Presentation), American Sociological Association, 1992.

Ralph LaRossa and Donald C. Reitzes. "Father Involvement in Middle Class Families Prior to and During the Great Depression," American Sociological Association, 1992.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Language of Parenthood" (Invited Plenary Address), Family Communication Commission, Speech Communication Association, 1991.

Ralph LaRossa and Donald C. Reitzes. "Situational Factors in Parental Involvement: Child Rearing in the Middle Class, 1925-1939," American Sociological Association, 1991.

Ralph LaRossa. "Teaching a Course in Family Violence: Issues, Resources, and Strategies" (Invited Panel Presentation), Southern Sociological Society, 1991.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Social Construction of American Fatherhood, 1918 to 1941," Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction, in conjunction with the American Sociological Association, 1990.

Ralph LaRossa. "Fatherhood in Early 20th Century America," Second National Men's Studies Conference, 1990.

Pauline Boss, William Doherty, Ralph LaRossa, Walter Schumm, Suzanne Steinmetz. "Sourcebook of Family Theories and Methods: A Contextual Approach" (Progress Report), National Council on Family Relations, 1988.

Ralph LaRossa. "Toward a Social History of Fatherhood in America," Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1988.

Ralph LaRossa. "Fatherhood and Social Change: Theoretical and Methodological Issues," American Sociological Association, 1988.

Ralph LaRossa. "Families Close Up: Methods and Ethics in Qualitative Family Research," Conference on Qualitative Research in Education, University of Georgia, 1988.

- Ralph LaRossa. "The Social Construction of Family Science" (Invited Panel Presentation), Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1986.
- Jane H. Wolf and Ralph LaRossa. "The Institutionalization of Wife Abuse," National Council on Family Relations, 1985.
- Ralph LaRossa. "In-Depth Interviewing in Family Medicine Research" (Invited Presentation), Conference on Family Systems in Medicine, 1985.
- Ralph LaRossa and Jane H. Wolf. "Qualitative Family Research: The State of the Art," Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1984.
- Ralph LaRossa. "Case Studies in Family Life Education," Georgia Council on Family Relations, 1984.
- Ralph LaRossa. "Teaching Family Sociology: A Case Study Approach," Southern Sociological Society, 1983.
- Ralph LaRossa. "How Case Studies Can Improve Classroom Instruction," National Council on Family Relations, 1982.
- Ralph LaRossa. "Parenting, Family Conflict, and Conflict Resolution," Georgia Sociological Society, 1982.
- Ralph LaRossa. "Fathering," Conference on Nurse Midwifery and the Childbearing Family: Issues, Practice, Controversies" (Invited Presentation), Southern Consortium for Nurse Midwifery, 1981. Sponsored by the Department of Gynecology and Obstetrics, Emory University and the American College of Nurse Midwives.
- Ralph LaRossa. "Transition to Parenthood: Research Findings and Parent Education," National Council on Family Relations, 1981.
- Ralph LaRossa. "Negotiating Role Strain: Role-Taking and Role-Making During the Transition to Parenthood," Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1981.
- Ralph LaRossa. "The Transition to Parenthood," Eastern Sociological Society, 1981.
- Ralph LaRossa, Sandra A. Andrick, and James J. Dowd. "Temporal Processes in Elderly Marriage," The Gerontological Society, 1979.
- Ralph LaRossa and Maureen Mulligan LaRossa. "Husbands, Wives, and Infants," National Association for the Education of Young Children, 1979.
- Ralph LaRossa, Linda A. Bennett, and Richard J. Gelles. "Ethical Dilemmas in the Detailed Study of Families," Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1979.
- Ralph LaRossa and James J. Dowd. "The Time Machine: The Social Organization of a Women's Club, 1929-1978," Southern Sociological Society, 1979.

James J. Dowd and Ralph LaRossa. "Power and Dependency in Old Age: An Exchange View," The Gerontological Society, 1978.

Ralph LaRossa. "Conjoint Marital Interviewing as a Research Strategy," National Council on Family Relations, 1978.

Ralph LaRossa. "Male Sex Role Orientation During First Pregnancy," American Psychiatric Association, 1978.

Ralph LaRossa. "The Effect of the Newborn on the Husband-Wife System," Pre-Conference Workshop on Research, Population Association of America, 1978.

Ralph LaRossa. "Negotiating a Sexual Reality During Pregnancy: Language and Marital Politics," Southern Sociological Society, 1978.

James J. Dowd and Ralph LaRossa. "The Older Person and the Family," Southeastern Council on Family Relations, 1978.

Ralph LaRossa. "First Pregnancy, Sex Roles, and Marital Power," National Council on Family Relations, 1976.

Ralph LaRossa. "The First Pregnancy as a Marital Crisis: What We Know and Don't Know About the Effect of the First Pregnancy on the Husband-Wife Relationship," American Sociological Association, 1976.

Ralph LaRossa. "Couples Expecting Their First Child: Use of In-Depth Interviews," Pre-Conference Workshop on Research, Population Association of America, 1976.

Ralph LaRossa. "First Pregnancy: Marriage in Transition," National Council on Family Relations, 1974.

Ralph LaRossa. "Sarcasm as Verbal Violence," American Sociological Association, 1974.

SESSIONS ORGANIZED AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

"Qualitative Methodology I: Epistemology and Ethnography," American Sociological Association, 2017.

"Qualitative Methodology II: Narrative and Analysis," American Sociological Association, 2017.

"Cognitive Sociology," American Sociological Association, 2006.

"Conceptualizing Parenthood: Social Constructions of Family Identities," American Sociological Association, 2003. (Organized with Wendy Simonds.)

"Conceptualizing Parenthood: Cultural and Economic Frames," American Sociological Association, 2003. (Organized with Wendy Simonds.)

"Perspectives on Father Involvement" (Panel--Members of Vice-President Al Gore's Father to Father Board of Directors), National Council on Family Relations, 1997.

"Life Without Father" (Author-Meets-Critic Session, David Popenoe, Author; William J. Doherty and Constance L. Shehan, Critics), National Council on Family Relations, 1997.

"Looking Back, Moving Forward: Attachment from One Generation to the Next" (Plenary Session, Martha Farrell Erickson, Plenary Speaker), National Council on Family Relations, 1997.

"Producing the Mothers of the Nation: Race, Class, and Contemporary U.S. Population Policy" (Plenary Session, Patricia Hill Collins, Plenary Speaker), National Council on Family Relations, 1997.

"Daddy Strategies for the 21st Century: Involving Men in Children's Lives" (Plenary Session, James A. Levine, Plenary Speaker), National Council on Family Relations, 1997.

"The Historical Study of Fatherhood," National Council on Family Relations, 1995.

"Men in Families" (Focus Group Organizational Meeting), National Council on Family Relations, 1993. (Organized with William J. Doherty.)

"Parent-Child Interaction," Southern Sociological Society, 1991.

"Parenthood and Social Structure," Southern Sociological Society, 1991.

"Publishing Qualitative Family Research" (Qualitative Family Research Network session), National Council on Family Relations, 1988. (Organized with Katherine R. Allen.)

"Qualitative Family Research" (Qualitative Family Research Network session), National Council on Family Relations, 1987.

"Social Values and Commitment," Southern Sociological Society, 1987. (Organized with Donald C. Reitzes.)

"Qualitative Family Research," American Sociological Association, 1986.

"Gender Roles in Family Development" (Thematic Session organized at the invitation of the President of the American Sociological Association), American Sociological Association, 1983.

SESSIONS SERVED AS PRESIDER AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

"Do Institutions Think? A Look at Marriage and the Family," Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 2002.

"Maternal Identity Processes During Pregnancy" and "Parental Self-Significance: A Qualitative Inquiry into the Tendency to Evaluate the Self as Matter to Specific Others," Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1998.

"Predicting Father Involvement," National Council on Family Relations, 1996.

"Work, Family, and Fertility: Gender Differences in Social Cognition and Role Making," National Council on Family Relations, 1988.

"Family Life and Domestic Institutions," Georgia Sociological Association, 1984.

"Family and Social Factors in Child Maltreatment," Second National Conference for Family Violence Researchers, University of New Hampshire, 1984.

"Transition to Parenthood," National Council on Family Relations, 1982.

"Education Section II," Southeastern Council on Family Relations, 1982.

SESSIONS SERVED AS DISCUSSANT AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

"Creating Order Out of Chaos: Strategies for Situating Family Members in a Social Context Using Qualitative Data" (Thematic Session). American Sociological Association, 2014.

"Japanese Families in Transition: Results of Six-Country Comparative Research." National Council on Family Relations, 2008.

"Parent and Child Relations in Contemporary Japan and Korea." National Council on Family Relations, 2007.

Panel I. "Life Courses and Social Practices." Panel II. "Fatherhood and Gender Concepts." Conference on "Fatherhood in Late Modernity: Cultural Images, Social Practices, Structural Frames," Center for Interdisciplinary Research, Bielefeld University, Germany, 2007.

"Father Identity and Father Involvement." National Council on Family Relations, 2006.

"Father Involvement." National Council on Family Relations, 2005.

Plenary Session: "What Good are Fathers? A Critique of Gendered-Segregated Models of Parenting" by Scott Coltrane and Michele Adams. Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1999.

Author Meets Critics Session. Author: Barbara J. Risman, *Gender Vertigo*. Southern Sociological Society, 1999.

"Developing the Fatherhood Identity" and "The Father Role Identity." Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1997.

"A Working Symposium on the Issue of Fathering." Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1994.

"Qualitative Study of Whole Families in a Time of Great Change." Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1989.

"A Workshop in Qualitative Methodology for Family Researchers." Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1986.

"Perspectives on the Transition to Parenthood." Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1983.

"Thematic Session: Sociology of the Family." Southern Sociological Society, 1983.

"Mechanisms for Resolving Family Conflicts." National Conference on Peacemaking Conflict Resolution, 1983.

"Perspectives on Social Exchange." Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1982.

"Couples Interviewing and Naturalistic Observation." Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1978.

"Conflict Theory." Pre-Conference Theory/Methods Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1977.

OFFICES AND RECOGNITION IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Georgia Sociologist of the Year, Georgia Sociological Association, 2014.

Member, Distinguished Award Committee, Children and Youth Section, American Sociological Association, 2003.

Member, Nominating Committee, Research and Theory Section, National Council on Family Relations, 2002-2003.

Member, Steering Committee, *Sourcebook of Family Theories and Methods* Revision Project, National Council on Family Relations, 2001-2002.

Member, Best Student Paper Committee, Culture Section, American Sociological Association, 2001.

Member, Fellows Selection Committee, National Council on Family Relations, 2000-2002.

Consulting Scholar, Motherread/Fatheread, Inc., for National Endowment of Humanities Grant, *HomeWork: A Motherread/Fatheread Curriculum for Working Parents*, 2000-2001.

Member, Advisory Committee, *American Families: Century in Review*, National Council on Family Relations, 2000.

Member, Royalties Committee, Research and Theory Section, National Council on Family Relations, 2000.

Member, Committee on Honors, Southern Sociological Society, 1999-2002 (Chair May 2000-April 2001).

Member, Distinguished Service to Families Award Committee, Family Section, American Sociological Association, 1998.

Member, Board of Directors, National Council on Family Relations, 1995-1996, 1996-1997.

Program Vice President-Elect, National Council on Family Relations, 1995-1996; Program Vice President, National Council on Family Relations, 1996-1997. (Selected 1997 NCFR Program Theme: *Fatherhood and Motherhood in a Diverse and Changing World.*)

Member, Nominating Committee, Family Section, American Sociological Association, 1995.

Co-Founder (with William J. Doherty), Men in Families Focus Group, National Council on Family Relations, 1993.

Member, William J. Goode Distinguished Book Award Committee, Family Section, American Sociological Association, 1992.

Chair, Theory Construction and Research Methodology Workshop, National Council on Family Relations, 1985.

Founder, Qualitative Family Research Network, National Council on Family Relations, 1984.

Member, Reuben Hill Distinguished Article Award Committee, Research and Theory Section, National Council on Family Relations, 1982-1984, 1994, 2002, 2003.

President, Georgia Council on Family Relations, 1982-1984.

Member, Board of Directors, Georgia Council on Family Relations, 1979-1981

EDITORIAL POSITIONS

Deputy Editor, *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 2007-2012

Editorial Board, *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 1982-1987, 2002-2005, 2013-2016

Editorial Board, *Marriage and Family Review*, 1999-2016

Editorial Board, *Journal of Men's Studies*, 1992-2013

Editorial Board, *Fathering: A Journal of Theory, Research, and Practice about Men as Fathers*, 2002-2011

Editorial Board, *Journal of Family Life*, 2008-2011

Editor, *Qualitative Family Research Network Newsletter*, 1985-1988

Special Issue Editor, *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*, 1988 (vol. 17/3)

Review Editor, *Symbolic Interaction*, 1990-1992

Advisory Board, *Sourcebook of Family Theories and Methods* Revision Project, National Council on Family Relations, 2002-2004.

GRANT AND MANUSCRIPT REVIEWS

Granting Agencies

National Science Foundation
United Kingdom Economic and Social Research Council
Irish Research Council for the Humanities and Social Sciences
Austrian Science Fund

Journals

<i>American Journal of Sociology</i>	<i>Journal of Sex Research</i>
<i>American Sociological Review</i>	<i>J. of Soc. and Pers. Relationships</i>
<i>American Studies</i>	<i>Marriage and Family Review</i>
<i>Cultural Sociology</i>	<i>Men and Masculinities</i>
<i>Developmental Psychology</i>	<i>Personal Relationships</i>
<i>Deviant Behavior</i>	<i>Qualitative Sociology</i>
<i>Family and Consumer Science Research</i>	<i>Social Forces</i>
<i>Family Relations</i>	<i>Sociology Compass</i>
<i>Fathering</i>	<i>Sociological Focus</i>
<i>Gender and Society</i>	<i>Sociological Forum</i>
<i>Human Organization</i>	<i>Social Problems</i>
<i>Journal of Comparative Family Studies</i>	<i>Sociological Perspective</i>
<i>Journal of Contemporary Ethnography</i>	<i>Sociological Spectrum</i>
<i>Journal of Family Issues</i>	<i>Symbolic Interaction</i>
<i>Journal of Family Theory and Review</i>	<i>Teaching Sociology</i>
<i>Journal of Marriage and Family</i>	

SERVICE TO THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES AND TO THE UNIVERSITY

College of Arts and Sciences Promotion and Tenure Committee, 1994, 2000-2003
College of Arts and Sciences Distinguished Professor Award Committee, 1988, 1989
College of Arts and Sciences Executive Committee, 2003-2005
College of Arts and Sciences Grievance Committee, 1993-1994, 1994-1995, 2005-2008
College of Arts and Sciences Center for Collaborative Scholarship in the Humanities, Executive Committee, 2006-2011
College of Arts and Sciences Petitions Committee, 1992-1993, 1993-1994 (Chair)
College of Arts and Sciences Professional Education Council, 1996-1998
College of Arts and Sciences Promotion and Tenure Board, 1995-1996, 1998, 2003-2005
College of Arts and Sciences Sexual Harassment Policy Committee, 1988
College of Arts and Sciences Women's Studies Institute, Affiliate Faculty, 2005-present
College of Education Professional Education Faculty, 1995-1998
GSU Center on Head Start Quality, Research Advisory Board, 1996-2000
University Senate, 1979-1981, 2000-2006
University Senate Faculty Affairs Committee, 2003-2006.
University Senate Faculty Affairs Subcommittee on Part-Time Faculty, 1999-2000
University Senate Faculty Affairs Subcommittee on Non-Tenure Track Faculty, 2000-2004
University Senate Faculty Affairs Subcommittee on Student Evaluations, 2003-2004
University Senate Student Life and Development Committee, 2000-2003
University Senate Commencement Committee, 2000-2002

University Senate Library Advisory Committee, 2002-2006
University Academic Program Review Committee, 2003-2004
University Faculty Awards Selection Committee, 2001
University Research Internal Grant Review Committee, 2010, 2011
University Research Initiation Grant Review Committee, 1994

SERVICE TO THE SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Major Standing Committees

Executive Committee, (ex officio as Department Chair) 1995-1998; (by election or acclamation) 1976-1977, 1977-1978, 1978-1979, 1981, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 2001, 2002, 2008
Research Committee, 2007-2011 (Chair)
Colloquium Committee, 2001, 2002, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008
Diversity Committee, 1999, 2000, 2003, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 (Chair)
Faculty Advisor to Alpha Kappa Delta (Sociology Honor Society), 1977, 1978
Family, Health, and Life Course (FHLC) Area Committee (formerly FLC Area Committee), 1999-Fall (Chair), 2000-2011 (Chair)
Graduate Committee, 1975-1976, 1976-1977, 1977-1978, 1979-1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1985, 1986 (Chair), 1987 (Chair), 1988 (Chair), 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003
Library Committee, 2004, 2005, 2006
Technology Committee, 2006
Scheduling Committee (pre-Program/Scheduling Committee), 1985, 1986, 1990, 1993
Program/Scheduling Committee, (ex officio as Department Chair) 1995-1998; (as FLC or FHLC Area Committee Chair) 1999-2011
Undergraduate Committee, 1976-1977

Major Ad Hoc Committees

Chair Evaluation Committee, 1984, 1988, 1991, 1994 (Chair), 2002
Chair Selection Committee, 1999 (Chair)
Clinical Sociology Report Committee, 1983 (Chair)
Curriculum Committee for the Family and Community Service Program, 1977-1978, 1978-1979, 1979-1980
Curriculum Committee for the Development of the Ph.D. Program, 1977-1978, 1978-1979, 1979-1980
Direction of Graduate Program (DOGP) Report Committee, 1986 (Chair)
Enrollment Task Force (ETF) Report Committee, 1978 (Chair)
Program for Social and Cultural Change Development Committee, 1992 (Chair)
Program for the Study of Social and Cultural Change Implementation Committee, 1994, 1995-Spring (Chair)
Project 2000 Committee (Long Range Planning Committee), 1994 (Chair)
Program Evaluation (Self Study) Committee, 1994-1995 (Chair), 2004-2005 (Chair)
Promotion and Tenure Review-of-Standards-and-Procedures Committee, 2007 (Chair)
Recruitment Committee, (ex officio as Department Chair) 1995-1998; (by appointment) 1988, 1991, 1992, 2000-2001 (Chair), 2005-2006, 2008-2009, 2009-2010 (Chair)
Self Study Committee on Student Performance, 1976

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