

Curriculum Vitae
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Robert E. Turner Distinguished Professor Emeritus of Population Studies
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EDUCATION

B.A. Harvard College (Magna Cum Laude), 1975, Urban Studies
M.A. University of Chicago 1977, Sociology
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"Urban Renewal and the Changing Residential Structure of the City"

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

2022- Professor of Population Studies (Research), Brown University
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2016-2022 Director, Spatial Structures in the Social Sciences (S4), Brown University
2015-2022 Robert E. Turner Distinguished Professor of Population Studies, Brown U
1995-2022 Professor, Department of Sociology;
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2013-2024 Honorary Research Professor, Faculty of Health Sciences
MRC/Wits Rural Public Health and Health Transitions Research Unit (Agincourt)
University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg
2006-2011 Director, Population Studies and Training Center, Brown University
2004 Visiting Scholar, Program in Population Processes, U Colorado (Oct.)
2001-2004 Chair, Department of Sociology, Brown University
2000-2001 Associate Director, Population Studies and Training Center, Brown Univ.
1997-2000 Chair, Department of Sociology, Brown University
1995-96 Visiting Scholar, The Urban Institute, Washington, DC
1989-95 Associate Professor, Brown University
1987-89 Senior Research Associate, Population Studies Center,
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1981-87 Assistant Professor of Sociology and Public Affairs,
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1980-81 Research Associate (Assistant Professor),
Department of Sociology; Associate Director for Community Study,
Community and Family Study Center, University of Chicago
1978-80 Assistant Director for Community Study and Research Project Specialist,
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COMPLETED RESEARCH

Books

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“Health Status of Temporary Migrants in the Urban Areas of Vietnam” (with N. Liem). Paper presented to the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population Conference on ‘Southeast Asia’s Population in a Changing Asian Context’, Bangkok, June 2002.

“Migration and Reproductive Behavior Among Young Women in Kumasi, Ghana” (with C. Stiff) Paper presented to the Population Association of America, May 2002.

“Between Family, Job, and School: Generation Status and Differences in the Routes out of School” (with S. Giorguli and J.E. Glick). Paper presented to the Population Association of America, May 2002.

“Immigration and Integration in the Multicultural Metropolis” Thematic Session Invited Presentation, American Sociological Association, August 2001.

“Microsegregation: Analyzing Residential Patterns with Multi-level Data” (with J.E. Glick). Paper presented to the American Sociological Association, August 2001.

“Urban Population Dynamics” Background paper prepared for the Panel on Urban Population Dynamics, National Academy of Sciences, 2000.

“Parental Aspirations and Post-secondary School Participation in Immigrant and Native Youth in the United States.” Paper presented to the American Sociological Association, August 2000.

“Immigrant Cohorts and Achievement in High School.” Paper presented to the Population Association of America, March 2000.

“Ethnicity, Generation and Family Formation among Young Adults in the United States” (with J. Glick and F. Goldscheider). Paper presented to the Population Association of America, March 1999.

“Migration and Urban Adaptation in Kumasi, Ghana” (with E. Tagoe, K. Kasanga, K. Adazu, and C. Stiff). Poster session presentation to the Population Association of America, March 1999.

“Migration, Urbanization, and Social Adjustment.” Invited Paper, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, February, 1999.

“Generation Status and Achievement in High School” (with J. Glick) Paper Presented to the American Sociological Association, 1998.

“Nativity, Family Background, and Achievement in High School” (with J. Glick). Paper presented to the American Sociological Association, August 1998.

“Child Mortality and the Quality of Care among Abandoned Children in Nineteenth-Century Italy” (with D. Kertzer and W. Sibley).

“War, Famine, and Female Migration in Ethiopia, 1960-89”. Paper presented to the Population Association of America, April 1998.

“Nativity Differences in the Pathways out of High School” with J.E. Glick. Paper presented to the Eastern Sociological Society, April 1998.

“The Segregation of Asian-Origin Groups in the United States and Canada” with E. Fong and Q. Cai. Paper presented to the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, Beijing, October 1997.

“Does Immigration Make the US-born Relocate? Issues for Behavioral Models Across the Life Cycle.” Paper presented to the Third Colorado Conference on Elderly Migration, Estes Park, CO, September 1997.

"Fertility, Household Structure, and Geographic Mobility in the Navrongo District of Northern Ghana". Paper presented to the Population Association of America, Washington, DC, March 1997.

"Immigrant Adaptation and Educational Attainment." Paper presented to the American Sociological Association, August 1996.

"Residential Assimilation in 1980: Examining the effects of Ethnicity and Immigration," with S. Sassler. Paper presented to the Population Association of America, May 1996

Invited lecture, University of Zimbabwe "The Interrelation of Demographic Events: Investigation with Longitudinal Data" 6 March 1996, Harare.

"The Segregation of Immigrants in Urban America," Paper presented to the American Sociological Association, August 1995, Washington, DC.

"Urbanization and Population Dynamics: City as Villain, Savior or Bystander?" Paper presented to the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Smithsonian Institution, Washington DC, 23 June 1995.

"The Segregation of Immigrants in New Jersey" with A. Omer. Paper presented to the Conference on the Impacts of Immigration to New Jersey, May 1995, Princeton New Jersey.

"Neighborhood Evolution," Paper presented to the Population Association of America, April, 1995.

"Immigration and the U.S. Workforce." Paper presented to the NICHD Conference on Measuring Social Inequalities in Health," September 1994.

"Neighborhood Depopulation and Urban Structural Change." Paper presented to the Association of American Geographers, March 1994.

"Language Usage, Social Capital, and School Completion Among Immigrants and Native-Born Ethnic Groups" with G. Kaufman. Paper presented to the Population Association of America, May 1994.

"Housing Segregation: Policy for an Increasingly Diverse Society." with E. Shy. Paper presented to the 13th Albany Conference. State University of New York at Albany. April 1994.

"The Effect of Immigration on the Internal Migration of the Native-Born Population, 1981-90," with Z. Liang. Paper presented to the American Sociological Association, August 1993.

"Job Suburbanization and Black Disadvantage: A Dynamic County-level Test of the Mismatch Hypothesis" with H. Silver and J. Iceland. Paper presented to the American Sociological Association, August 1993.

"The Migratory Response of Native-Born Workers to the Presence of Immigrants in the Labor Market," with L. Hunter. Paper presented to the Population Association of America, April, 1993.

"How Does Testing Compare with Other Analytical Tools?" Paper prepared for the American Association for the Advancement of Science, February 1993.

"A Longitudinal Survey of Immigrants: Issues and Opportunities." Paper presented to the National Academy of Sciences, Workshop on Immigration Research, September, 1992.

"The Determinants of Women's Wage Work in Ghana and Zimbabwe" (with K. Benefo, R. Avery, and L. DeRose). Paper presented to the Population Association of America, April, 1992.

"The Impact of U.S. Immigration on Internal Migration," with Y. Imai. Paper prepared for presentation to the American Association for the Advancement of Science, February, 1992.

"The Effects of IRCA on the Pattern of Apprehensions at the Border," with F. Bean and T. Espenshade. In G. Vernez (ed.) *Immigration and International Relations: Proceedings of a Conference on the International Effects of the 1986 Immigration Reform and Control Act* (Santa Monica, Rand Corporation, 1990).

"The Use of a Calendar to Collect Migration Data," with L. Moreno. Paper presented to the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, New Delhi, September 1989. Also appears as Chapter 10 (pp. 97-109), "Place of Residence," in N. Goldman, L. Moreno, and C. Westoff, *Peru Experimental Study: A Comparison of Child Health Information* (Columbia, MD: Institute for Resource Development, 1989).

"Moving Around: Household Transitions of Young Adults," with T. Richards and T. Hayashi. Paper presented to the Population Association of America, March 1989.

"The Segregation and Residential Assimilation of Immigrants." Paper presented to the American Sociological Association, August, 1988.

"Migration and Population Momentum: An Analysis of Age-Specific Net Migration for U.S. counties, 1950-80," with P. Mueser. Paper presented to the American Sociological Association, August, 1988.

"Race and Residential Mobility, 1940-80," with P. Mueser. Paper presented to the Population Association of America, March 1988.

"The Interaction of Population and Employment Growth in Explaining Redistributional Trends," with P. Mueser. Paper presented to the Population Association of America, April, 1988.

"Racial Differentiation in Urban Communities." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Antonio, Texas, August 1984.

"Sociospatial contours for ecological analysis." In *Essays in Human Ecology*, no. 2. Edited by D.J. Bogue and M.J. White. Chicago, Ill., Community and Family Study Center, University of Chicago, 1984. Pp 90-108.

"Census Tracts for the 1990 Census: Analytical and Administrative Applications." In U.S. Bureau of the Census, *Proceedings of the National Geographic Areas Conference*, 1984, pp. 61-64.

"Projecting Population and Estimating Migration for Small Urban Areas." *In Prospects for New Jersey: Data for Decisionmakers*. Trenton, New Jersey: Office of Demographic and Economic Analysis, 1982.

"Age-Race-Sex Specific Migration to Metropolitan Areas Among Younger Cohorts, 1960-1970." Paper presented to the Midcontinent Regional Science Association, Lexington, Kentucky, May 1978.

Other

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Ezeh AC; Mberu BU; White MJ; Beguy D. 2012. "The Evolution of Population Research, Training and Capacity Building in Africa."

Language Proficiency, Schooling, and the Achievement of Immigrants. Report prepared for the US Department of Labor, 1997.

Net Migration of the Population of the United States, 1970-1980, By Age, Race, and Sex: United States, Regions, Divisions, States, and Counties, with P. Mueser and J. Tierney. Machine Readable Data File and Documentation, 1987. Ann Arbor: Interuniversity Consortium for Political and Social Research.

Soziale Segregation in internationalen Vergleich [Social Segregation in International Perspective] with B. Hamm and others. University of Trier, Comparative Urbanization Study Project. January 1987.

Research and Training Grants

"Migration, Urbanization, and Health in a Transition Setting" [NIH R01HD083374] (PI). 2016-2024 \$1,997,000 TDC.

"Training in Demography" [T32HD007338 NICHD training grant] (CO-PI), 2018-2023 \$1,449,661 TDC.

"Migration, HIV and Socioeconomic Change in South Africa" Lifespan/Tufts/Brown [NIH] Center for AIDS Research 2011-13 PI \$40,000

"Training in Demography" [T32 NICHD training grant, 2008-13] (PI), \$1,350,388 TDC.

"Population Research Center" 2006-11 R24 Infrastructure Award (PI). National Institutes of Health (NICHD) \$2,550,205

"Explaining Very Low Fertility in Italy," 2004-2010 (co-PI; D. Kertzer, PI). National Science Foundation, TDC \$250,000; National Institutes of Health, \$787,957.

"Training in Demography" 2006-2009 (PI). Hewlett Foundation Training Grant for Students from Developing Countries. TDC 3 year \$300,000.

"Land-use Change: Designing and Implementing New Global Environmental Curricula." Henry Luce Foundation, 2006-09. (Co-PI; S. Hamburg, PI); \$550,000

"Urbanization, Health, and Environmental Quality in Coastal Ghana," (PI) National Institutes of Health, 2003-2007, TDC \$200,000

"Urbanization and Environmental Impact in Coastal Ghana" (PI) MacArthur Foundation. 2000-2004, \$300,000 [PSTC Mellon supplement \$32,000].

"First Year Doctoral Training for Students from Africa." 2003-2006 (PI, PSTC Training Grant), \$300,000. (Renewal)

"First Year Doctoral Training for Students from Africa." 2000-2003 (PI, PSTC Training Grant), \$270,000.

"Advancing Segregation Measurement" (PI) NSF 1999-2004, \$130,000.

"Immigration and Early Life Course Transitions" 1999-2002, NICHD, \$587,000 total award (with J. Glick PI); Brown Subcontract (PI) \$180,000.

"Area-Based Socioeconomic Measures for Health Research" (PI N. Krieger, Harvard SPH), consultant

"The Kumasi [Ghana] Peri-Urban Survey" (element of PSTC award from Mellon Foundation, "Fertility in Developing Countries") 1998-99, \$25,000.

"The Fate of Abandoned Children" (with D. Kertzer) NSF 1996-1998, \$56,026.

"Social Support, Reproductive Health, and Child Survival in Ghana" Rockefeller Foundation 1996-1997, \$17,300. (Dissertation Award for Advisee K. Yeboah)

"Internal Migration and Environmental Quality in the United States" (with L. Hunter) NICHD 1995-1997, \$67,367.

"Immigrant Adaptation" IPA Agreement awarded to PSTC, Brown University, 1995-1996, \$61,629.; extended and augmented Feb-June 1997, \$60,000.

"Language Proficiency, Schooling and the Achievement of Immigrants" US Department of Labor, 1995-1996, \$19,700.

"Metropolitan Restructuring, Neighborhood Change, and Concentrated Poverty" (with H. Silver). NSF 1992-1996; \$138,000.

"The Substitution of Immigration for Internal Migration," Sloan Foundation 1990-1991, \$55,000

"Integrated Analysis of Spatial Mobility" (with P. Mueser). NICHD 1985-1989, \$314,000.

"Neighborhoods in Urban Society." Russell Sage Foundation, 1982-1984 \$66,000.

"The Changing Sociospatial Structure of the City" (with D.J. Bogue). NICHD 1980-81 \$38,000.

"Internal Migration and Local Mobility within SMSAs" (with D.J. Bogue). NSF 1980-81 \$42,000.

SERVICE

University

Promotion Review Committee (Sociology) 2021

Promotion Review Committee (S4 & PSTC) 2020

Junior Faculty Review Committee (Sociology), 2019

PSTC Steering Committee 2017-

Faculty Recruitment Committee (Sociology) 2019-20

Promotion Review Committee (Sociology) 2019

Reappointment Review Committee (Sociology) 2018

BIARI Faculty, Nairobi Kenya June 2018

Academic Priorities Committee 2016-2019

Graduate Committee (Sociology) 2017-18

Support Staff Recruitment Committee (Sociology) 2016

Research Administration Task Force 2015-16

Faculty Recruitment Committee (Sociology) 2014-15

Faculty Recruitment Committee (Sociology) 2013-14

Faculty Recruitment Committee (Sociology & Taubman Center) 2012-13

Presentation to the Brown Alumni Clubs, "America: Still the Golden Door for Immigrants?"

NYC 23 Oct 2014; Silicon Valley 15 Feb 2015; Lehigh Valley 27 March 2015

Strategic Planning Committee, Financial Aid 2012-13

Promotion Review Committee (Sociology) (Chair) 2010-2011

Promotion Review Committee (Sociology) (Chair) 2009-2010 [2 cases]

Off. Vice Pres. Research Strategic Planning Committee (subcommittee Chair) 2009-10

Recruitment Committee for Director, Watson Institute for International Studies (Chair) 2008-9

Frameworks in Global Health Steering Committee 2008-11

Promotion Review Committee (Sociology) (Chair) 2008-9

Faculty Recruitment Committee (Sociology) 2007-8

Executive Committee, Spatial Structures in the Social Sciences 2007-11

University Planning Committee for Global Health 2007-8

Working Group in Global Health 2006-7

Recruitment Committee, Center for Environmental Studies Director 2007-8

Promotion Review Committee, Department of Community Health 2007-8

Research Advisory Board 2006-8

Library Advisory Board 2006-8 (Faculty Chair 2007-8)

Recruitment Committee, Director of Student Financial Aid, Fall 2006

Faculty Recruitment Committee (Sociology) 2005
Tenure Review Committee (Sociology) 2005
Recruitment Committee (Assoc. Dir, S4) 2005
Research Advisory Board 2003-4
Library Advisory Board 2003-4
Chair, Department of Sociology, 2000-4
Task Force on Faculty Governance, 2002-3
Advisory Committee on University Planning 2001-2
Faculty Executive Committee, Sem I, 2000
Chair, Department of Sociology, 1997-2000
Committee on Admissions and Financial Aid, 1997-2000 (Chair 1998-2000)
Background Research for Financial Aid and Admissions, 2000, 2001
Search Committee, Vice President for Information Technology (CIO search), 2000-1
Ad-hoc Committee on Information Technology, 1999
CAP Advisor (Sociology 130, N=5), 2010-11
CAP Advisor (Sociology 130, N=5), 2009-10
CAP Advisor (Sociology 13, N=7), 2006-2007
CAP Advisor (Sociology 13, N=8), 2002-2003
CAP Advisor (Sociology 13, N=10), 2000-2001
CAP Advisor (Sociology 13, N=10), 1999-2000
Freshman Advisor (N=6), 1998-99
Wayland Collegium 1997-98 "Population Gender and Development in Sub-Saharan Africa"
Population Studies and Training Center Steering Committee, 1995-97
Watson Institute, Executive Committee, 1997-2000
Strategic Planning Task Force (Computing Information Services and Support) 1996-97
CSREA, Executive Committee, 1995-6
CAFA, Spring 1995
Sociology Department, Chair, Tenure Review Committee, 2000-1
Sociology Department, Graduate Committee, 1991-93
Sociology Department, Graduate Advisor 1993-95
PSTC, Associate Director, 2000-1
PSTC, Associate Director for the Library (P-30) 1991-93
PSTC, Associate Director for Training 1993-95
Taubman Center Executive Committee, 1990-94
Institutional Review Board for Human Subjects 1991-93; Chair 1993-95
Board of Environmental Studies, 1992
Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity, Dissertation Award Committee.
Sophomore Advisor, 1990-93

Profession

International Scientific Committee, African Population Conference (UAPS), 2023-24
IUSSP Panel on Lifetime Migration 2022-2025
Technical Advisory Group member, AIDData 2022
Gender, Sexuality and Health External Advisory Committee, Columbia Population Center, 2022
International Scientific Advisory Board, Institute of Asian Demographic Research 2015-2024
International Advisory Board, Research Centre on Migration, Chinese U. Hong Kong, 2018-19
Advisory Board, Ideational Influences on Migration (U Michigan) 2015-17
Interview, Shanghai Media Group on UN Report *World Urbanization Prospects* 12 May 2018
External Reviewer, Russell Sage Foundation, 2017

Panelist "Cities and the Future of Agriculture and Food Security" GGIAR, USAID, 30 Mar 2016.
External Promotion Assessor, University of Ghana (Social Sciences), July 2015
WHO, Scientific Advisory Committee, Global Report on Urban Health 2016 [2014-15]
External Examiner, University of Ghana (RIPS), July 2014
International Scientific Committee, 7th African Population Conference, UAPS (2015)
IUSSP Panel on Impact of Internal Migration and Urbanization in Developing Countries 2010-14
IPUMS-International NSF Advisory Board 2010-2014
American Sociological Association
 Rose Monograph Advisory Committee, 2000-2005
 Population Section
 Chair-elect 2009-10; Chair 2010-11; past-Chair 2011-12
 Nominations Chair 1992-93;
 Nominations Committee 2000-1; Chair (2001)
National Institutes of Health
 Special Emphasis Review Panel 2021
 Ad Hoc Review Panel 2017
 Review Panel ZRG1 F16 B 20 (Fellowships) March 2012
 Special Emphasis Review Panel 2008, 2010 (Chair)
 NICHD Ad Hoc "Transformative R01 Roadmap" review panel (June 2010)
 Demographic and Behavioral Science Branch (NICHD), Population Sciences
 Subcommittee, 2002-6 Chair, 2004-6
 NIA Special Emphasis Panel 2009 (Centers on Demography and Economics of Aging)
 NIA Demography Centers Evaluation Panel 2007
 NICHD Center Grant Site Visit Panel 1988
Population Association of America
 PAA Poster Judge 2018
 PAA Memorial Committee 2015-2017 (Chair 2017)
 PAA Taeuber Award Committee 2012-2015 (Chair 2014-15)
 PAA Nominations Committee, 2009-10
 Editorial Board *Demography* 2007-2009, 2014-2020
 PAA Publications Committee 2006-8, Chair 2008
 PAA Board 1995-98; Finance Committee Chair (1998)
 Dorothy Thomas Award Committee, 1993-1995 (Chair, 1995)
Advisory Committee, Center for Population Dynamics, Arizona State University 2009-11
Advisory Committee, Changing American Neighborhoods Project, Penn State Univ. 2009-11
Association of Population Centers, President, 2007-2008
Consultant, World Bank, Gender and Migration Program, December 2005
Advisory Board, Center for Institutions Population and the Environment, Indiana U, 2000-2003
Advisory Board, Migration Policy Institute, Washington, DC
Consultant, Casey Foundation/Urban Institute Immigrant Community Data Workshop, 2002
National Science Foundation, Sociology Review Panel 2001-3
Population Council, Advisory Panel on Developing Country Demographic Training, 2000-2002
NIH Study Section Temporary Member 2001
National Academy of Sciences, Panel on Urban Population Dynamics, 1999-2003
Associate Editor, *American Journal of Sociology*, 1998-2000
Working Group on Urbanization, Woodrow Wilson International Center, 1996, 1998-9
Editorial Advisory Board, *Population Index*, 1996-2000
Selection Committee, Census Fellows; Am.Stat.Assn. & NSF; PAA representative, 1988-1992
Advisory Council, Sociology Department, Princeton University, 1991-2005

Community

Nonviolence Institute, Providence, RI 2022-

Advisory Committee, PROBE and Providence Plan, Providence Study 1996-1997

Rhode Island Department of Mental Health Homeless Survey, 1993

Honors

Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science, 2014

Sociological Research Association, 2011

Otis Dudley Duncan book award, Population Section, American Sociological Association, 2010

Fellow, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, 2001

German Academic Exchange Service, Kurzstipendium, 1983

NICHD Fellow, University of Chicago, 1975-78

Phi Beta Kappa, Harvard College, 1975

Teaching (Courses 2015-2021 Brown University)

Sociology 2320 Migration

Sociology 2230 Demographic Techniques

Sociology 2010 Multivariate Methods I

Sociology 1870K Demographics and Development

Sociology 1100 Introduction to Social Statistics

Recent Media Contact:

ScrippsNews 11 Jan 2023 Video Interview "Scripps News Reports With Chance Seales" re Population Trends.

WalletHub Feb 22, 2023. "Most & Least Ethnically Diverse Cities in the U.S."

(By Adam McCann, WalletHub Financial Writer)

<https://wallethub.com/edu/cities-with-the-most-and-least-ethno-racial-and-linguistic-diversity/10264>

WJAR Providence 26 July 2023 Interview "Declining birth rates and falling enrollments prompt school consolidation concerns" (by Tamara Sacharczyk, NBC 10 NEWS Air: August 21 2023.

Students and Advisees:

PhD. Dissertations [56 committees; 29 as Chair]

M.A. Theses [13 supervised]

B.A. Theses and Senior Projects [15 supervised]

UTRA/EIP/LA & Other [43 supervised]

Post-doctoral Supervision [14 Supervised]