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EDUCATION

PhD, Sociology, University of New Mexico

Expected Graduation Date: May 2017

MA, Sociology, University of Texas at El Paso

Graduation Date: May 2011

BA, Sociology and General Business, University of Texas at El Paso

Graduation Date: May 2009

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Grineski, Sara E. and Hernandez, Alma Angelica. 2013. "Raising Children in a Violent Context: An intersectionality approach to understanding parents' experiences in Ciudad Juárez." *Women's Studies International Forum*.
- Hernandez, Alma. 2012. "Disrupted by Violence: Children's well-being and families' economic, social, and cultural capital in Ciudad Juárez." *Pan American Journal of Public Health*. 31 (5): 373-379.
- Hernandez, Alma 2011. "Gente a favor de gente—People Helping People: Assessing a Child Development Intervention in Colonias in Ciudad Juárez, Mexico." *Children, Youth and Environments* 21(2): 184-194.
- Hernandez, Alma and Sara Grineski. 2010. "Exploring the efficacy of an environmental health intervention in Ciudad Juárez, Mexico." *Family and Community Health* 53(4): 343-353.
- Grineski, Sara E. and Hernandez, Alma Angelica. 2010. "Landlords, Fear and Children's Respiratory Health: An untold story of environmental injustice in the central city." *Local Environment*. 15(3): 197-214.

PAPERS IN PROGRESS

- Hernandez, Alma, Velez, Maria, and Lyons Christopher. "Testing the Racial Invariance Thesis: A Nationwide Study of Five Ethno-Racial Neighborhood Types"
- Vickie Ybarra, Hernandez, Alma. "Impact of Immigration Status and Links to Detention/Deportation on the Health/Well-Being of Children in Latino Households."
- Hernandez, Alma. "Agencies and Policies of Social Control on the U.S.-Mexico Border and their Effect on Crossers."

FELLOWSHIPS

- Hernandez, Alma. 2011-2015 Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Fellowship Award

GRANTS

- Hernandez, Alma. 2010-2011. "Exploring Child Health and Development in Ciudad Juárez through Photo-Interviews". Student Pilot Project Award funding mechanism of the Hispanic Health Disparities Research Center, UTEP. \$5000
- Hernandez, Alma. 2009-2010. "Child Health and Development in Ciudad Juarez. Student Pilot Project Award funding mechanism of the Hispanic Health Disparities Research Center." UTEP. \$5000
- Hernandez, Alma. 2009. "Exploring the efficacy of an environmental health intervention in south Ciudad Juárez." Student Pilot Project Award funding mechanism of the Hispanic Health Disparities Research Center, UTEP. \$4597.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

- Hernandez, Alma, Velez, Maria, and Lyons Christopher. 2015. (March) "Testing the Racial Invariance Thesis: A Nationwide Study of Five Ethno-Racial Neighborhood Types." University of New Mexico Sociology Colloquium Series, Albuquerque, NM.

- Hernandez, Alma, Velez, Maria, and Lyons Christopher. 2014. (August) *"Testing the Racial Invariance Thesis: A Nationwide Study of Five Ethno-Racial Neighborhood Types."* American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Hernandez, Alma and Sara, Grineski. 2014. (February) *"Disrupted by Violence: Children's well-being and families' economic, social, and cultural capital in Ciudad Juárez."* Invited talk at the University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ.
- Casteana, Ernesto, Guerrero Laura, and Hernandez, Alma, 2013. *"Employing the 'Unemployable': Promoting Self-worth through Work"*. American Sociological Association. New York.
- Hernandez, Alma and Sara, Grineski. 2012. (August) *"Disrupted by Violence: Children's well-being and families' economic, social, and cultural capital in Ciudad Juárez."* American Sociological Association, Denver, CO.
- Hernandez, Alma and Sara, Grineski. 2011 (August). *"Social, Cultural, and Economic Capital and Child Development in Ciudad Juárez Colonias."* American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV.
- Hernandez, Alma. 2011 (March). *"Exploring Child Rearing Practices in Ciudad Juárez through Photo-Interviews."* Southwestern Social Science Association, Las Vegas, NV.
- Hernandez, Alma. 2010 (April). *"Child health and development in Ciudad Juárez colonias"*. Southwestern Social Science Association, Houston, TX.
- Hernandez, Alma. 2009 (April). *"Exploring the efficacy of an environmental health intervention in south Ciudad Juárez"*. Southwestern Social Science Association, Denver, CO.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Research Assistant. (2014-2015), *NNCS2-National Neighborhood Crime Study 2, University of New Mexico*
- Interviewer. (2012). *Immigrant Victimization and Response in New Mexico: The Case of Wage Theft. With Dr. Andrew Shrank and Jessica Garrick, University of New Mexico*
- Research Assistant. (2011), *Mujer Obrera: Work, Gender and Empowerment Survey at UTEP*
- Focus Group Facilitator. (2010). *2010 West Texas Ryan White Needs Assessment for New Solutions, Inc.*
- Undergraduate Class Discussion Leader. (2010), *With Dr. Sara Grineski, UTEP Sociology and Anthropology Department*
- Research Assistant. (2007-2010), *BCAS-Border Contraceptive Access Study at UTEP*
- Research Assistant. (2007-2009), *With Dr. Sara Grineski, UTEP Sociology and Anthropology Department*
- UTEP Praxis Volunteer. (2006-2007), *Child Crisis Center*