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## ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

**Theodore E. Gildred Chair in U.S.-Mexican Relations**, UC San Diego (2009 – present)

**Professor of Sociology**, UC San Diego (Assistant 2006 – 2009; Associate 2009 – 2015; Full 2015 – present)

Honorary **Sergio Vieira de Mello Chair** in refugee studies, 2024 – present

**Co-Director**, Center for Comparative Immigration Studies (CCIS), UC San Diego (2009 – 2023; Field Research Director 2006 – 2009)

**Visiting Professor**, New York University Abu Dhabi (Jan. 2023)

**Academic Visitor**, University of Melbourne Law School (April 2017)

**Visiting Professor**, University of Paris-VII (March – April 2013)

**Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, CCIS and Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UC San Diego (Sep. 2005 – July 2007)

**Visiting Researcher**, Universidad de Guadalajara, Department of Social Movement Studies (May 2003 – Sep. 2004)

**Visiting Researcher**, El Colegio de Michoacán, Center for Anthropological Studies, Zamora, Mexico (July – Aug. 1999)

## EDUCATION:

Ph.D. in Sociology, UCLA, 2005

M.A. in Sociology, UCLA, 2001

M.A. in Latin American Studies, UC San Diego, 2000

Bachelor of Journalism, University of Texas at Austin, 1995

## PUBLICATIONS:

### Books:

Arar, Rawan and David FitzGerald. [\*The Refugee System: A Sociological Approach\*](#). Cambridge: Polity Press, 2023.

- Honorable Mention, International Studies Association's Interdisciplinary Studies Section

- Reviewed in *Social Forces*, *International Migration Review*, *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, *Population and Development Review*, *Refugee History.org*, *Refugee Research Online*
- Author-meets-critics session at annual meeting of the International Studies Association

FitzGerald, David and John Skrentny, eds. [\*Immigrant California: Understanding the Past, Present, and Future of U.S. Policy\*](#). Stanford University Press, 2021.

- Reviewed in *Contemporary Sociology*

FitzGerald, David. [\*Refuge Beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers\*](#). Oxford University Press, 2019.

- International Studies Association Human Rights Section Best Book Award, 2021
- American Sociological Association (ASA) Human Rights Section Gordon Hirabayashi Book Award, 2021
- ASA International Migration Section Thomas and Znaniecki Best Book Award, 2020
- Association of College & Research Libraries CHOICE Outstanding Academic Title, 2019
- Author-meets-critics sessions at annual meetings of the American Sociological Association, American Historical Association, Social Science History Association, and Law and Society Association
- Reviewed in *American Journal of Sociology*, *Contemporary Sociology*, *Social Forces*, *Contexts*, *Law and Society Review*, *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, *Sydney Review of Books*, *New Republic*, *Mother Jones*, *LSE Review of Books*, *Anthropology in Action*, *Journal of Sociology and Social Welfare*, *Refuge: Canada's Journal on Refugees*, *Australian Journal of Human Rights*, *Migraciones*, *Nordic Journal of Migration Research*, *International Review of Social History*, *International Journal of Refugee Law*, *Social and Legal Studies*, *Revista CIDOB d'Afers Internacionals*, *Oxford Faculty of Law Border Criminologies*

FitzGerald, David and David Cook-Martín. [\*Culling the Masses: The Democratic Origins of Racist Immigration Policies in the Americas\*](#). Harvard University Press. 2014

- ASA Distinguished Scholarly Book Award, 2017
- Midwest Sociological Society Distinguished Book Award, 2017
- APSA Migration and Citizenship Section Best Book Award, 2015
- ASA Political Sociology Section Best Book Award, 2015
- ASA International Migration Section Best Book Award, 2015
- Honorable Mention, Theodore Saloutos Book Prize, Immigration and Ethnic History Society, 2015

- Subject of a 43-page special symposium in *Ethnic and Racial Studies* and reviewed in *American Journal of Sociology*, *Social Forces*, *Contemporary Sociology*, *Population Studies*, *Foreign Affairs Latinoamérica*, *La Vie des Idées*, *Hispanic American Historical Review*, *Sociological Forum*, *International Journal of Comparative Sociology*, *Migraciones Internacionales*, *Labour/Le Travail*, *Population*, and *The American Historical Review*
- Author-meets-critics sessions at meetings of the American Sociological Association, American Historical Association, Social Science History Association, Law and Society Association, and International Sociological Association
- Chapter Three published in *Rethinking the Color Line: Readings in Race and Ethnicity*, Sixth Ed. Edited by Charles A. Gallagher. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

FitzGerald, David. [\*A Nation of Emigrants: How Mexico Manages its Migration\*](#). University of California Press. 2009

- Published in Spanish as [\*Nación de Emigrantes: Cómo Maneja México su Migración\*](#). El Colegio de la Frontera Norte. 2014
- Chapter 5 published in *Major Problems in the History of North American Borderlands*, edited by Pekka Hamalainen and Benjamin Johnson. Independence: KY: Cengage. 2012
- Reviewed in *American Journal of Sociology*, *Contemporary Sociology*, *Social Forces*, *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, *The Journal of Politics*, *Political Science Quarterly*, *Americas Quarterly*, *Andina Migrante*, *Hispanic American Historical Review*, *Migraciones Internacionales*, *International Migration Review*, *International Studies Review*, and *Perspectives on Politics*

FitzGerald, David, Jorge Hernández Díaz, and David Keyes, eds. [\*The Wall Between Us: A Mixteco Migrant Community in Mexico and the United States\*](#). La Jolla: Center for Comparative Immigration Studies. 2013

FitzGerald, David, Rafael Alarcón, and Leah Muse-Orlinoff, eds. [\*Recession Without Borders: Mexican Migrants Confront the Economic Downturn\*](#). La Jolla: Center for Comparative Immigration Studies. 2011

Cornelius, Wayne A., David FitzGerald, Pedro Lewin Fischer, and Leah Muse-Orlinoff, eds. [\*Mexican Migration and the U.S. Economic Crisis\*](#). La Jolla: Center for Comparative Immigration Studies. 2010

- Reviewed in *Foreign Affairs Latinoamérica*

Cornelius, Wayne A., David FitzGerald, Jorge Hernández Díaz, and Scott Berger, eds. [\*Migration from the Mexican Mixteca\*](#). La Jolla: Center for Comparative Immigration Studies. 2009

- Published in Spanish as [\*Migración desde la Mixteca: Una Comunidad Transnacional en Oaxaca y California\*](#). Mexico City and Oaxaca City: Editorial Porrúa and UABJO. 2011
- Reviewed in *Americas Quarterly* and *Journal of Latin American Studies*

Cornelius, Wayne A., David FitzGerald, and Scott Borger, eds. [\*Four Generations of Norteños: New Research from the Cradle of Mexican Migration\*](#). La Jolla: Center for Comparative Immigration Studies. 2009

- Reviewed in *Contemporary Sociology*, *Choice*, *Multicultural Review*, and *Latino Studies*

Cornelius, Wayne A., David FitzGerald, and Pedro Lewin Fischer, eds. [\*Mayan Journeys: The New Migration from Yucatán to the United States\*](#). La Jolla: Center for Comparative Immigration Studies. 2007

- Published in Spanish as [\*Caminantes del Mayab: Los Nuevos Migrantes de Yucatán a los Estados Unidos\*](#). Mexico City: INAH and CONACULTA. 2008
- Reviewed in *Journal of Latin American Studies* and *European Review of Latin American and Caribbean Studies*

FitzGerald, David. [\*Negotiating Extra-Territorial Citizenship: Mexican Migration and the Transnational Politics of Community\*](#). Monograph series no. 2. La Jolla: Center for Comparative Immigration Studies. 2000

- Chapter 4 reprinted as “Negotiating Extra-Territorial Citizenship” in *Borders and Border Politics in the Globalizing World*, edited by Paul Ganster and David Lorey. Wilmington, DE: Scholarly Resources. 2004
- Reviewed in *International Migration Review*

#### Articles and Book Chapters:

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FitzGerald, David, 2023, “[Refugee regimes](#),” in *Cambridge History of Global Migrations*, edited by Marcelo Borges and Madeline Y. Hsu. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

FitzGerald, David, 2022, “[The Sociology of International Migration](#),” pp. 160-193 in *Migration Theory: Talking Across Disciplines*, Fourth Ed., edited by Caroline B. Brettell and James F. Hollifield. New York: Routledge.

FitzGerald, David and Asher Hirsh, 2022, “[Norm-busting: rightist challenges in US and Australian immigration and refugee policies](#),” *Third World Quarterly*, (43)7: 1587-1606.

- Reprinted in *Migration Politics across the World*, edited by Katharina Natter and Hélène Thiollet. Abingdon, UK: Routledge, 2024.

FitzGerald, David and John Skrentny, “Lessons from California,” pp.1-19 in FitzGerald, David and John Skrentny, eds. [\*Immigrant California: Understanding the Past, Present, and Future of U.S. Policy\*](#). Stanford University Press, 2021.

FitzGerald, David, 2021, “[US Remote Health Controls: The Past and Present of Externalisation](#),” *Forced Migration Review* 68: 39-41.

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FitzGerald, David and Rawan Arar, 2018, "[The Sociology of Refugee Migration](#)," *Annual Review of Sociology* (44): 387-406.

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FitzGerald, David, 2016, "[150 Years of Transborder Politics: Mexico and Mexicans Abroad](#)," pp.106-131 in *A Century of Transnationalism: Immigrants and their Homeland Connections*, edited by Nancy L. Green and Roger Waldinger. Champaign: University of Illinois Press.

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Republished in *Methodologies on the Move: The Transnational Turn in Empirical Migration Research*, edited by Anna Amelina, Thomas Faist, and Devrimsel D. Nergiz, Routledge. 2016.

FitzGerald, David, 2012, "[Citizenship à la Carte: Emigration and the Strengthening of the Sovereign State](#)" in *Politics from Afar: Transnational Diasporas and Networks*, edited by Peter Mandaville and Terrence Lyons, New York: Columbia University Press.

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[“Inside the Sending State: The Politics of Mexican Emigration Control,”](#) *International Migration Review*, 40(2): 259-93. 2006

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FitzGerald, David, 2006, [“Rethinking Emigrant Citizenship”](#), *New York University Law Review*, 81(1): 90-116.

FitzGerald, David, 2005, [“Nationality and Migration in Modern Mexico,”](#) *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 31(1):171-91.

Waldinger, Roger and David FitzGerald, 2004, [“Transnationalism in Question,”](#) *American Journal of Sociology* 109(5):1177-95.

FitzGerald, David, 2004, [“Beyond ‘Transnationalism’: Mexican Hometown Politics at an American Labor Union,”](#) *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 27(2): 228-47.

FitzGerald, David, 2004, [“‘For 118 Million Mexicans’: Emigrants and Chicanos in Mexican Politics”](#) in *Dilemmas of Political Change in Mexico*, edited by Kevin J. Middlebrook. London: Institute of Latin American Studies, University of London.

FitzGerald, David, 2001, “Negotiating Citizenship: The Role of Migrant-Sponsored Public Projects in Mexican Transnational Politics,” Special Issue on Research on Refugees and Immigrants, *Journal of Social Work Research and Evaluation*, 2(2): 251-65.

#### **Review Essays and Book Reviews:**

Review of Pablo Yankelevich and Pilar González Bernaldo de Quirós (eds), *Políticas de nacionalidad en América Latina: escalas espaciales y contienda jurídica* in *Historia Mexicana* LXXV: 2 (298). 2025.

Review of James F. Hollifield, Philip L. Martin, Pia M. Orrenius, and François Herán’s *Controlling Immigration: A Comparative Perspective*, 4<sup>th</sup> Ed, in *Contemporary Sociology*, 53(1) 54-44: 2024.

Review of Ana Muñiz’s *Borderland Circuitry: Immigration Surveillance in the United States and Beyond* in *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 46(33): 2954-2956. 2023.

Review of Heba Gowayed’s *Refuge: How the State Shapes Human Potential in Social Forces*, 2022.

Review of Ronald Skeldon’s *Advanced Introduction to Migration Studies* in *International Migration Review*, 2022.

Review of Emine Fidan Elcioglu’s *Divided by the Wall: Progressive and Conservative Immigration Politics at the U.S.-Mexico Border* in *International Journal of Comparative Sociology*, 2022.

Review of Laura Madokoro’s *Elusive Refuge: Chinese Migrants in the Cold War* in *H-Diplo*, XX(22): 11-13. 2019.

Review of Alexander Aleinikoff and Leah Zamore's *The Arc of Protection: Toward a New International Refugee Regime* in Public Seminar, June 4, 2018.

Review of Catherine Vézina's *Diplomacia migratoria: una historia transnacional del Programa Bracero, 1947-1952* in *Historia Mexicana*, LXIX(4). 2020.

Review of Pardis Mahdavi's *Crossing the Gulf: Love and Family in Migrant Lives in American* *Journal of Sociology*, 124(3): 952-954. 2018.

Review of Sarah Lynn Lopez's *The Remittance Landscape: Spaces of Migration in Rural Mexico and Urban USA* in *Migration Studies*, 6(1): 157-159. 2018.

Review of Alejandro Portes and Patricia Fernández-Kelly's *The State and the Grassroots: Immigrant Transnational Organizations in Four Continents* in *Contemporary Sociology*, 45(6): 779-780. 2016

Review of Steven J. Gold and Stephanie J. Nawyn's *The Routledge International Handbook of Migration Studies* in *Contemporary Sociology*, 45(3): 311-312. 2016

Review of Erika Pani's *Para pertenecer a la gran familia mexicana: procesos de naturalización en el siglo XIX* in *Historia Mexicana*, LXV; 4, 1943-1949. 2016

Review of Franz Hollinger and Markus Hadler's *Crossing Borders, Shifting Boundaries: National and Transnational Identities in Europe and Beyond* in *Contemporary Sociology*, 43: 374-376. 2014

Review of Rudy P. Guevara's *Becoming Mexipino: Multiethnic Identities and Communities in San Diego*, in *Journal of American History*, 99: 1285-1286. 2013

Review of David Theo Goldberg's *The Threat of Race: Reflections on Racial Neoliberalism*, in *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 37 (10): 1695-96. 2011

Review of Leo R. Chavez's *The Latino Threat: Constructing Immigrants, Citizens and the Nation*, in *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, 37(2):352-53. 2011

Review of David Spener's *Clandestine Crossings: Migrants and Coyotes on the Texas-Mexico Border*, in *American Journal of Sociology* 116(3):1033-35. 2010

Review of Douglas S. Massey's (ed), *New Faces in New Places: The Changing Geography of American Immigration*, in *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 32(4):745-6. 2009

Review of Fernando Saúl Alanís Enciso's *Que se queden allá: El gobierno de México y la repatriación de mexicanos en Estados Unidos (1934-1940)*, in *Migraciones Internacionales*, 4 (5): 211-13. 2009

Review of Rodolfo F. Acuña's *Corridors of Migration: The Odyssey of Mexican Laborers, 1600-1933*, in *Bulletin of Latin American Research*, 28 (2):320-21. 2009

Review of *Women and Change at the U.S.-Mexico Border: Mobility, Labor, and Activism*, edited



by Doreen J. Mattingly and Ellen R. Hansen, in *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 31(6):1173-74. 2008

Review of David Bacon's *Communities Without Borders: Images and Voices from the World of Migration*, in *Peace and Change* 33(3):461-63. 2008

Review of Vilna Francine Bashi's *Survival of the Knitted: Immigrant Social Networks in a Stratified World*, in *American Journal of Sociology* 113(4): 1189-91. 2008

Review of Lisa García Bedolla's *Fluid Borders: Latino Power, Identity, and Politics in Los Angeles*, in *American Journal of Sociology*, 112(5): 1598-99. 2007

"Scenarios of Transformation: The Changing Consequences of Old and New Migrations." Review essay of Nancy Foner's *In a New Land: A Comparative View of Immigration*, in *Diaspora* 13(1):101-109. 2004

Review of *Dual Nationality, Social Rights and Federal Citizenship in the U.S. and Europe: The Reinvention of Citizenship*, edited by Randall Hansen and Patrick Weil, in *Nationalism and Ethnic Politics* 9(2):133-35. 2003

#### **Reports, Working Papers, and Briefs:**

"Mapping (Im)mobility: How a Syrian Family Faced Coercion and Movement," (Rawan Arar, first author), *Footnotes: A Magazine of the American Sociological Association*, 51(3). 2023

"Systems vs Siloed Approaches to Forced Migration," (Rawan Arar, first author), *Conflict(ed)*, official blog for the ASA Peace, War, & Social Conflict Section, Feb. 19, 2023.

"Siloed Knowledge Production in Refugee Studies," (Rawan Arar, first author), *Newsletter of the Middle East and North Africa Politics Section of the American Political Science Association* 5(2): 23-30. 2022.

"Refuge beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers," Global Migration and Public Health Initiative "Echoes," Jan. 6, 2020.

"Rethinking Units of Analysis in Comparative Studies of International Migration," in *Renewing the Migration Debate: Building Disciplinary and Geographical Bridges to Explain Global Migration*. Amsterdam: KNAW Academy Colloquium, 2019. pp.108-114.

"Remote Control of Asylum Seekers: How States Evade their Protection Obligation," Public Seminar, Dec. 17, 2019.

"Mexican Immigrants Face Threats to Civil Rights and Increased Social Hostility" (Gustavo López and Angela McClean, second and third authors), Mexico City: National Human Rights Commission, (CNDH). 2018

"The Externalization of Europe's Borders in the Refugee Crisis, 2015-2016" (Henriette Ruhrmann, first author), Center for Comparative Immigration Studies Working Paper no. 194, University of California, San Diego. 2016

"What Drives Refugee Migration?" (Rawan Arar, second author), *Newsletter of the American Political Science Association Section on Migration and Citizenship* 4(2): 7-12. 2016.

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“The Promise of Breaking Disciplinary Conventions for the Study of Immigration and Nationality Law,” (David Cook-Martin, first author), *Newsletter of the American Political Science Association Section on Migration and Citizenship* 2:(2) 36-41. 2014

“How Legacies of Racism Persist in U.S. Immigration Policy,” Scholars Strategy Network, [<http://www.scholarsstrategynetwork.org/brief/how-legacies-racism-persist-us-immigration-policy>]. 2014

“Undocumented No More: A Nationwide Analysis of Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals, or DACA,” Center for American Progress, [<http://www.americanprogress.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/09/DACAReportCC-2-1.pdf>]. 2013

“How Lives Can be Saved by Stressing Employer Verification Instead of Border Barriers for Immigration Enforcement,” Scholars Strategy Network, [[http://www.scholarsstrategynetwork.org/sites/default/files/ssn\\_basic\\_facts\\_fitzgerald\\_on\\_deaths\\_of\\_migrants.pdf](http://www.scholarsstrategynetwork.org/sites/default/files/ssn_basic_facts_fitzgerald_on_deaths_of_migrants.pdf)]. 2013

“Does Fortifying the Mexican Border Keep Unauthorized Immigrants from Coming to the United States?” Scholars Strategy Network, [[http://www.scholarsstrategynetwork.org/sites/default/files/ssn\\_basic\\_facts\\_fitzgerald\\_on\\_u.s.\\_border\\_policy.pdf](http://www.scholarsstrategynetwork.org/sites/default/files/ssn_basic_facts_fitzgerald_on_u.s._border_policy.pdf)]. 2012

“Uncovering the Emigration Policies of the Catholic Church in Mexico.” Migration Policy Institute, [<http://www.migrationinformation.org/Feature/display.cfm?ID=729>]. 2009

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS:

International Migration, Sociology of Law, Political Sociology, Comparative-Historical and Field Research Methods, Nationalism and Ethnicity

## AWARDS:

- International Studies Association (ISA) Interdisciplinary Studies Section Honorable Mention for the Felicia Krishna Hensel Book Award for *The Refugee System*, 2023
- American Sociological Association (ASA) Human Rights Section Gordon Hirabayashi Book Award for *Refuge beyond Reach*, 2021
- International Studies Association Human Rights Section Best Book Award for *Refuge beyond Reach*, 2021

- ASA International Migration Section Thomas & Znaniecki Best Book Award, for *Refuge beyond Reach*, 2020
- CHOICE Outstanding Academic Title for *Refuge beyond Reach*, 2019
- UCSD Academic Senate Faculty Research Lecturer Award, 2019
- UCSD Sociology Department Graduate Mentor Award, 2018
- ASA Distinguished Scholarly Book Award, for *Culling the Masses*, 2017
- Midwest Sociological Society Distinguished Book Award, for *Culling the Masses*, 2017
- APSA Migration and Citizenship Section Best Book Award, for *Culling the Masses*, 2015
- ASA Political Sociology Section Best Book Award, for *Culling the Masses*, 2015
- ASA International Migration Section Thomas & Znaniecki Best Book Award, for *Culling the Masses*, 2015
- Honorable Mention, Theodore Saloutos Book Prize, Immigration and Ethnic History Society for *Culling the Masses*, 2015
- ASA International Migration Section Award for Public Sociology, 2013
- Choice Outstanding Academic Title for *Four Generations of Norteños: New Research from the Cradle of Mexican Migration*, 2009
- Choice Outstanding Academic Title for *Migration from the Mexican Mixteca*, 2009
- ASA Political Sociology Section Best Student Paper Award, 2005
- ASA Labor and Labor Movements Section Best Student Paper Award, 2005
- ASA International Migration Section Graduate Student Paper Award, 2003
- ASA International Migration Section Graduate Student Paper Award, 2002

**GRANTS:**

- PI, UCSD General Campus Research Grant for “The Science and Politics of Forced Displacement Statistics,” 2024, \$15,000
- PI, UCSD General Campus Research Grant for “Crisis or Chronic Condition? Measuring and Explaining Global Displacement by War, 1900-2019,” 2021, \$15,000
- Co-PI, (Rafael Fernandez de Castro Medina, Megan Hopkins, and Claire Adida co-PIs), Chancellor's Interdisciplinary Collaboratories grant, 2020, \$60,000

- Co-PI, (Rafael Fernandez de Castro Medina and Claire Adida co-PIs), Chancellor's Interdisciplinary Collaboratories grant, 2019, \$49,870
- Co-PI, (Rafael Alarcón co-PI), UC MEXUS-CONACYT Collaborative Research Grants, 2019, \$25,000
- PI, National Human Rights Commission (CNDH) grant, 2018, \$65,000
- PI, (Nancy Rodriguez, Rafael Alarcón, Caitlin Patler, Marjorie Zatz, co-PIs), UC-Mexico Initiative grant, 2018, \$10,000
- PI, (Rawan Arar graduate student awardee), NSF Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, 2017-2018, \$12,000
- Co-PI, (Jane Lilly López graduate student awardee), NSF Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, 2016-2017, \$12,000
- Co-PI, (Rawan Arar graduate student awardee),” UCSD Frontiers of Innovation Scholars Program, 2016-2018, \$50,000
- PI, (Frank Bean, Lisa Bedolla, Karthick Ramakrishnan, and Roger Waldinger co-PIs), UC Office of the President Multicampus Research Programs and Initiatives for the “California Immigration Research Initiative,” 2015-2018, \$525,000
- University of California Humanities Research Institute. Spring 2016 Residential Research Group, “Towards Critical Refugee Studies,” [declined]
- PI, UCSD General Campus Research Grant for “The Asylum Paradox: Remote Control of Forced Migration to the Global North,” 2014, \$15,000
- Co-PI (Tom Wong, co-PI), UCSD Institute for International, Comparative, and Area Studies for “Determinants of Refugee and Asylum Admissions Policy in Comparative Perspective,” 2013, \$6000
- Co-PI (Tom Wong, PI), “A National Analysis of DACA Applications and USCIS Decisions Using Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Data,” Center for American Progress, 2013, \$32,278
- Co-PI (John Skrentny, co-PI), UCSD Institute for International, Comparative, and Area Studies for “Law and the Advent of Multicultural Society: Global Variations in the Family Reunification Rights of Migrants,” 2011, \$3800
- Co-PI (John Skrentny, co-PI), Center for Global Partnership for “Is Immigration Necessary: Labor Market Policy and Strategy in the US and Japan,” 2010, \$53,416
- PI, (Leah Muse-Orlinoff graduate student awardee), NSF Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant, 2010-2011, \$10,000
- PI, UC MEXUS, “Translation and Mexican Edition Subvention for "*A Nation of Emigrants: How Mexico Manages its Migration*," 2010, \$1500

- PI, UCSD Office of Research Affairs, “Translation and Mexican Edition Subvention for "*A Nation of Emigrants: How Mexico Manages its Migration*," 2010, \$2500
- Co-PI (Wayne Cornelius, co-PI), University of California Multicampus Research Programs and Initiatives for “Mexican Migration Field Research and Training Program,” 2009-14, \$625,000
- PI, Ford Foundation grant for Mexican Migration Field Research Program, 2009-11, \$75,000
- PI, (David Cook-Martín, co-PI), National Science Foundation Sociology Program for “Race, Immigration, and Citizenship in the Americas,” Award #0819506, 2008, \$196,092
- Co-PI, (Jon Fox and Mara Loveman, co-PIs) International, Comparative, and Area Studies (IIACAS) and Worldwide Universities Network (WUN) International Collaborative Research grant for “Turning Immigrants into Nationals: Citizenship Classes and Nationalism in the United States, United Kingdom, and Spain,” 2008, \$10,900
- PI, UCSD Latino Studies Research Initiative, 2008, \$4000
- PI, UCSD Faculty Career Development Program, 2008, \$6500
- Co-PI (Wayne Cornelius, PI) for Ford Foundation grant for Mexican Migration Field Research Program, 2005-09, \$280,000.
- Co-PI (Wayne Cornelius, PI) for Fundación BBVA (Spain) grant for Mexican Migration Field Research Program, 2007, \$108,988.
- PI, (David Cook-Martín, co-PI), ASA Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline Grant, 2007, \$5500.
- PI, UC Labor and Employment Research Grant, 2007, \$25,000.
- PI, UCSD General Campus Subcommittee on Research Grant, 2007, \$10,000.
- PI, UC Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation Grant 2007, \$5589.
- PI, Faculty Sponsor, UCSD Summer GSRship for Faculty-Student Collaboration, 2007, \$3500.

**CONFERENCE PAPERS (since 2014):**

“Remote biopower: Constructing the system of border externalization through health controls,” International Association for the Study of Forced Migration, Yogyakarta, Indonesia, Jan. 20-23, 2025.

“The Refugee System: A Sociological Approach,” European University Institute conference on “An interconnected world? Rethinking citizenship and migration,” Florence, May 9-10, 2024.

“Author-meets-critics panel for *The Refugee System*,” Social Science History Association meeting, Washington DC, Nov. 16-18, 2023.

“Author-meets-critics panel for *Refuge Beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers*,” International Sociological Association World Congress of Sociology, Melbourne, June 25-July 1, 2023.

“Global Perspectives on North American Migration Histories,” Conference on American History of the Organization of American Historians, Los Angeles, March 30-April 2, 2023.

“Theorising Migration Politics across the World: Do Political Regimes Matter?,” International Studies Association annual meeting, Montreal, March 14-17, 2023.

“Forced migration and empire,” Social Science History Association annual meeting, Chicago, Nov. 17-20, 2022.

“The sociology of international migration,” Social Science History Association annual meeting, Chicago, Nov. 17-20, 2022.

“A systems approach toward the refugee regime,” Social Science History Association annual meeting, Chicago, Nov. 17-20, 2022.

“The fallacy of unprecedented displacement,” American Sociological Association annual meeting, Los Angeles, Aug. 5-8, 2022.

“Comment on *Crossing: How We Label and React to People on the Move* by Rebecca Hamlin,” Law and Society Association annual meeting, Lisbon, July 16, 2022.

“A Systems Approach to Displacement,” International Association for the Study of Forced Migration, July 28, 2021.

“Author meets Critics panel for *Refuge Beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers*,” Law and Society Association annual meeting, May 29, 2021

“Book salon panel for *Refuge Beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers*,” American Sociological Association annual meeting, Aug. 10, 2020

“Author meets Critics panel for *Refuge Beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers*,” American Historical Association annual meeting, New York, Jan. 3-6, 2020

“Author meets Critics panel for *Refuge Beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers*,” Social Science History Association annual meeting, Chicago, Nov. 21-23, 2019

“Refugee Beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers,” Third Annual Metropolis North America Migration Policy Forum, San Diego, Nov. 7-2, 2019

“Remote Control of Migration: Theorizing Territoriality, Shared Coercion, and Deterrence,” American Sociological Association annual meeting, New York, Aug. 10-13, 2019

“Abuses and Discrimination Against Mexican Immigrants: An Empirical Assessment of the Obama and Trump Administrations,” American Sociological Association annual meeting, New York, Aug. 10-13, 2019

“Refuge Beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers,” Refugee Law Initiative Fourth Annual Conference, University of London, June 3-5, 2019

“Refuge Beyond Reach,” Comparative Network on Refugee Externalisation Policies, Monash Prato Centre, Italy, June 14, 2019

“Refuge Beyond Reach,” Keynote speaker at 6<sup>th</sup> Sussex Centre for Migration Research/ Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies Annual Conference, Brighton, Nov. 21, 2018

“Externalization and its Limits,” Social Science History Association annual meeting, Phoenix, Nov. 8-11, 2018

“Confronting the Externalization of Borders,” American Sociological Association annual meeting, Philadelphia, Aug. 11-14, 2018

“Institutional Constraints on Remote Control of Asylum Seekers,” 17<sup>th</sup> International Association for the Study of Forced Migration Conference, University of Macedonia, Thessaloniki, July 24-27, 2018

“Refuge Beyond Reach: How Rich Democracies Repel Asylum Seekers,” UCLA Conference on Refugee Policy and Refugee Movements, Feb. 16, 2018

“Externalization and its Limits: The Concentric Rings around the United States,” American Historical Association annual meeting, Washington, DC, Jan. 5, 2018

“Mexico as an Asylum Buffer State,” International Association for the Study of Forced Migration biannual meeting, Poznań, Poland, July 12-15, 2016

“Author-meets-critics: *Culling the Masses: The Democratic Origins of Racist Immigration Policy in the Americas*,” American Historical Association annual meeting, Atlanta, Jan. 8, 2016.

“Can You Become One of Us? Legal Selection of “Assimilable” Immigrants,” Social Science History Association annual meeting, Baltimore, Nov. 15, 2015.

Author-meets-critics discussant. “Hiroshi Motomura’s *Immigration outside the Law*,” Social Science History Association annual meeting, Baltimore, Nov. 14, 2015.

“Admission, Integration, and Ethnic Selection in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century,” International Metropolis Conference, Mexico City, Sep. 9, 2015.

“Can You Become One of Us? Legal Selection of “Assimilable” Immigrants,” American Political Science Association annual meeting, San Francisco, Sep. 5, 2015.

“Author-meets-critics: *Culling the Masses: The Democratic Origins of Racist Immigration Policy in the Americas*,” American Sociological Association annual meeting, Chicago, August 22-25, 2015

“Author-meets-reader: *Culling the Masses: The Democratic Origins of Racist Immigration Policy in the Americas*,” Law and Society Association annual meeting, Seattle, May 28, 2015

“Author-meets-critics: *Culling the Masses: The Democratic Origins of Racist Immigration Policy in the Americas*,” Social Science History Association annual meeting, Toronto, Nov. 7, 2014

“The Asylum Paradox: Remote Control of Forced Migration to the Global North,” Social Science History Association annual meeting, Toronto, Nov. 7, 2014

“Refining the Political Sociology of International Migration: Mechanisms of Policy Diffusion,” Conference on Determinants of International Migration, University of Oxford, Sep. 22-25, 2014

“Comparative Ethnic Exclusion of Immigrants in the Western Hemisphere,” International Sociological Association’s World Congress, Yokohama, July 13-19, 2014

“The Asylum Paradox: Remote Control of Forced Migration to the Global North,” Annual Conference of the Canadian Association for Refugee and Forced Migration Studies, Montreal, May 7-9, 2014

#### **OTHER PRESENTATIONS (since 2014):**

##### 2024

Third Age Learning Kitchener-Waterloo, Canada (online), Zolberg Institute on Migration and Mobility at The New School for Social Research (online); Pennsylvania State University College of the Liberal Arts’ “Moments of Change” initiative; National Immigration Teachers & Scholars Workshop at the University of Minnesota Law School; Université de Neuchâtel, Switzerland; El Colegio de Mexico

##### 2023

New York University Abu Dhabi; University of California College of the Law, San Francisco, Center for Race, Immigration, Citizenship, and Equality; League of Women Voters Los Angeles (online); Santa Clara University Ignatian Center’s Bannan Forum and the Global Migration Studies Program; Harvard University David Rockefeller Center for Latin American Studies (online); Universidad de Granada Instituto de Migraciones (online); UCLA Center for the Study of International Migration; Fulbright Spain (online); University of Washington Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology; University of California Irvine Center for Global Peace and Conflict Studies; Wilson Center Refugee and Forced Displacement Initiative

##### 2022

Canadian Ethnic Studies Association (online); Washington Office on Latin America (online); Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, La Jolla, CA; El Colegio de México, Mexico City; Sciences Po (online); Canadian Ethnic Studies Association, Halifax; United Nations University, Centre for Policy Research (online)

##### 2021

Global Migration Center, UC Davis (online); Stanford University Press (online); International Visitor Leadership Program, US Department of State (online); Episcopal Migration Ministry, Washington DC (online); Altman Clinical and Translational Research Institute, UC San Diego (online); University of Michigan Law School (online); Zolberg Institute on Migration and Mobility, The New School (online)

##### 2020

Council on Foreign Relations, New York City (online); University of Toronto Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy; McGill University Centre for the Study of Democratic



Citizenship; Columbia University Human Rights Seminar; Université Laval, Québec City (online); American Jewish University (online); Miller Center, University of Virginia (online); Border Criminologies, University of Oxford (online)

2019

Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México Instituto de Investigaciones Jurídicas; UC Irvine Department of Sociology; U.S. Naval War College international delegation at UC San Diego; Gustavo Adolphus College; National Human Rights Commission (CNDH), Mexico City; American Immigration Council, Washington DC; Center for U.S. Mexican Studies, UC San Diego; Migration Policy Institute, Washington DC; Zolberg Institute on Migration and Mobility, The New School; El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, Tijuana; University of Amsterdam Department of Political Science; WZB Berlin Social Science Center; Monash Prato Center (Italy); Casa del Migrante, Tijuana; Barnard Forum on Migration; University of Pennsylvania Department of Sociology; Temple University Beasley School of Law; Johns Hopkins Department of Sociology; UNLV William S. Boyd School of Law; USC Center for the Study of Immigrant Integration; University of Trento Department of Sociology; European University Institute Migration Policy Centre; Koninklijke Nederlandse Akademie van Wetenschappen Academy Colloquium, University of Amsterdam; Spanish National Research Council (CSIC); Complutense University of Madrid; Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI); Barcelona Center for International Affairs (CIDOB); Centre d'Etudes de la Ethnicité et des Migrations, University of Liège (Belgium); UNHCR Headquarters, Geneva

2018

New York University-Abu Dhabi; Brooklyn Law School; UC San Diego Department of Sociology colloquium; Loyola Marymount; University of San Diego Trans-Border Institute; UC San Diego Teach-In on the Migrant Caravan; Sciences Po Center for International Research; Columbia Global Center in Paris

2017

Department of Sociology, Tel Aviv University; Ryerson University (Toronto); Indiana University East; University of Sydney; Kaldor Centre for International Refugee Law, University of New South Wales; Melbourne Law School, University of Melbourne; Faculty of Law, Monash University; American Academy of Arts and Sciences San Diego Program

2016

Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb; Columbia Population Research Center, Columbia University; Department of Sociology, University of Notre Dame; Colegio de la Frontera Norte (Tijuana); Colegio de México; Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, UC San Diego; International Institute, UCLA; Newberry Library (Chicago); Department of Sociology, Northwestern University; Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard; University of Connecticut Law School; Institute for the Study of the Americas, University of North Carolina; LBJ School for Public Affairs, University of Texas at Austin; Department of Sociology, University of California, Berkeley

2015

UC Irvine; UN Women (New York); Center for Comparative Studies in Race and Ethnicity, Stanford University; Institut de sociologie, Université Libre de Bruxelles; Forschungskolleg, Siegen University; Centre for Ethnicity and Citizenship, University of Bristol; London Migration Research Group; Department of Sociology, University of Trento; Department of Political and Social Sciences, European University Institute; Centre de Recherches Internationales, Sciences Po; Institut National d'Études Démographiques (Paris); UC Davis

2014

Migration and Immigrant Incorporation Workshop, Harvard; Comparative Research Workshop, Yale; Program on International Migration, UCLA; El Colegio de la Frontera Norte (Tijuana); Immigration and Ethnicity Consortium, UC San Diego; Centre for Refugee Studies, York University (Toronto); Trans-Border Institute, University of San Diego; Social Sciences Supper Club, UC San Diego; The Study of the United States Institute on U.S. National Security Policymaking (La Jolla, CA); Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (La Jolla, CA)

**DISCUSSANT**

2025

UCLA Center for the Study of International Migration/ CCIS

2024

UCSD Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies; University of Amsterdam Migration Politics

2023

International Studies Association annual conference, UCSD Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, American Sociological Association annual conference, APSA Minority-Serving Institution book workshop

2022

American Sociological Association annual conference, Social Science History Association annual conference, UCSD Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies; International Studies Association annual meeting

2021

London School of Economics and Political Science, Department of Geography and Environment; Migration Policy Centre European University Institute; German Historical Institute; UCLA Center for the Study of International Migration/ CCIS UCSD European University Institute; Centre for Research in the Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities, Cambridge University

**MEDIA INTERVIEWS AND COMMENTARIES (select)**

*New York Times, Economist, The Guardian, Washington Post, Los Angeles Times, USA Today, The Hill, Bloomberg News, Agencia EFE, Yomiuri Shimbun, Asahi Shimbun, Liberación, Global Times (China), Svenska Dagbladet, Associated Press*

*New Yorker, The New Republic, American Prospect, Mother Jones, The Atlantic, Newsweek, U.S. News and World Report, The Nation*

CSPAN, CBS “60 Minutes”, BBC World Service, BBC Mundo, BBC.com, CNN Radio, CNN.com, Univision, Al Jazeera, National Geographic TV, Voice of America, Nippon TV, Australian Broadcasting Corporation TV, ORF Austrian TV, Radio Free Europe, Radio Euskadi

Salon, Slate, PolitiFact, The Conversation

## **EXTRAMURAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:**

### **Advisory Board:**

European Union Observatory on Citizenship (2014- present)  
HIAS Center for Refugee Policy (2023- present)  
Model International Mobility Convention (2015-2017)

### **Editorial Board Member:**

*Migration Studies*, 2023-present  
*Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 2015-present  
*Contemporary Sociology*, 2016-2019  
*Mexican Studies*, 2013-2019 (Chair of UC Editorial Board 2014- 2019)  
*Migraciones Internacionales*, 2009-2011

### **Occasional reviewer:**

(Journals): *American Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *International Migration Review*, *The Sociological Quarterly*, *Qualitative Sociology*, *Sociological Inquiry*, *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, *Journal of Latin American Studies*, *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, *Mexican Studies*, *International Political Sociology*, *Migraciones Internacionales*, *Journal of Latin American Urban Studies*, *World Development*, *World Politics*, *Irish Journal of Sociology*, *Migration Studies*, *Anuario Colombiano de Historia Social y de la Cultura*, *Politics & Policy*, *Latin American Research Review*, *Journal of Policy History*, *Refuge: Canada's Journal on Refugees*, *Population Studies*, *International Journal of Refugee Law*, *Journal of Refugee Studies*, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity*, *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, *Population and Development Review*, *International Migration*, *Globalizations*, *Human Rights Review*, *Contexts*, *Refugee Service Quarterly*, *Social Forces*, *Migration Studies*

(Academic Presses): Cambridge, Oxford, California, Stanford, Princeton, SUNY, UCSD Center for U.S. Mexican Studies, Routledge, Polity, Arizona, Chicago, Bloomsbury

### **(Grants & Fellowships):**

NSF Sociology, Anthropology, and Political Science programs, 2008- 2010, 2021, 2022  
CUNY Research Award Program, 2020  
Canada Research Chairs Program, 2017  
Swiss National Science Foundation, 2015  
Chateaubriand Fellowship Program (France), 2015  
UC President's Postdoctoral Fellowship Program, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2023  
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, 2014  
Qatar National Research Fund, 2013, 2014  
Czech Science Foundation, 2013  
Irish Research Council for the Humanities and Social Sciences, 2012  
Social Science Research Council, 2011-2012  
Russell Sage Foundation, 2011, 2018  
UC MEXUS, 2007

**Officer/ organizer:**

Co-Chair, National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine committee on Global Forced Migration and U.S. Resettlement, 2024-2026

Committee member, Premio Bienal de Tesis Doctoral "Gilberto Bosques", 2024

Session organizer, American Sociological Association annual meeting, 2024

Session organizer, American Sociological Association annual meeting, 2023

Session organizer, International Studies Association annual meeting, 2023

Session organizer, American Sociological Association annual meeting, 2022

Session organizer, Law and Society Association annual meeting, 2022

Book Award Committee, International Studies Association. Ethnicity, Nationalism, and Migration Studies Section, 2022

Session organizer, International Studies Association annual meeting, 2022

Book Award Committee, International Studies Association Human Rights Section, 2021

Member-at-Large, International Studies Association. Ethnicity, Nationalism, and Migration Studies Section, 2021

Book Award Committee Co-Chair, American Sociological Association, International Migration Section, 2021

Session organizer, International Association for the Study of Forced Migration biannual meeting, 2021

Session organizer, Refugee Law Initiative Fourth Annual Conference, 2019

Session organizer, Social Science History Association annual meeting, 2018

Section Chair, American Sociological Association, International Migration Section, 2017-18

Session organizer, International Association for the Study of Forced Migration biannual meeting, 2016

Book Award Committee Chair, American Sociological Association, International Migration Section, 2016

Dissertation Award Committee Chair, American Political Science Association, Migration and Citizenship Section, 2016

Session organizer, 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting Social Science History Association, 2014

Award in Public Sociology Committee Chair, American Sociological Association, International Migration Section, 2014

Session organizer, XXXI Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, 2013

Student Paper Committee, American Sociological Association, International Migration Section, 2012

Student Paper Committee, American Sociological Association, International Migration Section, 2009

Session organizer, First Conference on Ethnicity, Race, and Indigenous Peoples in Latin America and the Caribbean, 2008

Session organizer, XXVII Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, 2007

Roundtables organizer. American Sociological Association, International Migration Section, 2006

Student Paper Committee, American Sociological Association, Labor and Labor Movement Section, 2006

Student Paper Committee, American Sociological Association, Political Sociology Section, 2006

Session organizer, XXVI Congress of the Latin American Studies Association, 2006

#### **INTRAMURAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:**

Member, UCSD Committee on Committees, 2023-2026

Chair, Sociology Recruitment Committee, 2023

Member, Sociology Graduate Program Committee, 2021-2023

Chair, Sociology Admissions Committee, 2019-2020

Member, Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies Fellowship Committee, 2020

Member, Sociology Admissions Committee, 2018-2019, 2025

Member, Sociology Undergraduate Committee, 2017-18

Alternate Member of the Representative Assembly of the Academic Senate, 2014-16

Faculty Coordinator, International Law Speaker Series at the Institute for International, Comparative, and Area Studies, 2013-15

Member, Sociology Graduate Program Committee, 2013-17

Member, Sociology Faculty Recruitment Committee, 2012-13

Member, UCSD Fulbright Committee, 2012, 2013

Member, Sociology Graduate Admissions Committee, 2011-12

Member, Latin American Studies curriculum committee, 2010-11

Sociology Graduate Student Placement Advisor, 2010-2012

Undergraduate Program Director, International Migration Studies Minor, 2009-2013

Member, Social Sciences Planning for the Future Task Force, 2009-10

Member, Center for Iberian and Latin American Studies (CILAS) Faculty Advisory Committee, 2009-10

Member, CILAS Grant Committee, 2010

Member, International Academic Council, UCSD Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies, 2007-2008

Member, CCIS Faculty Advisory Committee, 2006-2009

Member, Sociology Graduate Admissions Committee, 2008-09

Member, Sociology Undergraduate Education Committee, 2007-08

**PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:**

American Sociological Association

International Association for the Study of Forced Migration

Scholars Strategy Network (San Diego Regional Co-Leader, 2012-2018)

Centre for Refugee Studies, York University

Institute of European Studies, UC Berkeley

Refugee Law Initiative, University of London (Senior Research Associate)

**LANGUAGES:**

Professional spoken and written Spanish, reading knowledge of French