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### POSITIONS

2018-Present Professor of Sociology, Duke University  
2008-2018 Associate Professor of Sociology, Duke University  
2007-2008 Associate Professor of Sociology, University of California, Irvine  
2003-2007 Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of California, Irvine

### OTHER APPOINTMENTS

2008-Present Faculty member, Duke Global Health Institute  
2013-2015 Assistant Executive Director, Health Services Research, Hamad Medical Corporation Academic Health System, Doha, Qatar  
2014-2015 Adjunct Associate Professor of Healthcare Policy and Research, Weill Cornell Medical College-Qatar

### EDUCATION

2001-03 Postdoctoral Fellow Rice University, Department of Sociology, James Baker Institute for Public Policy and UT School of Public Health  
2001 PhD Sociology The University of Texas at Austin, GPA: 4.0  
Dissertation title: "Dressed for Success: Culture, Class, and Labor Force Achievement among Arab-American Women"  
Advisor: Susan Marshall  
1997 MA Sociology The University of Texas at Austin, GPA: 4.0  
1995 BA Sociology Midwestern State University, Wichita Falls, Texas  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Student Body President

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Social determinants of health  
Gender and ethnic inequality

Medical sociology  
Arab and Muslim integration

## PUBLICATIONS

### *Book*

2004. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. *Culture, Class, and Work among Arab-American Women*. New York: LFB Scholarly Publishing.
- Reviewed in *Contemporary Sociology, Work & Occupations, Sociology of Religion*

### *Peer Review Journal Articles*

2017. Eagle, David, Lisa A. Keister, and Jen'nan Ghazal Read. "Household Charitable Giving: The Role of Gender, Marital Status, and Religion." Forthcoming in *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*. DOI:10.1177/0899764017734650
2017. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Paige Borelli Smith.\* "Gender and National Origin Differences in Healthcare Utilization among U.S. Immigrants from Mexico, China, and India." *Ethnicity & Health*. DOI:10.1080/13557858.2017.1297776
2016. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal, Jeremy Porter, and Bridget Gorman. "Gender and the Mental-Physical Health Connection among U.S. Adults." *Sociological Forum* 31:1104-1125.
2016. Reynolds, Megan, Alla Chernenko\* and Jen'nan Ghazal Read. "Region of Origin Diversity in Immigrant Health: Moving beyond the Mexican Case." *Social Science & Medicine* 166:102-109.
2015. Hussain, Serena and Jen'nan Ghazal Read. "Islamic Schools in the United States and England: Implications for Integration and Social Cohesion." *Social Compass* 62:556-569.
2015. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Gender, Religious Identity, and Civic Engagement among Arab Muslims in the United States." *Sociology of Religion* 76:30-48
2015. Varughese, Shinu\*, Jen'nan Ghazal Read, et al. "Effectiveness of Middle East Respiratory Syndrome-Coronavirus Protocol in Enhancing the Function of an Emergency Department in Qatar." *European Journal of Emergency Medicine* 22:316-320.
2014. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal, Shinu Varughese\*, and Peter Cameron. "Factors Contributing to Non-urgent Emergency Department Attendance among Females in Qatar." *Qatar Medical Journal* 16:1-11.
2014. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "In Search of Sociological Congruence." *Social Currents* 1:44-50.
2013. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Measuring Ethnicity with U.S. Census Data: Implications for Mexicans and Arabs." *Population Research and Policy Review* 32:611-631.

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\* Denotes graduate student.

2012. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Megan Reynolds.\* "Gender Differences in Immigrant Health: The Case of Mexican and Middle Eastern Immigrants." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 53:99-123.
2011. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and David Eagle.\* "Intersecting Identities as a Source of Religious Incongruence." *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* 50:116-132.
2010. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Bridget K. Gorman. "Gender and Health Inequality." *Annual Review of Sociology* 36:371-386.
2010. Gorman, Bridget, Jen'nan Ghazal Read, and Patrick Krueger. "Gender, Acculturation and Health among Mexican Americans." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 51:440-457.
2008. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Sharon Oselin.\* "Gender and the Education-Employment Paradox in Ethnic and Religious Contexts: The Case of Arab Americans." *American Sociological Review* 73:296-313.
2008. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Muslims in America." *Contexts* 7:39-43.
2007. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Philip N. Cohen. "One Size Fits All? Explaining U.S.-born and Immigrant Women's Employment across 12 Ethnic Groups." *Social Forces* 85: 1737-1760.
2007. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "More of a Bridge than a Gap: Gender Differences in Arab American Political Engagement." *Social Science Quarterly* 88: 1072-1091.
2007. *Guest Editor*, Special issue of the *Sociology of Religion* entitled, "Muslim Integration in the United States and France." All articles peer reviewed including introduction.  
- Introduction to the issue, "The Politics of Veiling in Comparative Perspective."  
*Sociology of Religion* 68: 231-236.
2007. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Bridget K. Gorman. "Racial/Ethnic Differences in Hypertension and Depression among U.S. Women." *Ethnicity & Disease* 17:383-390.
2007. Gorman, Bridget K. and Jen'nan Ghazal Read. "Why Men Die Younger than Women." *Geriatrics & Aging* 10:179-182.
2006. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Bridget K. Gorman. "Gender Inequalities in U.S. Adult Health: The Interplay of Race and Ethnicity." *Social Science & Medicine* 62: 1045-1065.  
- Featured as a landmark article on gender and health in a special issue of *Social Science & Medicine* (2007).
2006. Gorman, Bridget K. and Jen'nan Ghazal Read. "Gender Disparities in Adult Health: An Examination of Three Measures of Morbidity." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 47: 95-110.

2005. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Michael O. Emerson. "Racial Context, Black Immigration, and the U.S. Black/White Health Disparity." *Social Forces* 84:183-201.
2005. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal, Benjamin Amick, and Katharine Donato. "Arab Immigrants: A New Case for Ethnicity and Health?" *Social Science & Medicine* 61:77-82.
2005. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal, Michael O. Emerson, and Alvin Tarlov. "Implications of Black Immigrant Health for U.S. Racial Disparities in Health." *Journal of Immigrant Health* 7:205-212.
2004. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Family, Religion, and Work among Arab-American Women." *Journal of Marriage and Family* 66:1042-1050.
2004. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Cultural Influences on Immigrant Women's Labor Force Participation: The Arab-American Case." *International Migration Review* 38:52-77.
2003. Marshall, Susan E. and Jen'nan Ghazal Read. "Identity Politics among Arab-American Women." *Social Science Quarterly* 84:875-891.
2003. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "The Sources of Gender Role Attitudes among Christian and Muslim Arab-American Women." *Sociology of Religion* 64:207-222.
- *Odum Award* for best graduate student paper, Southern Sociological Society.
  - *Robert J. McNamara Award* for best graduate student paper, Association for the Sociology of Religion.
2003. Bartkowski, John P. and Jen'nan Ghazal Read. "Veiled Submission: Gender, Power, and Identity among Evangelical and Muslim Women in the United States." *Qualitative Sociology* 26:71-92.
2002. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Challenging Myths of Muslim Women: The Influence of Islam on Arab-American Women's Labor Force Participation." *Muslim World* 96:18-39.
- *Lora Romera Memorial Award* for best graduate student paper, University of Texas, Austin.
2000. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and John P. Bartkowski. "To Veil or Not to Veil? A Case Study of Identity Negotiation among Muslim Women in Austin, Texas." *Gender & Society* 14:395-417.
- *Best Graduate Student Paper Award*, Southwestern Social Science Association.
  - Reprinted in three editions of *Gender Through the Prism of Difference*, (2005, 2011, 2016), edited by Maxine B. Zinn, Pierrette Hondagneu-Sotelo and Michael Messner. New York: Oxford University Press.

### **Peer Review Book Chapters**

2018. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Serena Hussain. "Muslim integration in the United States and England: The role of the Islamic schools." Pp. 133-152 in *Growing Up Muslim in Europe and the United States*, edited by Mehdi Bozorgmehr and Philip Kasinitz. New York: Routledge Press.
2017. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and E. Paige Borelli.\* "Healthcare Utilization as a Source of Health Disparities among U.S. Male Immigrants." Pp. 163-182 in *Applied Demography and Public Health in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*, edited by M. Nazrul Hoque, Beverly Pecotte, and Mary A. McGehee. New York: Springer Press.
2017. Rieker, Patricia and Jen'nan G. Read. "The Health Gender Gap: A Constrained Choice Explanation." Pp. 85-118 in *The Psychology of Gender and Health*, edited by M. Pilar Sánchez-López and Rosa M. Limiñana-Gras. Atlanta: Elsevier Press.
2014. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and David Eagle.\* "Intersectionality and Identity: An Exploration of Arab American Women." Pp. 75-96 in *Religion and Inequality*, edited by Lisa A. Keister and Darren E. Sherkat. New York: Cambridge University Press.
2014. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "But Muslims aren't Like Us! Deconstructing Myths about Muslims in America." Pp. 105-113 in *Getting Real about Race: Hoodies, Mascots, Model Minorities and Other Conversations*, edited by Stephanie M. McClure and Cherise A. Harris. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.
2014. Cainkar, Louise and Jen'nan Ghazal Read. "Arab Americans and Gender." Pp. 89-105 in *Biopsychosocial Perspectives on Arab Americans: Culture, Development, and Health*, edited by Sylvia Nassar-McMillan, Julie Hakim-Larson, and Kristine Ajrouch. New York: Springer.
2013. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Megan Reynolds.\* "Gender and Health among Mexican and Middle Eastern Immigrants." Pp. 143-160 in *Health Care and Immigration: Understanding the Connections*, edited by Patricia Fernandez-Kelly and Alejandro Portes. New York: Routledge.
2013. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Bridget K. Gorman. "Gender and Health Revisited." Pp. 411-413 in the *The Handbook of the Sociology of Health, Illness, & Healing: Blueprint for the 21st Century*, edited by Bernice Pescocolido, Jack K. Martin, Jane D. McLeod, and Anne Rogers. New York: Springer.
2011. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "The Diversity of the New Immigrant Religious Populations." Pp. 130-145 in *Faith, Politics & Press in Our Perilous Times*, edited by Steven Burgard. Dubuque, IA: Kendall Hunt Publishing.

2010. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Religion, Family, and Women's Employment among Muslim and Christian Arab Americans." Pp. 206-228 in *Religion, Families, and Health in the United States: Population-Based Research in the United States*, edited by Chris G. Ellison and Robert Hummer. Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press.
2008. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Discrimination and Identity Formation in a Post-9/11 Era: A Comparison of Muslim and Christian Arab Americans." Pp. 305-317 in *Race and Arab Americans Before and After 9/11*, edited by Amaney Jamal and Nadine Naber. New York: Syracuse University Press.
2008. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Multiple Identities among Arabs in America: A Tale of Two Congregations." Pp. 107-127 in *Being and Belonging: Muslims in the United States since 9/11*, edited by Katherine P. Ewing. New York: Russell Sage Foundation.
2006. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "The Gender Gap in Arab-American Political Engagement," Pp. 79-92 in *American Arabs and Political Participation*, edited by Philippa Strum. Washington, DC: Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

### ***Book Reviews and Other Publications***

2008. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. Book review of "Being Arab: Ethnic and Religious Identity Building among Second Generation Youth in Montreal." By Paul Eid. *American Journal of Sociology* 114, 3: 844-846.
2008. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "North American Islam." In the *Encyclopedia of Politics and Religion*, ed. Robert Wuthnow. Washington, DC: CQ Press.
2003. Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Mustafa Dohadwal.\* *From the Inside Out: Coming Home from Prison to the Islamic Faith*. Washington, DC: The Annie E. Casey Foundation.

### **Articles in progress or under review**

- Read, Jen'nan Ghazal and Jessica S. West. "Disaggregating Ethnic Diversity in the Non-Hispanic White Population: Implications for Disability among U.S. Adults." Under review at *Demography*.
- Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Constrained Choices: Gender, Citizenship and Barriers to Healthcare Utilization in Qatar." Under review at the *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*.
- Read, Jen'nan Ghazal. "Invisible Minorities: Health Inequality among Ethnic Populations Classified as White." In progress.

## **FUNDED GRANTS (sole PI unless noted otherwise)**

### ***Research grants***

- 2018 “Thriving after Surviving: Strategies for Improving Muslim Refugee Student Outcomes.” *The William T. Grant Foundation* (\$63,000).
- 2017-18 “Disaggregating Ethnic Diversity in the Non-Hispanic White and Black Populations: Implications for Disability across the Life Course.” Seed grant from the Duke Center for Population Health and Aging (\$25,000) under a P30 grant from the National Institutes of Health and the National Institute of Aging (NIH/NIA) (O’Rand, PI).
- 2016-17 “Disaggregating Health Data among Whites: Implications for Research and Policy.” *Robert Wood Johnson Foundation* (\$94,000)
- 2016-18 “The Demography of Arabs in America: An Historical Analysis of U.S. Census Data.” *Arab Community Center for Economic and Social Services* (\$95,000)
- 2014-16 “Social Determinants of Emergency Department Use in Qatar.” *Hamad Medical Corporation* (\$110,000)
- 2010-12 “Muslim Integration in the U.S. and England.” *Stuart Family Foundation* (\$95,000)
- 2006-09 Carnegie Scholar. “Determinants of Muslim American Political Incorporation.” *Carnegie Corporation on New York* (\$100,000)
- 2007-09 “Doubly Disenfranchised? How Race and Religion Shape Muslim American Political Engagement.” *Russell Sage Foundation* (\$144,000)
- 2004-07 “International Migration and Alternative Definitions of Identity: The Arab- and Mexican-American Cases.” *U.S. Census Bureau* (\$132,000)
- 2007 Scholar-in-Residence. *Borchard Foundation*. Château de la Bretesche in Missillac, France for the fall quarter (\$65,000)
- 2007-09 Co-investigator with Bridget Gorman *Rice University* “How Gender Shapes the Mexican-American Immigrant Health Paradox.” (\$25,000)
- 2007 Seed grant, Center for the Study of Democracy, University of California, Irvine (\$2,500)
- 2006 Conference grant, Center for the Study of Democracy, University of California, Irvine (\$5,000)
- 2002-05 “Multiple Identities among Arabs in America.” *Russell Sage Foundation* (\$163,000)
- 2005 Organizer and Convener, international colloquia on “The Politics of Veiling in the U.S. and France.” *Borchard Foundation* (\$50,000)

- 2005 “Religious Involvement and Health: A Comparative Case Study of Muslim and Christian Arab Americans.” *Society for the Scientific Study of Religion* (\$3,000)
- 2002-03 “Faith-based Organizations and the Re-entry of Ex-Offenders: The Case of U.S. Islamic Groups.” *Annie E. Casey Foundation* (\$15,000)
- 2001-02 Dissertation Grant, Arab American Institute Foundation (\$2,500)
- 2001-02 Fichter Research Grant, Association for the Sociology of Religion (\$1,500)

***Public engagement grants***

- 2012-13 British Council, *Our Shared Future Program*, for faculty exchange between Duke University and King’s College (\$10,000)
- 2010-11 *Social Science Research Council*, Conference on U.S. Muslims for the Religion Newswriters’ Association annual meeting (\$75,000)
- 2008-11 *Social Science Research Council*, “Muslims and Public Scholarship.” (\$50,000)
- 2008-10 Strategic initiative grant from the *Carnegie Corporation of New York* to complete media-appropriate publications from research on Muslim Americans (\$25,000)

**Selected Awards and Honors**

- 2015 Top-5% of course evaluations for all undergraduate Duke instructors, small classes
- 2014 *FIRST Scholar*, University of Colorado Boulder (summer fellowship)
- 2014 Winner of the Senior Research Investigator Award, Hamad Medical Corporation
- 2012 Inducted into the *Sociological Research Association*, limited to 14 new members annually based on excellence in sociological research
- 2008 *Outstanding Alumnus*, College of Liberal Arts, Midwestern State University.
- 2006-09 *Carnegie Scholar* (award limited to twenty scholars nationally per year)
- 2006 *Social Science Assistant Professor Research Award*, University of California, Irvine  
In recognition of overall research excellence and a strong proposal for future research
- 2006 *Who’s Who among Arab Americans*, Arab-American Yearbook
- 2002-08 *Board member*, Advisory Council on U.S. Census data for the Arab American Institute Foundation, Washington DC
- 2001 *University of Texas Dissertation Fellowship*, limited to top 1% of UT graduate students



- 2001 *Lora Romera Memorial Paper Award*, best graduate student paper in Race, Ethnicity, and Gender, University of Texas at Austin
- 2001 *Odum Award*, best graduate student paper, Southern Sociological Society
- 2001 *Robert J. McNamara Paper Award*, best graduate student paper, Association for the Sociology of Religion.
- 1999 *Outstanding Teaching Assistant of the Year*, Department of Sociology, University of Texas at Austin
- 1997 Best Graduate Student Paper Award, Southwestern Social Science Association

### **Selected Media Appearances and Publications**

- 2011 Expert guest on the *Charlie Rose Show*, special series on “Inside Islam” available at <http://ondemand.duke.edu/video/28271/charlie-rose-inside-islam-clip>
- 2011 Regular guest expert on Muslims in America on the Al Yuom Show on Al Hurra Television (Arabic equivalent to Good Morning America) Available at <http://www.alhurra.com/Archive.htm#>
- 2011 “Muslim Americans Welcome Bin Laden’s Defeat.” Op-ed featured in six regional newspapers on the east and west coasts
- 2009 “Movement in the Right Direction.” Invited essay for the *Social Science Research Council* blog, The Immanent Frame, posted on June 10<sup>th</sup>, available at: [http://www.ssrc.org/blogs/immanent\\_frame/2009/06/10/movement-in-the-right-direction/](http://www.ssrc.org/blogs/immanent_frame/2009/06/10/movement-in-the-right-direction/)
- 2009 “A Reason to Remain Hopeful.” Invited essay for the *Social Science Research Council* blog, The Immanent Frame, posted on January 30<sup>th</sup>, available at: [http://www.ssrc.org/blogs/immanent\\_frame/category/religion-american-politics/](http://www.ssrc.org/blogs/immanent_frame/category/religion-american-politics/)
- 2008 “U.S. Muslims could Swing the Vote.” Op-Ed that appeared in four regional newspapers: *Raleigh News & Observer*, *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*, *Philadelphia Inquirer*, *Costa Contra Times*. [www.philly.com/inquirer/opinion/20081005\\_Muslim\\_voters\\_gain\\_strength.html](http://www.philly.com/inquirer/opinion/20081005_Muslim_voters_gain_strength.html)

### **Invited Lectures and Panels**

- 2017 “Gender and Health Inequality.” Invited panelist for ASA thematic session on health inequality.
- 2017 “Disentangling Culture and Religion.” Invited panelist for an ASA session co-sponsored by the Section on the Sociology of Religion.
- 2016 “New Directions in Population Health Research.” Invited lecture to the Triangle Area Population Society (TAPS).
- 2016 “Challenges in Studying U.S. Muslim Communities.” Invited key-note lecture at North Carolina State University, Khayrallah Center.
- 2014 “Social Determinants of Health in the Gulf Region.” Invited lecture for special workshop hosted by the Hamad Medical Corporation and Warwick University (Feb).

- 2013 “Health Behaviors: A Social Sciences or Health Sciences Issue?” Invited panelist at the Qatar Foundation’s Annual Research Conference (Nov).
- 2012 “Gender and Immigrant Health.” Invited lecture in the department of sociology at Columbia University (March).
- 2011 “Intersections in Social Inequality: Gender, Ethnicity and Religion among Arab Americans.” Invited lecture in the department of sociology at Purdue University (Nov).
- 2010 “Muslim Integration in the U.S. and Germany.” Invited panelist at the Woodrow Wilson Center for International Scholars, Washington DC (April).
- 2010 “Islamic Schools: Help or Hindrance to Integration?” Invited lecture at the Stuart Foundation, Washington DC (May).
- 2009 “Muslim Americans and the 2008 Elections.” Invited lecture in the department of sociology at New York University (Dec).
- 2009 “Muslims and the American Political Landscape.” Invited lecture in the department of sociology at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill (Nov).
- 2008 “Middle Eastern Americans in Higher Education.” Co-Director of a 2-day panel at the National Conference on Race and Ethnicity in Higher Education. Orlando, FL (May).
- 2008 “The Values Voter.” Dinner panel speaker with Phil Bennett, Managing Editor of the Washington Post, University of California, Irvine (Feb).
- 2007 “The Politics of Muslim Immigrant Communities.” Invited Panel at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York.
- 2007 “Gender and the Education-Employment Paradox in Ethnic Contexts.” Department of Sociology Colloquium Series, *Duke University* (Dec).
- 2007 “Religion and American Politics: Muslim Exceptionalism or Business as Usual?” Carnegie Corporation of New York (Aug).
- 2007 “Gender Stratification in Ethnic Contexts.” Invited joint panel at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association and Association for the Sociology of Religion.
- 2006 Presider and chair, “Theoretical and Empirical Linkages between Physical and Mental Health,” annual meeting of the American Sociological Society, Montreal.
- 2006 Presider and chair, Session on “Gender Differentials in Schooling and Occupations,” annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Los Angeles.
- 2006 “Gender Differences in Arab American Political Incorporation,” *Woodrow Wilson Center for International Studies*, Washington, DC (May).
- 2006 *Organizer and Convener*, ASA Section on the Sociology of Mental Health session, “The Links between Physical and Mental Health,” Montreal, Quebec.
- 2006 “Religious Influences on Gender Roles and Family Life among Middle Eastern Americans,” Hosted by Duke, Maryland, and UCLA, Los Angeles, CA (Feb).
- 2005 “Reproducing Inequality? Female Education in Ethnic and Religious Contexts.” *Department of Sociology Colloquium Series*, University of California, Berkeley (Sept).
- 2005 “Arabs in America: From the Margins to the Mainstream?” *Social Science Dinner Club*, University of California, Irvine (Oct).
- 2005 “Acculturation and Immigrant Health.” The Grand Rounds, *Mount Sinai Medical Center*, New York (Oct).
- 2005 “Alternative Definitions of Arab Identity.” *Conference on Middle Easterners in the Diaspora*, Yale University.
- 2004 “Religion and Women’s Employment over the Life Course: A Comparison of Muslim and Christian Arab Americans.” Conference on *Religion, Family, and Health in the*

- United States*, University of Texas at Austin.
- 2004 “Arab Immigrants: A New Case for Ethnicity and Health?” *Center for Health Policy Research*, University of California, Irvine (Nov).
- 2004 *Organizer*, Section on the Sociology of Religion Roundtables, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco.
- 2004 Organizer and convener, Session on “Gender, Religion, and Immigration,” annual meeting of the Association for the Sociology of Religion, San Francisco.
- 2002 “Mistaken Identity: The Consequences of Discrimination against Arab and Muslim Immigrants,” Special session on the Aftermath of 9/11 at the Annual Meeting of the Middle East Studies Association, Washington, DC.
- 2002 “The Status of Muslim and Arab Women in the United States,” Special session at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, New Orleans.
- 2002 “Post 9/11 Backlash against Middle Eastern Americans,” Panelist, special session at the annual meeting of the Middle East Studies Association, Washington, DC.
- 2000 *Organizer and President*. “Old Boundaries and New Frontiers: The Challenges and Achievements of U.S. Muslim Women.” *Special Session*, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Washington, DC.

### **Conference Presentations**

- 2016 “Constrained Choice Theory: Understanding Gender Health Inequalities in Global Perspective,” annual meeting of the *American Sociological Association*.
- 2016 “Gender Differences in Healthcare Utilization: A Case Study in Qatar,” annual meeting of the *International Sociological Association*.
- 2015 “Migrant Access to Healthcare in Qatar,” annual meeting of the *American Sociological Association*.
- 2014 “Healthcare Utilization as a Source of Health Disparities among Male Immigrants,” annual meeting of the *Population Association of America*, Boston.
- 2010 “Intersecting Identities as a Source of Religious Incongruence,” annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta.
- 2010 “Healthy Migrants or Just Healthy Men?” annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Dallas.
- 2009 “Gender and Middle Eastern Health: A New Immigrant Case,” annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Detroit.
- 2009 “Religion and Identity Politics among Blacks and Whites,” annual meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, San Francisco.
- 2008 “Gender and the Health Policy Implications of Immigration and Aging,” annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Boston.
- 2008 “How Gender Shapes the Mexican American Immigrant Health Paradox,” annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Dallas.
- 2005 “Reproducing Inequality? Female Education in Arab-American Families,” annual meeting of the American Sociological Society, Philadelphia.
- 2005 “Bridge or Barrier? Religious Identity and the Civic Incorporation of Muslim and Christian Arab Americans,” annual meetings of the Association for the Sociology of Religion, Philadelphia.
- 2004 “Family, Work, and Religion among Arab-American Women,” annual meeting of the

- American Sociological Association, San Francisco.
- 2004 “Determinants of U.S. Women’s Employment: An Examination of Twelve Racial/Ethnic Groups,” annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco (with Philip Cohen).
- 2004 “Arab Immigrants: A New Case for Ethnicity and Health?” annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco (with B. Amick and K. Donato).
- 2004 “Religion, Immigration, and Gender Role Negotiation among Arab Americans,” annual meeting of the Association for the Sociology of Religion, San Francisco.
- 2003 “Black Immigration, Racial Context, and the U.S. Black/White Health Disparity.” Annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta (with M. Emerson).
- 2002 “Identity Politics among Arab-American Women.” Annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago (with Susan E. Marshall).
- 2002 “Mistaken Identity: The Consequences of Discrimination on Arab and Muslim Immigrants in the Aftermath of September 11<sup>th</sup>.” Annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago.
- 2001 “Nativity, Culture, and Labor Force Participation among Arab-American Women.” Annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Anaheim, CA.
- 2001 “Veiled Submission: Gender Negotiation among Evangelical and U.S. Muslim Women.” Annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Anaheim, CA (with John P. Bartkowski).
- 2000 “Veiled Submission: Conservative Evangelical and Islamic Gender Relations in Comparative Perspective.” Annual meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, Houston (with John P. Bartkowski).
- 1999 “A Case Study of Veiling among U.S. Muslim Women.” Graduate Student Gender Studies Conference, University of Texas at Austin.
- 1999 “Identity Negotiation in Contemporary Islam: Muslim Women’s Views of the Veil.” Annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago.
- 1998 “Gender Differences in African American Religiosity.” Annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, Atlanta (with Edward Morris).
- 1997 “Veiling: Religious Doctrine or Cultural Tradition?” Annual meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, New Orleans.
- 1995 “Faculty Attitudes Toward Academic Dishonesty on a College Campus.” Annual meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association, Dallas.

### **Leadership Positions**

- 2011-2013 Associate Director for Special Initiatives, Duke Islamic Studies Center
- 2012-2013 Chair, Graduate Admissions and Recruiting, Duke Sociology
- 2010-2012 Director of Gender and Health Research Initiative, Duke Global Health Institute
- 2008-2010 Director of Postdoctoral Research, Duke Global Health Institute
- 2006-2008 Assistant Director, Center for the Study of Democracy, UC-Irvine

### **Manuscript Reviewer**

American Sociological Review	American Journal of Sociology
Social Forces	Gender & Society
Social Science Quarterly	Sociological Perspectives
Review of Religious Research	Sociology of Religion
Journal of Health and Social Behavior	Social Science & Medicine
Journal of Marriage and Family	Ethnicity & Health
International Migration Review	Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion

### **Professional Service**

2017-19	<i>Chair</i> , Nominations Committee, ASA Section on Medical Sociology
2016-19	<i>Secretary/Treasurer</i> , ASA Section on the Sociology of Religion
2009-12	<i>Associate Editor</i> , <i>American Sociological Review</i>
2006-09	<i>Associate Editor</i> , <i>Sociology of Religion</i>
2006-08	<i>Editorial Board</i> , <i>Contemporary Sociology</i>
2007	<i>Chair</i> , Article Award Committee, ASA Section on the Sociology of Religion
2006	<i>Member</i> , Article Award Committee, ASA Section on the Sociology of Religion
2004-07	<i>Member</i> , Executive Committee, Program in Demographic and Social Analysis
2005-08	<i>Member</i> , Awards Committee, Pacific Sociological Association
2004-05	<i>Organizer</i> , Immigration Brownbag Series, University of California, Irvine
2002-03	<i>Organizer</i> , Sociology Brownbag Series, Rice University
2002-03	<i>Weiss College Associate</i> , Rice University, mentor to undergraduate students

### **Association Memberships**

American Sociological Association	Association for the Sociology of Religion
Southern Sociological Society	Society for the Scientific Study of Religion
Population Association of America	Middle East Studies Association