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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2018 - **Assistant Professor**, Department of Sociology, Florida State University
- 2019 - Research Affiliate, Center for Demography and Population Health, Florida State University
- 2018 - Associate, Pepper Institute on Aging and Public Policy, Florida State University

EDUCATION

- 2018 **Duke University**, Ph.D., Sociology
Dissertation: "Structural Sexism and Health in the United States"
Committee: Linda K. George (co-chair), Scott M. Lynch (co-chair), Jen'nan G. Read, Tyson H. Brown, and Laura Smart Richman
- 2016 **Duke University**, M.A., Sociology
- 2005 **Princeton University**, A.B. in Sociology with Honors

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Health, gender, stratification/inequality, life course and aging, demography and quantitative methods

PUBLICATIONS (* denotes graduate student coauthor)

- 2019 **Homan, Patricia**. "Structural Sexism and Health in the United States: A New Perspective on Health Inequality and the Gender System." *American Sociological Review* 84(3):486–516.
- 2017 **Homan, Patricia**. "Political Gender Inequality and Infant Mortality in the United States, 1990-2012." *Social Science & Medicine* 182:127–35.
Media Coverage
Huffington Post: <http://bit.ly/2vcl0rq>
New York Magazine: <http://bit.ly/2tQadqI>
Pacific Standard: <http://bit.ly/2t3jV8R>

- 2017 **Homan, Patricia**, Lauren Valentino*, and Emi Weed* (contributions equal). "Being and Becoming Poor: How Cultural Schemas Shape Beliefs About Poverty." *Social Forces* 95(3):1023–48.
- 2010 Homan, Russell*, **Patricia Homan**, and Olveen Carrasquillo. "Health Coverage, Utilization, and Expenditures Among Latino Men." In *Health Issues in Latino Males: A Social and Structural Approach* (pp. 229-248). Marilyn Aguirre-Molina, Luisa N. Borrell, and William Vega (Eds). New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press.

R&R

- 2019 **Homan, Patricia**, and Scott M. Lynch. "Rethinking the Role of Childhood SES in Adult Health: Integrating Existing Theories with Life Course Perspectives on the Disablement Process." (R&R at *American Sociological Review*)

AWARDS/GRANTS

- 2019 **Roberta G. Simmons Outstanding Dissertation Award**, American Sociological Association
Awarded by the Medical Sociology Section for the best dissertation in Medical Sociology
- 2018 **Poster Award**, Interdisciplinary Association for Population Health Science (IAPHS)
Awarded at the Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C.
- 2018 **Emerging Scholar Paper Award**, International Sociological Association, RC11
Awarded by the Research Committee on the Sociology of Aging for the best original research paper by an emerging scholar
- 2018 **Vorsanger-Smith Scholar Award**, Duke University
Awarded by the Duke Sociology Department for overall excellence in the graduate program
- 2015 - 2017 **T32 Pre-Doctoral Training Program in the Demography of Aging**
Sponsored by Duke Population Research Institute (DUPRI) and The National Institute on Aging (NIA- grant T32 AG000139)

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2019 Homan, Patricia. "Structural Sexism and Life Course Health Outcomes: Implications for Public Policy." Section on Aging and the Life Course (SALC) Invited Panel Session, "Current Debates in Aging and the Life Course: Public Policy." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. New York, NY.
- 2018 Homan, Patricia. "Structural Sexism and Depression in the United States." Interdisciplinary Association of Population Health Science Annual Meeting, Poster Session. Washington, DC.

Homan, Patricia, and Scott M. Lynch. "Rethinking the Role of Childhood SES in Adult Health" International Sociological Association World Congress XIX, Toronto, Canada.

Homan, Patricia. "This Gender System Makes Me Sick: Structural Sexism and Health and Midlife." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Paper Session. Denver, CO.

2017 Discussant for Population Section Paper Session "Health and Inequality across the Life Course." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Montreal, Quebec.

Homan, Patricia, and Scott M. Lynch. "Rethinking the Role of Childhood SES in Adult Health: Integrating Theories of the Disablement Process" American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Medical Sociology Section, Paper Session. Montreal, Quebec.

Homan, Patricia. "Political Gender Inequality and Infant Mortality in the United States, 1990-2012." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Medical Sociology Section, Roundtables. Montreal, Quebec.

Homan, Patricia. "Political Gender Inequality and Infant Mortality in the United States, 1990-2012." Demography Daze. Carolina Population Center. Chapel Hill, NC.

Homan, Patricia. "Political Gender Inequality and Infant Mortality in the United States, 1990-2012." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Paper session. Chicago, IL.

2016 Homan, Patricia, and Scott M. Lynch. "Rethinking the Role of Childhood SES in Adult Health." Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, Paper session. New Orleans, LA.

Homan, Patricia, and Scott M. Lynch. "Rethinking the Role of Childhood SES in Adult Health: Direct Effects are Limited to Less Serious Conditions." Duke Center For Aging and Human Development Research and Education Retreat. Poster session. Durham, NC.

Homan, Patricia, and Scott M. Lynch. "The Influences of Child and Adult Socioeconomic Status on Health in Later Life Vary by Health Outcome." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Poster session. Washington, D.C..

2015 Homan, Patricia, Lauren Valentino, and Emi Weed. "Being and Becoming Poor: How Cultural Schemas Shape Beliefs About Poverty." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Inequality, Poverty and Mobility Section, Paper session. Chicago, IL.

Homan, Patricia. "Are We Taught To Blame The Poor? The Effects of Higher Education on Attributions for Poverty" American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Inequality, Poverty and Mobility Section, Roundtables. Chicago, IL.

2014 Homan, Patricia. "Are We Taught to Blame the Poor? The Effects of Education on Attributions for Poverty" Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Paper session. Charlotte, NC.

EMPLOYMENT & EXPERIENCE

- 2018 **Instructor**
SYA 4930: Health Policy and Society (Undergraduate)
Florida State University
- 2017 - 2018 **Research Assistant to Professor Tyson H. Brown**
Duke University
- 2017 **Instructor**
Soc 332: Methods of Social Research (Undergraduate)
Duke University
- 2014 - 2015 **Teaching Assistant for Professor Mark Chaves**
Graduate Level Sociological Research Methods
Duke University
- 2006 - 2007 **Research Analyst**
Clark, Martire, and Bartolomeo Inc., Englewood Cliffs, NJ
Independent Market Research Consulting Firm
Responsibilities: Assist in literature review, research design, questionnaire development, data collection and processing, data analysis, preparing tables and figures, writing and proofing reports, and giving PowerPoint presentations of results to clients.
Research Methodologies Included: In-depth interviews, field observation, internet and telephone survey research (qualitative and quantitative)
Data Analysis Techniques Included: Multiple regression analysis, segmentation (cluster) analysis, multiple paired comparison, discriminant function analysis, psychographic and attitude measurement, demand estimates
Clients Included: NY Jets, Gerber, Ikea, Shiseido, Gospel Music Channel, Rodale, and Knight Ridder

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Reviewer for *Demography*, *Demographic Research*, *American Sociological Review*, *Social Forces*, and *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*.

- 2019 - Nominations Committee Member, ASA Medical Sociology Section
2018 - Bachelors of Science in Public Health Curriculum and Implementation
 Committee member, FSU
2018 - 2019 Sociology Colloquium Committee Member, FSU
2016 - 2017 Co-chair, Duke Sociology Graduate Student Forum
2016 - 2017 Student Social Chair, Duke Population Research Institute