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EDUCATION

- 2011 PhD, Sociology and Women's Studies, University of Michigan
- 2009 MSW, Community Organization/Community Social Systems, University of Michigan
- 2008 MA, Sociology, University of Michigan
- 2003 BA, Women and Gender Studies, departmental honors, University of California at Davis
Honors thesis: Young Black Women's Activism: (Where) Does Gender Fit In?
- 2001 Visiting year-long exchange, University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia

POSITIONS

- 2014-current Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of California, Santa Barbara (Faculty Affiliate in Feminist Studies)
- 2014- current Faculty Affiliate, Center on Reproductive Rights and Justice at Berkeley Law
- 2017-8 Woodrow Wilson Career Enhancement Fellowship (Sponsor: Dorothy E. Roberts)
- 2012-4 UC President's Postdoctoral Fellow; Departments of Gender and Women's Studies, Jurisprudence and Social Policy and Sociology; Center on Reproductive Rights and Justice, University of California, Berkeley (Sponsors: Kristin Luker and Charis Thompson)
- 2011-2 Mellon Sawyer Seminar Postdoctoral Fellow in Human Rights, Departments of Gender and Women's Studies and Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison (Sponsors: Myra Marx Ferree and Aili Tripp)
- 2011
Milwaukee Diversity Teaching Fellow, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin,
(Sponsor: Kent Redding)

RESEARCH AND TEACHING AREAS

Gender and Sexuality

Social Movements

Health and Medicine

Race, Gender and Class

Law and Society

Reproduction, Reproductive Justice

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

2018 Luna, Zakiya T. “Popular culture, Reproductive Justice and Queering Family: An Exploration

Reproductive BioMedicine and Society Online (Accepted for publication)

2018 Luna, Zakiya T. “Black Children are an Endangered Species? Examining Racial Framing in

Social Movements” *Sociological Focus*.

2017 “Who Speaks for Whom? (Mis) Representation and Authenticity in Social Movements.” *Mobilization: An International Quarterly* 22 (4): 435–50. Available [here](#).

(invited to submit to the [frank Prize](#) for Research in Public Interest Communications)

2016 “‘Truly a Women of Color Organization’: Negotiating Sameness and Difference in Pursuit of Intersectionality” *Gender and Society* 30(5) 769-790. Available [here](#).

2013 “Reproductive Justice” *Annual Review of Law and Social Science*. Lead author (co-author Kristin Luker). Available [here](#).

Reprinted in Joffe, Carole, and Jennifer Reich. 2014. *Reproduction and Society: Interdisciplinary Readings*. Routledge.

2011 “‘The Phrase of the Day’: Examining Contexts and Co-optation of Reproductive Justice Activism in the Women’s Movement” *Research in Social Movements, Conflicts and Change* 32: 219-246.

Recipient of 2011 Dorothy McGuigan Prize for Best Graduate Essay on Women, Women’s Studies Department, University of Michigan

2010 Luna, Zakiya T. “Marching toward Reproductive Justice: Coalitional (Re) Framing of the March for Women’s Lives.” *Sociological Inquiry* 80 (4): 554-578.

2010 Cole, Elizabeth R. and Zakiya T. Luna. "Making Coalitions Work: Solidarity across Difference within US Feminism." *Feminist Studies* 36 (1): 71-98.

Reprinted in Saraswati, L. Ayu, Barbara Shaw, and Heather Rellihan, eds. 2017. *Introduction to Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies: Interdisciplinary and Intersectional Approaches*. Oxford University Press.

2009 Luna, Zakiya T. "From Rights to Justice: Women of Color Changing the Face of US Reproductive Rights Organizing." *Societies without Borders* (4): 343-365.

BOOK MANUSCRIPT IN PREPARATION

Domesticating Human Rights: The Reproductive Justice Movement and the Last Utopia (under contract with New York University Press)

Black Feminist Sociology: Perspectives and Praxis co-editor with Whitney Pirtle (under contract with Routledge Press)

ARTICLES IN PREPARATION

"Race and Social Movements: Which Way Forward?"

OTHER WRITING

2018 Luna, Zakiya T. "Minding the (Racial) Gap: Complicating the Narrative about the 'Women's Vote.'" *Mobilizing Ideas* ([blog](#)). November 7, 2018.

2017 Luna, Zakiya T., Alex Kulick, and Anna Chatillon. 2017. "Why Did Millions March? A View from the Many Women's Marches." *The Society Pages-Sociological Images* ([blog](#)). February 15, 2017. (co-authored with graduate students)

2015 "Reproductive health, Rights and Justice in the US" *The Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Gender and Sexuality Studies*.

2013 "Choice or Coercion?: Abortion and Black Women," *Sex Matters: The Sexuality and Society Reader*, 4th edition.

- 2013 “[More than Roe: Are Researchers Ready for Reproductive Justice?](#)” *Mobilizing Ideas* essay dialogue, March, 18 2013 (also assisted with coordination of the dialogue).
- 2013 “[Roe v. Wade and Beyond: Zakiya Luna Responds.](#)” *Dissent: A Quarterly of Politics and Culture*, January 23, 2013.
- 2012 Book Review. “Pushing for Midwives: Homebirth Mothers and the Reproductive Rights Movement, by Christa Craven” *Social Forces*.

PROJECTS

Mobilizing Millions: Engendering Protest Across the Globe - Principal Investigator of a [multi-methods project](#) examining organizing, strategies and motivations of people attending post-inauguration Women’s Marches. I have coordinated a nationwide team of faculty collaborators, four graduate student site leads and 60 Research Assistants to conduct surveys in person and online, followed up by interviews and social media analysis. Project site: <http://www.mobilizingmillions.org>

Reproductive Justice for All - Principal Investigator of a multiple methods project investigates institutionalization of the reproductive justice movement. This project relies on archival research, interviews and participant observation over multiple years.

RESEARCH AND WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2009-2010 *Research Assistant*, Lisa H. Harris, Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology and Women’s Studies, UM.
- 2009 *Research Associate*, Campus Climate Survey. PI: Michael Woodford, Assistant Professor of Social Work, UM.
- 2008-2009 *Graduate Student Staff Assistant*, Office of Graduate Student Success, Rackham Graduate School, UM.
- 2005-2007 *Research Associate*, [Global Feminisms Project](#). PI: Abigail Stewart, Professor of Psychology and Women’s Studies, UM.
- 2005-2006 *Research Assistant*, Elizabeth Cole, Professor of Psychology and Women’s Studies, UM.
(2006, Interviewer of Loretta Ross, Global Feminisms Project US Site, UM)
- 2002-2004 *Program Coordinator*, Women’s Resources & Research Center, UC Davis.
- 2002-2003 *Participant*, Mentorship for Undergraduate Research in Agricultural, Letters, and Sciences, UC Davis.

2002 *Participant*, Summer Pre-Graduate Research Experience (SPGRE/MURAP), UNC-Chapel Hill.

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

Grants

2018 Faculty Research Assistance Program, UCSB (\$3500 for 5 students)
2017 Academic Senate, UCSB (\$15,000)
2017 Institute for Social, Behavioral and Economic Research, UCSB (\$5,000)
2017 Hellman Family Foundation (\$3,000)
2017 Faculty Research Assistance Program, UCSB (\$3500 for 5 students)
2015 Institute for Social, Behavioral and Economic Research, UCSB (\$2500)
2014 Undergraduate Research Apprentice Program Summer funding, UC Berkeley (\$3,000)
2013 Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study-Schlesinger Library Research Grant (\$2200)
2011 NSF Alliance for Graduate Education and the Professoriate Mini-Grant, UM (\$1500)
2010 Rackham Graduate Student Research Grant, UM (\$3,000)
2009 National Science Foundation Law & Social Sciences Dissertation Research Grant (\$12,000)
2008 Department of Sociology Dissertation Research Grant, UM (\$2,200)
2008 Center for Education of Women Graduate Research Grant, UM (\$1,000)
2008 Institute for Research on Women and Gender Grant for Research, UM (\$500)
2007 Nonprofit and Public Management Center, Grant for Doctoral Students, UM (\$1,200)
2006-10 Rackham Graduate School Travel Award, UM (various, \$2800 total)

Fellowships

2011 Rackham One-Term Dissertation fellowship
2009 Dean's Tuition Waiver Scholarship, UM School of Social Work
2007 Survey Research Center Training Award
2004-11 Rackham Merit Fellowship

Competitive selection for participation with funding

- 2012 Notre Dame Young Scholars in Social Movements Mini-conference
- 2010 Midwest Law and Society Retreat, Institute for Legal Studies, UW-Madison
- 2009 Women of Color Leadership Project, National Women's Studies Association
- 2009 Lee Student Support Fund, Society for the Study of Social Problems
- 2009 Law and Society Graduate Student Workshop, Law and Society Association
- 2009 Women's International League for Peace and Freedom/National Women's Studies Association, Practicum in Advocacy at the United Nations
- 2008 SAGE and Pine Forge Teaching Innovations and Professional Development Award, American Sociological Association Section on Teaching and Learning

INVITED PRESENTATIONS (SELECTED)

- 2019 "Populism and Popularity: Which Women Count in the "New" Mobilizations?", ASA Thematic Session on Populism, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York, NY.
- 2018 Invited discussant, *On Infertile Ground: Population Control and Women's Rights in the Era of Climate Change* by Jade Sasser, Department of Gender and Sexuality Studies, UC Riverside, November 29, 2018.
- 2018 Invited panelist on "Urgency & Institutionalality: Legal Policy, & Ethical Issues," Abortion Beyond Bounds conference, McGill University, Montreal, Canada, October 11-12, 2018.
- 2018 "Feeling Intersectionality: Women Of Color And The Emotional Politics Of Solidarity", Thematic Session-"Feeling Race: Solidarity, Affinity and Belonging," Plenary-Dimensions of Struggle, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
- 2018 "Ethnic Authentication, Legitimation, and Representation," *Mobilization* conference on [Social Movements and Protest: Race, Ethnicity, and Radicalism](#), San Diego State University, May 4-5, 2018.

- 2018 Invited panelist on “Whose Lives Matter? Race, Gender, and Feminist Activism,” Sociologists for Women in Society annual meeting, Atlanta, GA, January 25-28, 2018.
- 2017 “Domesticating Human Rights: The Reproductive Justice Movement and the Last Utopia,” Alice Paul Center for Research on Women and Gender, University of Pennsylvania.
- 2017 “Reproductive Justice: Human Rights, Identity and Praxis,” American University, Nov 1, 2017
- 2017 “Reproductive Justice” Claremont Colleges Women's Health & Empowerment Conference opening plenary, Scripps College, February 24-25, 2017 (presenter and panel co-organizer).
- 2017 “Reproductive Justice: Engaging Our Pasts and Envisioning Our Futures” UUA Third International Women’s Convocation, February 16-19, 2017, Asilomar, CA.
- 2016 “Mapping Reproductive Justice: Messy middle of the personal of population control,” Old Maps, New Terrain: Rethinking population in an era of climate change, May 27-29, 2016, Hampshire College, Amherst MA.
- 2015 “Abortion in America: A Discussion with the Only Doctor Providing Abortions in Mississippi and Three Sociologists” (opening plenary), American Sociological Association Annual meeting, Chicago. Available [here](#).
- 2015 “Reproductive Justice for All: Identity, Rights, and the (Re) Making of a Movement” Department of Sociology colloquium, University of Pittsburgh.
- 2015 “Reproductive Justice: Identity, Rights, and Social Movement Conflicts” UC Center for New Racial Studies UCSB
- 2014 “Finding Voice, Creating Space: Reproductive Justice and Unexpected Movement Choices,” School of Sociology, University of Arizona.
- 2013 “Birthing Reproductive Justice” Reproductive Justice: Activists, Advocates, Academics, University of Michigan.

- 2012 “Race, Gender and Human Rights: The Future of Reproductive Justice in the U.S.” Campus Dialogues on Race, Keynote Speaker, Humboldt State University.
- 2012 “When Civil Rights Aren’t Enough: Reproduction, Race and Human Rights,” 18th Annual Moore Undergraduate Research Apprenticeship Program Academic Conference, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill.
- 2009 “Transnational Feminist Perspectives on Women’s Studies and Movements:
Teaching with a Multimedia Feminist Archive on the Worldwide Web.” With Jayati Lal. International Conference on Gender, Fudan University, China.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (SELECTED)

- 2017 “Women’s Marches” Social Movements and Protest: Nonviolent Strategies and the State, May 5-6, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA.
- 2016 “Race and Social Movements: Which Way Forward?”, American Sociological Association Annual meeting, Seattle (presenter and panel co-organizer).
- 2013 Thematic session “Reproductive Justice,” American Sociological Association Annual 2013 meeting (Organizer, accepted to ASA, moved to SWS)
- 2012 “Domestic Human Rights: When Movements Make Unexpected Choices” American Sociological Association annual meeting.
- 2011 “Who Speaks for Whom? Examining Racial Framing in Social Movements through the ‘Endangered Species’ Controversy.” Society for the Study of Social Problems annual meeting. And accepted for ASA’s Collective Behavior and Social Movements Workshop
- 2010 “‘The Phrase of the Day’: Contexts and Cooptation of Reproductive Justice Activism.” American Sociological Association annual meeting.
- 2009 “Domesticating Human Rights: Women of Color Building Consciousness through the Reproductive Justice Movement.” Law and Society Association annual meeting.
- 2008 “Marching Toward Reproductive Justice.” Pacific Sociological Association annual meeting.
- 2007 “SisterSong: Framing Women’s Reproductive and Human Rights.” Accepted to two thematic workshops at ASA’s Collective Behavior and Social Movements Workshop.
- 2006 “Women at the Intersections: Activism, Feminism, and Identity.” Co-authored with Elizabeth Cole. American Sociological Association annual meeting.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Sociology Honors Program Director (UCSB, 2015-2017, current)

Instructor of Record

- Soc 91-Group Experiential Learning –Research (5-Fa 18)
- Soc 154R-Reproduction (Spring 2018)
- Soc 155M-Women’s Movements (Spring 2018)
- Soc 99RA - Independent Research (1-Wn17,1-Sp17, 1-Fa17, 2-Wn2018)
- Soc 199RA-Independent Research (6-Wn17, 7-Sp17, 1-Su17, 3-Fa17, 3-Wn18)
- Seminar on Gender, Race and Class –Theme: Social Movements (Winter 2017, graduate-level)
- Politics of Reproduction (UCSB, Winter 2015, Winter 2016)
- Reproductive Justice (UCSB, Winter 2015, graduate-level)
- Social Movements (UCSB, Spring 2015, Fall 2016)
- Introduction to Sociology (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Summer 2011, University of Michigan, Summer 2006)
- Sociology of Gender (University of Michigan, Summer 2007)

Graduate Student Instructor (University of Michigan)

- Project Community/Practicum in Sociology (Criminal Justice area, Gender and Sexuality area, 2009-10)
- Contemporary Social Issues: Introduction to Sociology through Social Stratification (2007)
- Introduction to Women’s Studies (2006-2007)
- Introduction to Sociology (2005-2006)

Additional teaching experience

- Creator, CRRJ/Center for Race & Gender Reproductive Justice Working Group (UC Berkeley, 2012-3 facilitator, Fall 2013-co-facilitator)
- Grader, Law and Society (UM, 2010)
- Teaching Practicum, Introduction to Community Organization, Management and Policy Practice (UM, 2010)
- Practice teaching facilitator, Center for Research on Learning and Teaching (UM, 2008-10)
- Grader, Social Movements (UM, 2008-2010)
- Graduate Student teaching mentor, Introduction to Women’s Studies (UM, Fall 2006)

Teaching recognition

- Graduate Teacher Certificate (completed through UM Center for Research on Learning and Teaching, 2011)
- Preparing Future Faculty Seminar on College Teaching, selected participant (UM, 2008)
- Affirmative Action & Diversity Achievement Group Award-Train the Trainers (UC Davis, 2004)

ADVISING

PhD Committees

Alex Kulick, Sociology, UCSB

Anna Chatillon, Sociology, UCSB

Meghan Daniel, Sociology, University of Illinois at Chicago

MA Committees

Alex Kulick (completed spring 2017)

Anna Chatillon (completed spring 2017)

Mario Espinosa (completed spring 2018)

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

University of California, Santa Barbara

- 2017- Colloquium and Professionalization Committee, Department of Sociology
- 2016-7 Academic Senate Representative, Department of Sociology
- 2015-7 Co-Convener, UC-SB Health, Medicine & Care [Research Focus Group](#) (with Laury Oaks)
- 2015- Co-convener of UCSB [Write-on-site](#) Writing Group for Assistant Professors
- 2015 Co-presenter, Workshop for Graduate Students. Topic: Making the Most of (those sometimes awkward) Networking Opportunities
- 2014- Member, Undergraduate Program Committee, Department of Sociology

University of Michigan

- 2011 Sociology Outstanding Graduate Student Mentor Award (inaugural recipient)
- 2010-2011 Sociology Graduate Students Organization Professionalization Activities Co-coordinator
(Grant secured: Rackham Graduate School, \$1000, with Elizabeth A. Armstrong and Everett Peachey)
- 2010-2011 Sociology Undergraduate Alumni Research Mentor
- 2006-2007 Sociologists of Color faculty meeting representative
- 2005-2006 Sociology Graduate Students Organization Co-chair
- 2005-2007 Women's Studies Executive Committee student representative
- 2004-2006 Women's Studies Graduate Association Speakers Series committee

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2019 Special issue of *Mobilization* on Intersectionality and Social Movements (co-editing with Sujatha Jesudason-New School for Social Research and Mimi Kim-CSU Long Beach)
- 2018 Grant Reviewer, National Science Foundation, US
- 2018 Grant Reviewer, Marsden Foundation, New Zealand
- 2015-now Board member, *Reproductive Biomedicine and Society Online*
- 2015 Invited Organizer, Thematic Session-Social Movements and the Politics of Reproductive Justice, American Sociological Association annual meeting, Chicago
- 2014-7 American Sociological Association Public Understanding of Sociology Award Selection Committee
- 2013-now Series co-editor and co-creator, University of California Press series, *Reproductive Justice: A New Vision for the 21st Century*
- 2013-4 American Sociological Association Section on Collective Behavior and Social Movements, Workshop Committee member
- 2013 Co-organizer (with Jennifer Reich), Sessions on Family and Reproduction, Pacific Sociological Association 2013 annual meeting, Reno
- 2012-5 American Sociological Association Section on Human Rights, Council member
- 2012-3 Planning committee, Michigan Meeting on Reproductive Justice, May 2013
- 2011 Organizer and Discussant for session, "Law and Social Movements: Reproduction and Justice in Liminal Locations of Movement," Law and Society Association annual meeting, San Francisco

2010-2011 Section on Human Rights Conference Program Committee, American Sociological Association annual meeting, Las Vegas

2008 Discussant, Regular Session on Social Movements, American Sociological Association annual meeting, Boston

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association (Collective Behavior & Social Movements; Human Rights; Race, Gender Class; Racial and Ethnic Minorities)

Association of Black Sociologists

Sociologists for Women in Society

REVIEWER

American Journal of Sociology

Antipode

Feminist Formations

Frontiers

Health and Human Rights

International Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health

Journal of Health and Social Behavior

Journal of Women's History

Law and Policy

Law and Society Review

Mobilization: An International Quarterly

Social Problems

Sociological Inquiry

Sociological Theory

Sociology

Studies in Social Justice