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Curriculum Vitae
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Department of Sociology, Anthropology,
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EMPLOYMENT

- 2016- Assistant Professor of Sociology, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Social Work, Texas Tech University
- 2015-2016 Postdoctoral Research Associate, Center for Research on Child Wellbeing, Princeton University
- 2013-2015 Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Office of Population Research, Princeton University

EDUCATION

- Ph.D. University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Sociology, 2013
Dissertation: "Correlates and Contexts of Sexual Infidelity in American Adults"
- M.A. University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, Sociology, 2008
- B.A. Rice University, Departments of Sociology and Biology, 2006

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed

- 2019 Cleland, Kelly, Brandon Wagner, Nicole K. Smith, James Trussell. "My BMI is too high for Plan B.' A Changing population of women seeking ulipristal acetate emergency contraception online." *Women & Health*
- 2019 Wagner, Brandon. Health Status and Transitions in Cohabiting Relationships." *Journal of Marriage and Family* 81(4): 847-862.
- 2019 Wagner, Brandon. "Marriage, Cohabitation, and Sexual Exclusivity: Unpacking the Effect of Marriage." *Social Forces* 97(3): 1231-1256.

- 2018 Cleland, Kelly, Brandon Wagner, Pelin Batur, Megan McNamara, Justine Wu, and Michael Rothberg. "The politics of place: presidential voting patterns and Providers' prescription of emergency contraception" *Contraception* 98(3): 237-242.
- 2018 Massey, Douglas S., Brandon Wagner, Louis Donnelly, Sara McLanahan, Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Irwin Garfinkel, Colter Mitchell, Daniel A. Notterman. Neighborhood Disadvantage and Telomere Length: Results from the Fragile Families Study. *Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences* 4(4): 28-42.
- 2017 Donnelly, Louis, Irwin Garfinkel, Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Brandon Wagner, Sarah James and Sara McLanahan. "The Geography of Intergenerational Mobility and Children's Cognitive Development." *Proceedings of the National Academy of Science* 114(35): 9320-9325.
- 2017 James, Sarah, Sara McLanahan, Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Colter Mitchell, Lisa Schneper, Brandon Wagner, Daniel A. Notterman. "Sleep Duration and Telomere Length in Children." *The Journal of Pediatrics* 147: 247-252.
- 2017 Smith, Nicole, Kelly Cleland, Brandon Wagner, and James Trussell. "I don't know what I would have done.' Women's experiences acquiring ulipristal acetate emergency contraception online from 2011 to 2015." *Contraception* 95: 414-418.
- 2016 Donnelly, Louis, Sara McLanahan, Irwin Garfinkel, Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Wade Jacobsen, Sarah Gold, Brandon Wagner, Lauren Gaydosh. "Cohesive Neighborhoods Where Social Expectations Are Shared May Have Positive Impact on Adolescent Health." *Health Affairs* 35(11): 2083-2091.
- 2016 McFarland, Michael J., Brandon Wagner, and Scarlett Merklin. "College Education and Sense of Control: A Twin Discordant Design." *Socius*
- 2016 Smith, Nicole K., Scott M. Butler, Brandon Wagner, Erika Collazo, Lucia Caltabiano, and Debby Herbenick. "Genital Self-Image and Considerations of Elective Genital Surgery: Results from a College Sample of Men and Women." *Journal of Sex and Marital Therapy* 43(2): 169-184.
- 2016 Haberstick, Brett, Jason Boardman, Brandon Wagner, Andrew Smolen, John K. Hewitt, Ley Killeya-Jones, Joyce Tabor, Carolyn T. Halpern, Beverly H. Brummett, Redford B. Williams, Ilene C. Seigler, Christian J. Hopfer and Kathleen Mullan Harris. "Depression, Stressful Life Events, and the Impact of Variation in the Serotonin Transporter: A Replication Study." *PLoSOne*
- 2015 McFarland, Michael J. and Brandon Wagner. "Does a College Education Reduce Depressive Symptoms in American Young Adults?" *Social Science and Medicine* 146:75-84.

- 2013 Wagner, Brandon, Jiang Li, Hexuan Liu, and Guang Guo. "Gene-environment Correlation: Difficulties and a Strategy Based on a Natural Experiment." *American Journal of Public Health* 103 (S1): S167-173.
- 2012 Halpern, Carolyn Tucker, Eric A. Whitsel, Brandon Wagner, Kathleen Mullan Harris. "Challenges of Measuring Diurnal Cortisol Concentrations in a Large Population-Based Field Study." *Psychoneuroendocrinology* 37(4): 499-508.
- 2011 Escamilla, Veronica, Brandon Wagner, Muhammad Yunus, PK Streatfield, Alexander van Geen, Michael Emch. "Effect of Deep Tube Well Use on Childhood Diarrhoea in Bangladesh." *Bulletin of the World Health Organization* 89: 521-527.
- 2008 Donato, Katharine, Brandon Wagner and Evelyn Patterson. "The Cat and Mouse Game at the Mexico-US Border: Gendered Patterns and Recent Shifts." *International Migration Review* 42(2): 330-359.

Other Publications

- 2016 Massey, Douglas S., and Brandon Wagner. "Segregation, Health, and Stratification: A Biosocial Model." Forthcoming in Brenda Major, John F. Dovidio and Bruce G. Link, eds., *Oxford Handbook of Stigma, Discrimination, and Health*. New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2009 Guo, Guang and Brandon Wagner. "Genetic Influences in Adulthood." In D. Carr (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of the Life Course and Human Development*. Detroit: Macmillan Reference.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PROCESS

Revise and Resubmit

Tyson, Karolyn, Brandon Wagner, William Darity, Jr., Hedwig Lee, and Kathleen Mullan Harris. Achievement and the Risk of Depressive Symptoms among Black Students: Why the Focus on Oppositional Culture May be Detrimental to Lower Performing Black Students. 2nd Revise and Resubmit *Social Forces*.

Wagner, Brandon, Kelly Cleland, Pelin Batur, Justine Wu, Michael B. Rothberg. Emergency Contraception: Links between Providers' Counseling Choices, Prescribing Behaviors, and Sociopolitical Context. Revise and Resubmit *Social Science & Medicine*.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION (* Working Paper Available)

Wagner, Brandon and Kathleen Mullan Harris. Health and Social Stratification in Family Formation Pathways.*

Wagner, Brandon, Louis Donnelly, Sara McLanahan, Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Irwin Garfinkel. Neighborhood Air Pollution and Children's Cognitive Development. *

Wagner, Brandon, Sara S. McLanahan, Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Irv Garfinkel, Colter Mitchell, and Daniel Notterman. Family Structure and Change and Children's Telomere Length. *

Wagner, Brandon. Health Insurance and Marriage in Young Adults: The Affordable Care Act's Dependent Eligibility Expansion as Natural Experiment.

Wagner, Brandon. Causes of Relationship Dissolution and Subsequent Health Conditions in British Older Adults

HONORS AND AWARDS

2013-2015 Princeton University, NIH/NICHD *Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award* (NRSA) Postdoctoral Traineeship (T32 HD007163)

2006-2012 University of North Carolina, NIH/NICHD *Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award* (NRSA) Predoctoral Traineeship (T32 HD07168)

2006 Rice University, Durkheim-Weber Award for Outstanding Performance in Sociology

2004-2006 Rice University, Mellon Mays Undergraduate Research Fellowship

RESEARCH SUPPORT

Funded Proposals

Maloney, Patricia A., Brandon Wagner, and Lauren Newmyer. Longitudinal and Contagion Effects of Campus Carry on Faculty and Students at a Large Southwestern State University. American Sociological Association (total support: \$7,982)

Declined Submissions

Maloney, Patricia A., Ming-Chien Chyu, Jeff Dennis, and Brandon Wagner. Learning Lessons from Hurricane Harvey: Improving Hospital Natural Disaster Policies and Practices. National Science Foundation (total sought: \$133,685)

CONFERENCE ACTIVITY

Papers Presented

2018 The Politics of Place: Social Control and Emergency Contraception Prescribing Practices. Southern Sociological Society (New Orleans, April 4-6)

2017 Neighborhood Air Pollution and Children's Cognitive Development. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL April 27 – 29) with Louis Donnelly, Sara McLanahan, Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Irv Garfinkel

2016 Family Structure and Change and Children's Telomere Length. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Washington, D.C. March 31-April 2)

with Sara S. McLanahan, Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Irv Garfinkel, Colter Mitchell, and Daniel Notterman.

Neighborhood Disadvantage and Telomere Length: Results from the Fragile Families. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Washington, D.C. March 31-April 2) with Douglas S. Massey, Louis Donnelly, Sara McLanahan, Jeanne Brooks-Gunn, Irwin Garfinkel, Colter Mitchell, and Daniel A. Notterman.

2015 Health Selection into Marriage Among Cohabiting Couples. Roundtable Presentation. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL, August 22-25).

Health Status and Transitions in Cohabiting Relationships. Population Association of American Annual Meeting (San Diego, CA, May 1-3)

2014 Health and Social Stratification in Family Formation Pathways. Population Association of American Annual Meeting (Boston, MA, May 1-3) with Kathleen Mullan Harris.

Racial Differences in Reciprocal Relationships Between Health and Socioeconomic Status Across the Life Course. Population Association of American Annual Meeting (Boston, MA, May 1-3.) with Liana Richardson.

2013 “I’m Feeling Lucky”: Identifying Novel Correlates of Sexual Infidelity via Google Search Databases. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA, April 11-13).

2012 Sexual Infidelity in Cohabitation. Roundtable Presentation, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting (Denver, CO, August 17-20).

Ostracism or Opportunity? Examining the Popularity Penalty for High-achieving Black Students. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting (Denver, CO, August 17-20) with Tyson, Karolyn, William Darity Jr., Hedwig Lee, and Kathleen Mullan Harris.

2011 Causal Effects of Health Behaviors: Genes with Specific Biochemical Properties as a Novel Class of Instrumental Variables. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Washington, DC, March 31-April 2) with Guang Guo.

2010 Measuring Diurnal Cortisol Change in a Population-Based Field Study. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA, April 15-17) with Carolyn Halpern, Eric A. Whitsel and Kathleen Mullan Harris.

2009 Testing Socioeconomic Status as a Marker for Condition in the Trivers-Willard Hypothesis within the Human Context. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Detroit, MI, April 30-May 2).

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- 2008 Testing Socioeconomic Status as a Marker for Condition in the Trivers-Willard Hypothesis within the Human Context. Add Health Users Conference (Bethesda, MD, July 24-25).
- 2006 The Chilling Effect: Public Service Usage by Mexican Migrants to the United States. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Los Angeles, CA, March 30-April 1) with Katharine Donato and Douglas Massey.

Poster Presentations

- 2019 The Affordable Care Act's Dependent Eligibility Expansion and Marriage Rates in Young Adults. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Austin, TX April 10-12).
- 2018 Causes of Relationship Dissolution and Subsequent Health Conditions in British Older Adults. Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Denver, CO, April 26-April 28).
- 2009 Moderation of Peer Influence by Peer Characteristics in Adolescent Drinking Behavior. Population Association of America Annual Meeting 2009 (Detroit, MI, April 30-May 2).

Discussant

- 2018 "Detailed Morbidities and Causes of Death: Creative Approaches, Underused Data Sources" 2018 Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Denver, CO, April 26-April 28).
- 2016 "Families, Health and Well-Being," 2016 Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Washington, D.C. March 31-April 2)
- 2012 "Genes, Biology, and Children," 2012 Population Association of America Annual Meeting (San Francisco, CA, May 3-5)

COURSES TAUGHT

Texas Tech University

- Introduction to Social Statistics
- Seminar in Research Methods
- Seminar in Demography
- Seminar in Medical Sociology

University of North Carolina

- Measurement and Data Collection
- Data Analysis in Sociological Research

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Brandon G. Wagner

Reviewer for *American Sociological Review*, *Social Forces*, *Social Science and Medicine*, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*, *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, *Social Currents*, *Biodemography and Social Biology*, and *International Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*

Member:

Subcommittee for Incentivization of Sustained Engagement, Population Association of America 2012

Awards Committee, ASA Section on Evolution, Biology, and Society 2015

Session Chair, Sexual Behavior and HIV Risk in Context, Population Association of America 2013