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BUSINESS ADDRESS

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

United States Citizen

EDUCATION

2010. Participative Research and Policy, MSc Module, Evidence for Public Policy and Practice, Institute of Education, University of London, London UK.
1992-1995. MA, Interdisciplinary Program in Health and Humanities, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.
1977-1978. Pre-nursing Program, Lansing Community College, Lansing, MI.
1975-1976. Special Student, Medical Anthropology, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.
1970-1974. BA, Anthropology, Justin Morrill College, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI.
1969. University of Illinois-Chicago Circle, Chicago, IL.
1968-1969. Lewis University, High School Honors Program, Lockport, IL.
1965-1969. Saint Francis Academy High School, Joliet, IL.

MA THESIS TITLE

The Death of Birth: A Critical Interpretive Analysis of Second Wave Liberal Feminist Efforts to Influence Women's Childbirth Experiences in the United States During the Last Third of the Twentieth Century (vi + 97 pp, references). Interdisciplinary Program in Health and Humanities, Michigan State University. 1995.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Academic Specialist Professional Development Award, Michigan State University.
Travel grant to attend the 16th Cochrane Colloquium, Freiburg, Germany, October 3-7, 2008.

Distinguished Academic Staff Award, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University, 2004.

Outstanding Service Award, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University, 1995.

Excellence Fellowship, Interdisciplinary Programs in Health and Humanities, Michigan State University, 1995.

Fellowship, College of Arts and Letters, Michigan State University, 1993.

Fellowship, College of Arts and Letters, Michigan State University, 1992.

Graduated *Cum Laude*, Michigan State University, 1974.

GRANT AWARDS FOR RESEARCH AND TRAINING

Pregnancy, Breastfeeding and Uncertainty in the Time of COVID, PI Joanne Goldbort, Mary Bresnahan, Jie Zhuang, and **Elizabeth Bogdan-Lovis**. MSU College of Nursing- \$4000 Development Funds.

Buffers, Barriers, and Resiliency in Breastfeeding Behaviors of Asian American Mothers. PI Joanne Goldbort, collaborators Mary Bresnahan, Jie Zhuang, and **Elizabeth Bogdan-Lovis**. November 2018-November 2019. Trifecta, Michigan State University. \$8,000.

Coworker Stigma towards Lactating Mothers in the Workplace (Co-PI with Mary Bresnahan, Joanne Goldbort and Jie Zhuang). Science and Society at State (S3), Michigan State University. January 1 to December 21, 2017. \$10,000.

MSU/Costa Rica Obstetrics and Gynecology Resident Exchange [MSU Center for Ethics and Humanities and MSU Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Biology with University of Costa Rica ObGyn Residency Program and Caja Costarricense del Seguro Social] (Co-PI with Patricia Obando). MSU Center for Gender in Global Context Strategic Partnership Initiative Grant. May 16-19, 2009.

ELECTED AND APPOINTED POSITIONS

Member, Steering Committee, ASBH RACE and Hastings Center Report Special Issues. 2020-2022.

Member, Advisory Board, Cochrane Developing Country Network, 2008-2011.

Member, Ingham Infant Health Disparities Coalition, 2005-2008.

Member, Advisory Council, Ingham Intermediate School District Program on Health Careers, 1995-2002.

Member, Ingham County Infant Mortality Task Force, 1995-1998.

President, Consumer Taskforce on the Childbearing Year, 1984-1986.

Vice President, Consumer Taskforce on the Childbearing Year, 1981-1984.

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

- 2021-present. Senior Academic Specialist, Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences, Michigan State University.
- 1995-2020. Assistant Director (Senior Academic Specialist), Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences, Michigan State University.
- 2011-2013. Faculty Advisor, Clinical Ethics Interest Group. College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.
- 2007-2011. Co-Director, Bioethics, Humanities, and Society Program, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.
- 2004-Present. Core Faculty, Center for Gender in Global Context, International Studies and Programs, Michigan State University.
- 2005-Fall Semester. Acting Director, Program in Bioethics, Humanities, and Society, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.
- 2001-2002. Thematic Co-leader (with Dr. Chris Shafer), “Social Inequities and Social Justice” Medical Scholars, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.
- 1992-1996. Medical Scholars Program Coordinator, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.
- 1992-1995. Assistant to the Director; Interdisciplinary Programs in Health and Humanities, Michigan State University.
- 1986-1992. Academic Advisor; Department of Psychology, Michigan State University.
- 1982-1991. Childbirth Preparation Educator. Self-employed, Williamston, MI.
- 1978-1984. Health Education Coordinator, Womancare of Lansing, P.C., Lansing, MI.

TEACHING

2020. (Spring) HM 620 Clinical Bioethics. Content Developer and Preceptor.
- 2019-2020. Independent History of Medicine Intersession Mentor for Shatomi Kerbawy.
- 2019.(Fall) HM 691. Unpacking Concordance Research Mentor for Brittany Ajegba.
2019. (Spring) Giving Feedback Simulation: Content Developer.
- 2018-2019. Spring. College of Human Medicine Shared Discovery Curriculum, Social Context of Clinical Decisions Podcasts: Content Developer and Podcast Reader.
- 2018-2020. Spring. College of Human Medicine Shared Discovery Curriculum, *Health System Complexities and Population Vulnerabilities Intersession*: Preceptor.
- 2018-2020. Spring. College of Human Medicine Shared Discovery Curriculum, *Power Relations in the Clinic Assessment*: Content Developer and Assessor.
- 2016-present. College of Human Medicine Shared Discovery Curriculum, *Early Clinical Experience* Social Context of Clinical Decisions Curriculum: Shepherd.
- 2016-present. College of Human Medicine Shared Discovery Curriculum, *Early Clinical Experience* Social Context of Clinical Decisions: Content Developer.
- 2016-present. College of Human Medicine Shared Discovery Curriculum, Social Context of Clinical Decisions: Simulation Content Developer and Preceptor.
- 2016-present. College of Human Medicine Shared Discovery Curriculum, Social Context of Clinical Decisions: Guided Independent Learning Content Developer.
- 2016-present. College of Human Medicine, Shared Discovery Curriculum Social Context of Clinical Decisions: Assessment Questions Developer.
- 2016-17. College of Human Medicine Shared Discovery Curriculum, *Middle Clinical*

Experience Social Context of Clinical Decisions: Content Developer.
 2017-present. College of Human Medicine, Shared Discovery Curriculum *Late Clinical Experience*, Social Context of Clinical Decisions: Content Developer.
 2014-present. College of Human Medicine, Shared Discovery Curriculum *Late Clinical Experience*, Social Context of Clinical Decisions: OB/GYN Ethics Clerkship.
 2009-2017. (Spring) Co-Director, College of Human Medicine, “Medical Humanities Seminar” (HM548).
 2011-2017. (Spring) Module Coordinator, College of Human Medicine, “Social Context of Clinical Decisions, Health Policy” (HM 547).
 2015. (Spring) Research Elective, College of Human Medicine (HM 691)
 2014-2015. Michigan State University Faculty Mentor to Michigan State University Professorial Assistant.
 2014. (Spring and Fall) Research Elective, College of Human Medicine (HM 691); (Spring) “Research Clerkship”, College of Osteopathic Medicine (OST615).
 2003-2008. Director, College of Human Medicine, “Medical Humanities Seminar” HM 548).
 2003-2013. (Spring) Preceptor, College of Human Medicine, “Social Context of Clinical Decisions, Health Policy (HM 547).”
 2004 and 2005. (Summer and Spring) Instructor, College of Human Medicine, “Medical Spanish in the Environment of Tropical Medicine” (and) “Broadening Perspectives on Health Care”, Study Abroad Program in Costa Rica coordinated through International Health Central American Institute (IHCAI), San Jose, CR.
 2000 and 2001. (Spring) Instructor, Lyman Briggs Senior Seminar, “Show Me the Evidence: An Analysis of the Medical Model of Birth (LBS 492).
 2000-2015. (Spring) Preceptor, College of Human Medicine, “Medical Humanities Seminar”. Developed selective “History of Medicine: A Recent Social History of the Medical Model of Birth”.
 1999 and 2000. (Summer) Guest Instructor, College of Arts and Letters “Medical Ethics and History of Health Care: London” Summer Study Abroad Program.
 1994-2012. (Summer) Instructor, “Medical Humanities: Pluralism in Health Care” Advanced Baccalaureate Learning Experience (ABLE) Program, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.
 1993-1994. Teaching Assistant, Integrative Studies in the Arts and Humanities, College of Arts and Letters, Michigan State University.

GRADUATE COMMITTEE WORK

Guidance Committee Member:

Tara Jean Sara Dosumu - MA Thesis. *Birth by Definition: Perennial Medicalization in Scottish Midwifery*. Defended Spring 2004. Bioethics, Humanities, and Society Program, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.

Melissa Anne Elafros – MA Thesis. *A Michigan State University Extension Study of the Health Utilization Patterns and Health Concerns of Michigan Latinos*. Defended Spring 2008. Bioethics, Humanities, and Society Program, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.

Master's Degree - Plan B Advisor:

Emily Antoon, BHS MA/CHM Joint Degree Student, MA 2010
Ya Sartan Ya Mout: An Alternative Approach to the Mammography Screening Controversy in Israel. Bioethics, Humanities, and Society Program, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.

Lauren Davis, MA Degree Spring 2008
Contextual Influences on Childbirth: Women's Interests, Decision Making and Institutional Limitations. Bioethics, Humanities, and Society Program, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.

Jennifer Loussia, MA Degree Spring 2008
Birth - Physiology or Pathology? A Societal Divide. Bioethics, Humanities and Society Program, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University.

PUBLICATIONS: EDITED WORKS

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A., C. de Vries, and R. G. de Vries (Guest Editors). 2013. *The Journal of Clinical Ethics*, Fall 2013, 24(3) Special Issue "Place of Birth." (Refereed, ISSN: 1046-7890).

Lambert, H., E. J. Gordon and **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis** (Guest Editors). 2006. *Social Science and Medicine* 62(11), Special Issue "Gift Horse or Trojan Horse? Social Science Perspectives on Evidence-based Health Care." Elsevier Press. (Refereed, ISSN: 0277-9536).

PUBLICATIONS: REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

Bresnahan, M. J. Goldbort, J. Zhuang, **E. Bogdan-Lovis** & X.Yan. 2020. Promoting Sustained and Exclusive Breastfeeding among Chinese American Pregnant Women, *Journal of Health Communication*, DOI: [10.1080/10810730.2020.1822471](https://doi.org/10.1080/10810730.2020.1822471)

Bogdan-Lovis, E.A. 2020 A Trip to the Dentist. *Narrative Inquiry in Bioethics*-Living with Alzheimer Disease: Stories from People Providing Care.

Goldbort J, M. M. Bresnahan, J. Zhuang, **E. Bogdan-Lovis**, S. Park. 2020. Breastfeeding but not Exclusively: Exploration of Chinese American Mothers' Infant Feeding Practices. *Journal of Human Lactation*. Sep 22:890334420948451. doi: 10.1177/0890334420948451. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 32960121.

Bresnahan, M., J. Zhuang, J. Goldbort, **E. Bogdan-Lovis**, S. Park, and R. Hitt. 2020. Made to Feel Like Less of a Woman: The Experience of Stigma for Mothers Who Do Not Breastfeed. *Breastfeeding Medicine*, 15(1):35-40. [DOI: 10.1089/BFM.2019.0171](https://doi.org/10.1089/BFM.2019.0171)

Zhuang, J., M. J. Bresnahan, X. Yan, Y. Zhu, J. Goldbort and **E.A. Bogdan-Lovis**. 2019. Keep Doing the Good Work: Impact of Coworker and Community Support on Continuation of Breastfeeding. *Health Communication* 34(11):1270-1278. DOI: [10.1080/10410236.2018.1476802](https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2018.1476802)

Zhuang, J., M.J. Bresnahan, Y. Zhu, X. Yan, **E. Bogdan-Lovis**, J. Goldbort, and S. Haider. 2018. The Impact of Coworker Support and Stigma on Breastfeeding after Returning to Work. *Journal of Applied Communication Research* 46(4):491-508. <https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/00909882.2018.1498981>

Kelly-Blake, K., N. Garrison, F. Fletcher, B. Ajegba, N. Smith, M. Brafford and **E.A. Bogdan-Lovis**. 2018. Rationales for Expanding Minority Physician Representation in the Workforce: A Scoping Review. *Medical Education* 52(9):925-935. <https://doi.org/10.1111/medu.13618>

Fletcher, F. E., L. Annang, J. Kerr, M. Buchberg, **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis**, and S. Philpott-Jones. 2016. “She Told Them, Oh That Bitch Got Aids”: Experiences of Multi-Level HIV/Aids-Related Stigma Among African American Women Living with HIV/AIDS in The South. *AIDS Patient Care and STDs*, 30(7):349–356. (Refereed, ISSN: 1557-7449).

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A. and R. de Vries. 2014. The Baddest Births in Town. *Atrium* (Winter) 12(4):3-5. (Editorial Board Review).

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A. and R. G. de Vries. 2013. Ethics and the Architecture of Choice for Home and Hospital Birth. *The Journal of Clinical Ethics*, Fall 2013, 24(3):192-97. Special Issue “Place of Birth”, E. Bogdan-Lovis, C. de Vries, and R. G. de Vries, guest editors. (Refereed, ISSN: 1046-7890).

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A., L. Fleck, and H. Barry. 2012. It’s NOT FAIR! Or is it? The Promise and the Tyranny of Evidence-based Performance Assessment. *Theoretical Medicine and Bioethics*, 33(4):293-311, Special Issue “Quality of Care: Conceptual, Epistemic, and Ethical Inquiries” guest edited by J. Nelson. (Refereed, Print ISSN: 1386-7415; Online ISSN: 1573-1200)

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A. (Libby) and M. Holmes-Rovner. 2010. Prudent Evidence-fettered Shared Decision-making. *Journal of Evaluation in Clinical Practice*, 16(2):376–381. (Refereed, ISSN: 1356-1294).

Kozishek, D. and **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis**. 2008. Beliefs, Boundaries, and Self-Knowledge in Professional Practice. *The Journal of Clinical Ethics*, Spring 2008, 19(1):26-30. (Refereed, ISSN: 1046-7890).

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A. and A. Sousa. 2006. The Contextual Influence of Professional Culture: Certified Nurse-Midwives’ Knowledge of and Reliance on Evidence-Based Practice, *Social Science and Medicine* 62(11):2681-2693. Special Issue, “Gift Horse or Trojan Horse? Social Science Perspectives on Evidence-based Health Care.” H. Lambert, E. J. Gordon, and **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis**, guest editors. (Refereed, ISSN: 0277-9536).

Lambert, H., E. J. Gordon and **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis**. 2006. Introduction: Gift Horse or Trojan Horse? Social Science Perspectives on Evidence-based Health Care, *Social Science and Medicine* 62(11):2613-2620. Special Issue, "Gift Horse or Trojan Horse? Social Science Perspectives on Evidence-based Health Care." H. Lambert, E. J. Gordon, and **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis**, guest editors. (Refereed, ISSN:0277-9536).

Brody, H., F. G. Miller, and **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis**. 2005. Evidence-Based Medicine: Watching out for its Friends. *Perspectives in Biology and Medicine* 48(4):570-584, Autumn 2005. Special Issue, *Evidence Based Medicine*, K. Borgerson and R. Bluhm, guest editors. (Refereed, E-ISSN:1529-8795, Print ISSN:0031-5982).

Lovis, W. A. and **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis**. 2004. Ridged Fields, Catastrophic Wet Season Planting, and Germination Rates: Notes from Libby's Garden. *The Wisconsin Archeologist* 85(1):78-83. (Refereed, ISSN:0043-6364).

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A. 2004. The Promise (the Tyranny?): Some Observations on the Evolution of Evidence-Based Medicine. *Medical Humanities Report*, Winter 2004, 25(2):1-3. Electronic publication at <http://bioethics.msu.edu/newsletter.html> (Editorial Board Review).

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A. 1996. Misreading the Power Structure: The Failure of Liberal Feminists to Influence Childbirth. *Of SIGNificance*, Semi-Annual Bulletin of the Society for Health and Human Values Student Interest Group. (Refereed).

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A. 1996. Misreading the Power Structure: The Inability of Liberal Feminists to Influence Childbirth. *Michigan Feminist Studies* 11:59-79. Women's Studies Program, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. (Refereed, ISSN:1055-856X).

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A. 1994. Normal Childbirth: The Medicalization of Women's Birth Experiences. Abstract, *Michigan Academician* 26(2), Spring Issue. (ISSN:0026-2005).

Bogdan-Lovis, E. A. 1991. A Discussion of Obstetrical Interaction: If I Were You. *Society for Health and Human Values Student Bulletin*, Spring.

PUBLICATIONS: REFEREED BOOK & ANTHOLOGY CHAPTERS

DeVries, R. G., L. K. Low and **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis**. 2012. Choosing Surgical Birth: Desire and the Nature of Bioethical Advice. In *Readings in Health Care Ethics*, second edition, edited by E. (Boezkes) Gedge, E. and W. Waluchow. Broadview Press, Peterborough, Ontario. (ISBN-10: 1554810388).

DeVries, R. G., L. K. Low and **E. A. Bogdan-Lovis**. 2008. Choosing Surgical Birth: The Professional Uses of Autonomy. In *Naturalized Bioethics: Toward Responsible Knowing and Practice*, edited by H. Lindemann, M. Walker, and M. Verkerk, pp. 42-64. Cambridge University Press, Cambridge UK. (Refereed, ISBN-13: 978-0521895248).

PUBLICATIONS: BOOK REVIEWS

Review of: R. G. DeVries, C. Benoit, E. R. Van Teijlingen, and S. Wrede (Editors). 2003. *Birth by Design: Pregnancy, Maternity Care, and Midwifery in North America and Europe*, New York: Routledge, 2001. *Medical Anthropology Quarterly* 17(4):514-515. (ISSN:0745-5194).

Review of: D. Caton. 2001. *What a Blessing She Had Chloroform: The Medical and Social Response to the Pain of Childbirth from 1800 to the Present*. New Haven and London: Yale University Press, 1999. *Victorian Studies*, Summer 2001:686-688. (ISSN:0042-5222).

PUBLICATIONS: SYSTEMATIC REVIEW

A Systematic Review of Interventions for Providers to Promote a Patient-centered Approach. F. C. Dwamena, C. Gaulden, A. Olomu, S. Lewin, R. Smith, M. Holmes-Rovner, et al. Contributing member of Update Review Team. Michigan State University, US; London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK.

PRESENTED PROFESSIONAL PAPERS/POSTER SESSIONS/PODCASTS/GRAND ROUNDS

(with Karen Kelly-Blake, Nanibaa' Garrison, Faith Fletcher, Brittany Ajegba, Nicole Smith, Morgan Brafford) The Covert Costs of Racial/Ethnic Concordance in the Medical Workforce. Paper accepted to the 14th World Conference on Bioethics, Medical Ethics & Law, May 11-14, 2020, Porto, Portugal. Rescheduled to March 2022.

(with Brittany Ajegba and Karen Kelly-Blake) Health professions Education Conference, A Question of Justice: Expanding Minority Physicians in the Workforce. April 14, 2020, Ann Arbor, MI. Cancelled-placed in virtual archive.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake, Nanibaa' Garrison, Faith Fletcher, Brittany Ajegba, Nicole Smith, Morgan Brafford) Rationales for expanding minority physician representation in the workforce: a scoping review. Poster presented to the Diversity in Medicine Conference, March 7-8, 2020, Ann Arbor, MI.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake and Brittany Ajegba). No Easy Answers in Bioethics Podcast. Episode 18. Social Determinants of Health in Medical Education. December, 2019.

(with Jie Zhuang, Joanne Goldbort, Mary Bresnahan and Youjin Yang) Breastfeeding Exclusivity Failure Among Chinese American Mothers: A Hidden Problem. American Public Health Association, November 3, 2019, Philadelphia, PA.

(with Mary Bresnahan, Jie Zhuang, Yi Zhu, Joanne Goldbort, Steve Haider, Xiaodi Yan) "She's doing what? Coworker Support and Stigma for Breastfeeding Women". CBSSM Research Colloquium, University of Michigan, May 22, 2019, Ann Arbor, MI.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake) *Medical Education*. Podcast/Interview with Kevin Ewa, Editor *Medical Education*. June 15, 2018.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake) Michigan State University College of Human Medicine, Department of Medicine Grand Rounds. "Medicine's Mirror Image Agenda: Covert Costs of Racial/Ethnic Concordance in Undergraduate Medical Education". May 22, 2018. Sparrow Hospital, Lansing, MI.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake) No Easy Answers in Bioethics Podcast. Episode 6. Medical Workforce Diversity and the Professional Entry Tax.

(with Mary Bresnahan, Joanne Goldbort, Steve Haider, and Ji Zhuang) "Coworker Unfairness, Unsupportiveness, and Ick for Pumping Breastmilk at Work". 103rd Annual International Conference, National Communication Association, Health Communication Division, November 16-19, 2017, Dallas, TX.

(with Mary Bresnahan, Joanne Goldbort, Steve Haider, and Ji Zhuang) "Coworker Unfairness, Unsupportiveness, and Ick for Pumping Breastmilk at Work". 22nd International Meeting, Academy of Breastfeeding Medicine, Scientific Poster Session. November 9-12, 2017, Arlington VA.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake) "Covert Costs of Racial and Ethnic Concordance in the Medical Workforce." Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences Brownbag and Webinar Series. January 18, 2017, East Lansing, Michigan.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake, Nanibaa' Garrison, Faith Fletcher, Brittany Ajegba, Nichole Smith, Morgann Brafford) "Danger Talk: The Covert Costs of Racial/Ethnic Concordance in the Medical Workforce. Paper presented to the 25th Joint National Conference of the National Association of African American Studies (NAAAS) and Affiliates, February 13-18, 2017, Dallas, Texas.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake, Nanibaa' Garrison, Faith Fletcher, Brittany Ajegba, Nichole Smith, Morgann Brafford, Jessica Torres) "Mirror Image Agenda: Covert Costs of Racial/Ethnic Concordance in the Medical Workforce. Paper presented to the 18th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities, October 6-9, 2016, Washington, D.C.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake, Nanibaa' Garrison, Faith Fletcher, Brittany Ajegba, Nichole Smith, Jessica Torres) "Identity Complexities: Unpacking Concordance in the Medical Workforce." Collaborative paper presented to the 17th Annual Meeting of the *American Society for Bioethics and Humanities*. Annual Meeting, Houston, Texas. 2015

"How can Ethics Guide Providers in Exploring Risk, Safety and Place of Birth?" Invited delegate to Home Birth Summit, Seattle, WA. September 2014.

(with Karen Kelly-Blake) “Autonomy’s Child: Exploring the Bounded Warp and Woof of Shared Decision-making.” Collaborative paper delivered at the *American Society for Bioethics and Humanities* Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA. 2013.

“Here Again? Or Still Here? Women’s Reproductive Health Rights 1918-2012.” Michigan State University Center for Gender in Global Context, Teach-in on Women’s Reproductive Rights. East Lansing, MI. 12 October 2012.

(with F. Fletcher, L. Annang, D. Richter, R. Saunders, R. Sowell) “She Said, Oh That B!%@h Got AIDS”: Understanding the Impact of HIV/AIDS- related Stigma from the Perspectives of Black women of Childbearing Capacity Living with HIV in South Carolina.” 139th APHA Annual Meeting, Washington, DC. 29 October-11 November 2011.

(with Patricia Obando) “International Academic Partnership in Obstetrics and Gynecology Training and Global Health Education: Costa Rica and Michigan State University.” International Association of Technology, Education and Development 2011 Conference. Madrid, Spain. 14-16 November 2011.

(with Patricia Obando) “An International Experience for ObGyn Residents: Global Reproductive Health Residency Training in Costa Rica. Diminishing Latin America's Inequalities: Land, Good, and Human Health Strategies Conference, Michigan State University. April 2011.

(with M. Holmes-Rovner) “Clinical Toss-ups: In Defense of Resource-preserving Shared Decision Making.” Cochrane Colloquium, Keystone, CO. October 2010.

“Global Health Initiative for Obstetrics and Gynecology Residencies: A Professional Collaboration Between Costa Rica and MSU.” Invited panel participant with R. Leach and P. Obando. Spring 2010 Colloquia Series “New Research on Women and Gender: Global and Local Perspectives. Center for Gender in Global Context. Michigan State University, Lansing, MI. January 2010.

“Can Evidence-based Medicine ‘Teach the World to Sing?’. Invited Session for *Global Perspectives Conference*. Lansing Community College, Lansing, MI. 31 March 2009.

“Childbirth: Why do we do what we do?” Invited Session for *Global Perspectives Conference*. Lansing Community College, Lansing, MI. 31 March 2009.

“Evidence-based Medicine Through the Social Science Looking Glass”. Invited Plenary Session Presentation for *Evidence Based Medicine: Where Have We Been and Where Are We Going?* Situating Science, Cluster for the Humanities and Social Studies of Science; Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Victoria College, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. 14-17 November 2008.

(with M. Hensold) “Pushed and Pulled: Intergenerational Perspectives on Childbirth Choice.” Collaborative presentation delivered at 2008 Midwives Alliance of North America Conference, Traverse City, MI. 17-19 October 2008.

“Childbirth Choice (NOT): A Paradox of Informed Consent and Best Evidence.” Invited session for *Evidence/Bioethics. The First Costa Rican Bioethics Conference, Seventh Iberoamerican Cochrane Network Annual Meeting, Fifth Annual Iberoamerican Clinical Practice Guidelines Network Meeting and Second Central American Branch of the Iberoamerican Cochrane Network Annual Meeting*, Omar Dengo Campus of the National University, Costa Rica. 24-27 June 2008.

Panelist, “The Business of Being Born.” Special Community Screening and Panel Discussion, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI. 23-24 February 2008.
“The Ethics of Informed Consent in Childbirth.” *Center for the Childbearing Year*, Ann Arbor, MI. 7 October 2007.

(with R. DeVries, Ph.D., and L. K. Low, CNM, Ph.D.) “Have it Their Way: Constructing Autonomy in Childbirth” Invited session for the *Against Health: Resisting the Invisible Morality* conference; sponsored by the Institute for Research on Women and Gender, Ann Arbor, MI. 12-13 October 2006.

(with C. Gandiya, M.Div. and J. M. Mfutso-Bengo, Ph.D.) “Bioethics’ Truths? A Transnational ‘E-Dialogue’ Between Medical Students in the United States and Students in Sub-Saharan Africa.” Collaborative paper delivered at the *American Anthropological Association* Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. November 2005.

(with C. Gandiya, M.Div. and J. M. Mfutso-Bengo, Ph.D.) “Bioethics’ Truths? A Transnational ‘E-Dialogue’ Between Medical Students in the United States and Students in Sub-Saharan Africa.” Collaborative paper delivered at the *American Society for Bioethics and Humanities* Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C. 2005.

“Negotiating Power Relationships: Certified Nurse-Midwives Reliance on Evidence-based Practice.” Paper delivered at the *American Anthropological Association* Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL. November 2003.

“Outsiders Within: Teaching Pluralism to Medical Students of Color, a Pedagogical Oxymoron?” Panel presentation on Cultural Competency delivered at the *American Anthropological Association* Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA. November 2002.

“The Failure of Second Wave US Feminists to Demedicalize Childbirth.” Invited paper at *Birthing and Bureaucracy: The History of Childbirth and Midwifery* Conference, collaboratively sponsored by the University of Sheffield School of Nursing and Midwifery, The Wellcome Institute of Medicine, the Social History of Medicine, and the UK Centre for History of Nursing, Sheffield, UK. 11 October 2002.

“Evidence-based Medicine: The Promise and the Tyranny.” Delivered at panel presentation at the *American Society for Bioethics and Humanities* Annual Meeting, Nashville, TN. 2001.

(with A. Sousa, M.D.) “Certified Nurse-Midwives’ Knowledge of and Reliance on Evidence-based Practice.” Invited Plenary Session paper read at the 9th *International Cochrane Colloquium*, “Why Evidence Is Not Used in Practice”, Lyon, FR. October 2001.

(with F. Gifford, Ph.D.) “Resistance to the Results of Systematic Reviews: Management of Birth as a Case Study.” Poster session presented jointly at the 3rd *Symposium on Systematic Reviews: Beyond the Basics*, Centre for Statistics in Medicine, Institute of Health Sciences, Oxford, UK. July 2000.

“The Evolution of Evidence-based Medicine: A Critical Analysis.” Paper delivered at the *American Anthropological Association* Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. November 2000.

“Ethical Use of Case Histories as a Teaching Tool.” Delivered at panel presentation in “Should Office Medical Record be Altered to Exclude Patient’s Sexuality?” *American Society for Bioethics and Humanities* Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT. 2000.

“Show Me the Evidence: Midwifery and Evidence-based Practice Policies.” Paper delivered at the *American Anthropological Association* Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL. November 1999.

“Gift Horse or Trojan Horse: Midwives and the Birth of Evidence-based Medicine.” Invited paper presented at the University of Sheffield School of Nursing and Midwifery, U.K. Summer 1999.

“Coming Up for Air: Midwifery Meets Managed Care.” Invited paper presented at the *International Midwives Alliance of North America* Conference, Traverse City, MI. 1998.

“Reaching the Underserved.” Invited panel presentation at the *International Midwives Alliance of North America* Conference (MANA), Traverse City, MI. 1998.

(with K. Kozlowski, CNM) “The Midwifery Model of Care: An Examination of Available Models for Improving Maternal and Child Health”. Paper delivered at the *Michigan Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies* Conference, Lansing, MI. 1998.

“Coming Up for Air.” Invited paper delivered at the *Michigan Women’s Studies Association* 25th Anniversary Conference, Saginaw Valley State University, Saginaw, MI. 1998.

“Midwifery Meets Managed Care: A Search for Effective Models of Professional Collaboration and Consumer Choice.” Paper delivered at the *Society for Health and Human Values* Conference, Baltimore, MD. 1997.

“Prepared Childbirth: A Critical Review.” Paper delivered at the *Midwest Regional Conference of the Midwives Alliance of North America*, Grand Rapids, MI. 1995.

“The Medicalization of Birth.” Paper delivered at the *Michigan Academy of Science, Arts and Letters* Annual Meeting, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI. 1993.

“The Contested Terrain of Reproductive Health: A Dialectic between Black American Women and Second Wave Feminists.” Paper delivered at the *Society for Health and Human Values* Annual Conference, Washington, D.C. 1993.

SYMPOSIA AND WORKSHOPS ORGANIZED

Brews and Views, A moderated discussion co-sponsored with the Institute for Quantitative Health Science and Engineering (IQ) that engages researchers and scholars in considering the ethical implications of innovative biomedical research. September 2017-present.

Bioethics for Breakfast, A Forum on the Intersection of Contemporary Issues, Bioethics, and Policy, co-sponsored with Hall Render Killian Heath & Lyman Law Firm, Lansing MI. 2014-present.

Ta-Nehisi Coates World View Lecture, Wharton Center, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI. 3 April 2017.

Bias and Reproducible Research. John Ioannidis All University Research Lectureship. Collaboratively sponsored with Michigan State University Office of the Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies. 6 May 2015.

Incorporating Shared Decision Making in CHM OB/GYN Clerkships: Strategies and Tools. Invited workshop for Michigan State University, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Medicine Annual Clerkship Director’s Retreat. 14 April 2015.

Escaping Melodramas: On Telling the Histories of the Infamous U.S. Medical Research Studies in Tuskegee and Guatemala. Susan Reverby World View Lecture, Wharton Center, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI. 5 April 2012.

Asociación de Obstetricia y Ginecología de Costa Rica (AOGCR), Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Biology and Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences, Michigan State University. *First Latin American Regional Symposium on Women’s Reproductive Health*, June 20-21, 2011, San José, Costa Rica.

Hunt Lecture Planning Committee, College of Human Medicine, Michigan State University 1999-2004.

Brown Bag Webinar, Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences. Annual series that hosts lecturers on a broad range of relevant bioethics’ topics 1996-present. (Renamed Bioethics Public Seminar, Fall 2020).

VOICES - Health Care Ethics: The Challenge of Including Diverse Communities. A Community Conference collaboratively sponsored by Michigan State University’s Center for

Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences, David Walker Research Institute, and Julian Samora Research Institute, Lansing, MI. 1999.

Living and Dying: Medical Ethics Today, Lecture Series, Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI. 1993.

Changing Childbirth-Family Birth in the Hospital, Statewide Conference of the Consumer Task Force on the Childbearing Year, Lansing, MI. 1983.

The Unplanned Pregnancy, Regional Workshop for Mid-Michigan Community Agency Consortium, Lansing, MI. 1981.

Coping with Grief in the Childbearing Year, Regional Symposium of the Consumer Task Force on the Childbearing Year, Haslett, MI. 1980.

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH

December 2018-November 2019

Buffers, Barriers, and Resiliency in Breastfeeding Behaviors of Asian American Mothers
Collaborative research with Joanne Goldbort, Mary Bresnahan, Jie Zhuang, and Xiaodi Yan.
Qualtrics© survey of 250 women Funded by: MSU Trifecta Initiative for Interdisciplinary Health Research.

Shame and Blame for Mothers who did not Breastfeed Collaborative research with Mary Bresnahan, Jie Zhuang, Joanne Goldbort, Rose Hitt.
Funded by Michigan State University (Internal) Department of Communication, College of Communication Arts and Sciences for Qualtrics© survey of 250 women.

January 2017-December 2017

Coworker Stigma Towards Lactating Mothers in the Workplace
Collaborative research with Mary Bresnahan, Steve Haider, Joanne Goldbort, Jackie Zhuang
Funded by: Science and Society at State.

Pilot Research: *Identity Complexities: Unpacking Concordance in the Medical Workforce*, Phase I - Scoping literature review. Cross-institutional collaboration involving Michigan State University, University of Washington, and University of Alabama University, (current).

Mentor to McKenna Rubalcaba-Williamson, Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine (Second year student). Teaching shared decision-making collaboration with Marianne Neiuwenhuijze, Maastricht University, Faculty of Health, Medicine and Science.

September 11, September 12, December 17, 2008
Marquette, MI/Munising, MI/Grand Rapids, MI

Focus Groups conducted in collaboration with the Michigan Department of Community Health Infant Dried Bloodspot Project
Public Perceptions Regarding Bloodspot Screening-to-Research Transition

January -June 2001
Ann Arbor, MI and Detroit, MI
Social Implications of Implementing Evidence-Based Medicine: A Comparative Study.

July 3-July 30, 1999
London, Sheffield, various locations in West Yorkshire, United Kingdom
Social Implications of Implementing Evidence-Based Medicine: A Comparative Pilot Study.

July 5-July 20, 1998
London, Cambridge, various locations in West Yorkshire, United Kingdom
Social Implications of Implementing Evidence-Based Medicine: A Comparative Pilot Study.

MEDIA/PUBLICITY

- From MSU Today: [Here's Why It's Important to Support Your Breastfeeding Co-Workers](#)
- From Quartz: [Why it's so crucial to support colleagues who pump breast milk at work](#)
- From Moneyish: [Why breastfeeding moms are trying to normalize pumping at work](#)

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM INITIATIVES

June-October 2012
Strategic Partnership Initiative-MSU/University of Malawi College of Medicine
Exploratory Initiative to build capacity in Obstetrics and Gynecology in Malawi that would address maternal/infant mortality morbidity

Initiated May 2009 to 2012
San Jose, Costa Rica
Strategic Partnership Initiative-MSU/Costa Rica
Obstetrics and Gynecology Resident Exchange
MSU Center for Ethics and Humanities & MSU Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Biology Collaboration with University of Costa Rica ObGyn Residency Program and Caja Costarricense del Seguro Social
\$5,553 Funding Award from MSU Center for Gender in Global Context

March 2005, 2006, 2007
San Jose, Costa Rica
Developed, and instructor of record for, spring break course “Broadening Perspectives on Health Care in Costa Rica” for Michigan State University medical students, sponsored in collaboration with the International Health Central American Institute (IHCAI)
www.ihcai.org

March and July 2004

San Jose, Costa Rica

Developed pilot Study Abroad program for the College of Human Medicine on “Medical Spanish in the Environment of Tropical Medicine” in cooperation with the International Health Central American Institute (IHCAI) www.ihcai.org

September 2004 – May 2008

Administrative Assistant

National Institutes of Health, Fogarty International Center

TW-04-001-International Bioethics Education and Career Development Award

Mentor Role for “Training for Scholarship in Research Ethics”

University of Malawi College of Medicine and Michigan State University Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences.

January 2006

Administrative Assistant

Co-developer and subcontractor through Michigan State University Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences (CEHLS) on National Institutes of Health, Fogarty International Center “International Research Ethics Education and Curriculum Development” proposal, submitted by International Health Central American Institute (IHCAI) on January 13, 2006.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

American Society for Bioethics and Humanities Presentation Abstract Reviews: Diversity, Disparity, & Inclusion, 2015-2017.

Invited testimony to State of Michigan hearing on HB 4958, to license Certified Professional Midwives in Michigan. 17 June 2015.

Upper Great Lakes Hospice and Palliative Care Conference, Planning Committee Member 2014 and 2015. Marquette, Michigan.

Sparrow Hospital Ethics Consultation, member of Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences service, 2011-2012.

Marquette General Health System Ethics committee consultation, March 2009.

Regularly referee professional papers and monographs for presses and professional journals. Examples include, *Journal of Clinical Ethics*, *Harvard University Press*, *Social Science and Medicine*, *Medical Anthropology*, *Hypatia*, *Journal of Health Psychology*, *International Journal of Childbirth*, and *Victorian Studies*.

COLLEGE COMMITTEE SERVICE

Member, College Advisory Committee, College of Human Medicine, 2021-present.

Member, Search Committee, Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences Director. 2018-2020.

Member, Shared Discovery Curriculum Early Clinical Experience Design Team, 2015-present.

Member, Shared Discovery Curriculum Design Team, 2015-2016.

Member, Curriculum Committee, Representing CHM Prematriculation Programs, College of Human Medicine, 2004-2020..

Member, Shared Discovery Curriculum ECE Working Group, College of Human Medicine, 2014-2016.

Chair, Search Committee, Center for Ethics and Humanities in the Life Sciences Clinical Ethicist. 2014.

Member, Shared Discovery Curriculum Learning Society Working Group, College of Human Medicine, 2014.

Member, Shared Discovery Curriculum CCC Working Group (Developmental Delay, Tall/Short Abnormal Stature, ADHD).

Member, Council on Diversity in Education (CODE), College of Human Medicine, 2008-2014.

Member, Student Scholarship Rating Committee, College of Human Medicine, 2004-2005.

Member, Medical Scholars Advisory Committee, 1996-2006.

BIOGRAPHICAL CITATIONS

Who's Who Among America's Teachers (8th ed., 2004; 9th ed., 2005; 10th ed., 11th ed., 2006)