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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2025 – Present	Claremont McKenna College Assistant Professor of Psychological Science
2023 – 2025	University of Michigan NICHD T32 Postdoctoral Research Fellow Developmental Psychology

EDUCATION

2023	Ph.D., <i>Community Psychology</i> DePaul University, Chicago, IL <u>Dissertation</u> : The Critical Civic Engagement of Immigrant-Origin Latinx Youth
2016	M.S.Ed., <i>Community and Social Change</i> University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL
2013	B.S.Ed., <i>Human and Social Development, Psychology</i> University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL

AREAS OF INTEREST

Adolescent development; youth sociopolitical development; youth mentoring; Latinx families; immigrant/refugee adjustment; community-engaged research; youth participatory action research

PUBLICATIONS

♦ undergraduate or postbac mentee; ♦ graduate student mentee; ^c community partner author.

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

11. Medina, M., Mathews, C.J., **de los Reyes, W.**, Singh, A., Diemer, M.A., & Durand, T. (Forthcoming). Anti-racist methodological approaches to ethnic-racial identity and critical consciousness scholarship. *Journal of School Psychology*.
10. **de los Reyes, W.**, Sánchez, B., ♦ Draper, C., & ♦ Barraza, R. (2025). To help or hinder: The role of nonparental adults in the sociopolitical development of immigrant-origin Latinx emerging adults. *Journal of Adolescent Research*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/07435584251344276>

9. **de los Reyes, W.**, ♦ Farhan, S., ^c bin Zakaria, N., & Saw, A. (2025). An exploratory study of resettled Rohingya refugees: Healthcare access and preventive cancer screenings. *Journal of Health Psychology*, 30(6), 1189–1195.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/13591053241288539>
8. **de los Reyes, W.**, ♦ Rehman, A., ♦ Aragula, S., & Saw, A. (2025). Building a home in Chicago: Integration and mental health in a newcomer Rohingya refugee community. *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*, 31(2), 199–208. <https://doi.org/10.1037/cdp0000626>
7. **de los Reyes, W.**, Ferrera, M.J., Hwang, S., Álvarez Silva, R., Quarfoot, K., Hasan, K., & Salusky, I. (2023). University-community collaborations: A vehicle for capacity building and mutual learning within an immigrant mental health coalition. *Collaborations: A Journal of Community-Based Research and Practice*, 6(1), 1–10.
<https://doi.org/10.33596/coll.111>
6. Sánchez, B., Garcia-Murillo, Y., Monjaras-Gaytan, L.Y., Thursby, K., Ulerio, G., **de los Reyes, W.**, Salusky, I., & Rivera, C. (2022). Everyday acts of resistance: How Mexican immigrant youth with undocumented status navigate oppression in their education through the support of mentors. *Journal of Research on Adolescence*, 32(2), 398–416. <http://doi.org/10.1111/jora.12755>
5. **de los Reyes, W.**, Sánchez, B., Polo, A., ♦ Quiroz, A., Thursby, K., O'Donnell, A., & Monjaras-Gaytan, L.Y. (2022). Mentoring Latinx children and adolescents: A systematic review. *Adolescent Research Review*, 7(1), 79–99.
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s40894-021-00156-3>
4. Sánchez, B., Mroczkowski, A., Flores, L., **de los Reyes, W.**, Rasgado-Flores, H., & Ruiz, J. (2022). How mentors contribute to Latinx youth's social capital in the sciences. *Journal of Adolescent Research*, 37(1), 128–161.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0743558420985454>
3. Monjaras-Gaytan, L.Y., Sánchez, B., Anderson, A., McGarity-Palmer, R., Garcia-Murillo, Y., & **de los Reyes, W.** (2021). Act, talk, reflect, then act: The role of natural mentors in the critical consciousness of ethnically/racially diverse college students. *American Journal of Community Psychology*. <https://doi.org/10.1002/ajcp.12517>
2. Haarlammert, M., Birman, D., Oberoi, A., & **de los Reyes, W.** * (2017). Inside-out: Representational ethics and diverse communities. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 60(3–4), 414–423.
<http://doi.org/10.1002/ajcp.12188>
1. Evans, S. D., Rosen, A., Kesten, S. M., & **de los Reyes, W.** * (2014). Miami Thrives: Weaving a poverty reduction network. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 53(3–4), 357–368.
<http://doi.org/10.1007/s10464-014-9657-z>

Book Chapter

Pinetta, B.J., Blanco Martinez, S., **de los Reyes, W.**, Montoro, J.P., & Rivas-Drake, D. (Forthcoming). Leveraging cultural assets for critical civic engagement among Latinx youth: An asset-based model. In Ceballo, R. & Rivas-Drake, D. (Eds). *Growing up Latinx in the land of liberty: Drawing on community and culture to face contextual challenges*. Oxford University Press.

* Two publications were published under the author's legal last name, Moore. de los Reyes is the author's family name, which she chose later to instead use professionally.

Manuscripts Under Peer-Review

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Barraza, R., ♦ Draper, C., & Rivas-Drake, D. (under review). Expanding critical action: Centering Latinx youth voices.

Anderson, A.J., Monjaras-Gaytan, L.Y., & **de los Reyes, W.** (under review). Gauging mentoring program readiness for youth participatory action research through a practitioner resource and feedback sessions.

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Vezaldenos, V. & ♦ Draper, C., ♦ Barraza, R. (2025). Navigating family: Immigrant-origin Latinx youth perspectives on parental roles in sociopolitical development. *Full manuscript invited for special issue.*

♦ Draper, C. ♦ Barraza, R., ♦ Fuentes Delgado, M., ♦ Glatley, B. & **de los Reyes, W.** (under review). The role of peers in the sociopolitical development of immigrant-origin Latinx youth.

Diemer, M.A., Winn, M., Winn, L., **de los Reyes, W.**, Kubi, G. & Phillip, T.M. (under review). Development and initial validation of the Transformative Justice Scale (TJS): Assessing teachers' capacity for transformative practices in education.

Manuscripts In Preparation

de los Reyes, W., Garcia, M.F., Gil-Rivas, V., El-Awad, U., Zabelski, S., Vashisht, K., Angelo-Rocha, M., Blake, M.M., Goodkind, J., Jaffe, G., & Moore, A. (in prep). Interrogating the crisis framework: Shifting the narrative on migrant displacement through community action and preparedness.

El-Awad, U., Garcia, M.F., Vashisht, K., Erum, A., & **de los Reyes, W.** (in prep). Rethinking policy priorities: Strengthening mental health and integration for unaccompanied immigrant children and adolescents.

de los Reyes, W., Diemer, M.A., & Rivas-Drake, D. (in prep). Development and initial validation of the perceived opportunities for sociopolitical socialization inventory (POSSI).

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Barraza, R., & ♦ Saladrigas, N. (in prep). On the front lines in Florida: Narratives of Latina youth organizers.

♦ Isaac, E., **de los Reyes, W.**, & ♦ Draper, C. (in prep). The role of religion in the civic identity development of Latine adolescents.

Public Scholarship and Policy Papers

Anderson, A.J., Pryce, J., **de los Reyes, W.**, Bennett, R. & Garringer, R. (2025). *The mentoring program's guide to youth participatory action research: Integrating meaningful research opportunities into mentoring services*. MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership. <https://www.mentoring.org/resource/youth-participatory-action-research/>

de los Reyes, W. & c Garringer, M. (2024). *Mentoring for change: Supporting Latinx youth in civic and political engagement*. MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership. <https://www.mentoring.org/blog/advocacy/mentoring-for-change-supporting-latinx-youth-in-civic-and-political-engagement/>

de los Reyes, W., ^c Cooney, T., & Kornbluh, M. (2023). *Mentoring in student-action research: A case study*. National Mentoring Resource Center. <https://nationalmentoringresourcecenter.org/blog/mentoring-in-student-action-research-a-case-study/>

Anderson, A.J., **de los Reyes, W.**, Monjaras-Gaytan, L.Y. (2022). *A brief primer on youth participatory action research for mentoring programs*. (Report No. 305001). U.S. Department of Justice. <https://nationalmentoringresourcecenter.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/NMRC-YPAR-Brief-Primer.pdf>

Saw., A., Yellow Horse, A. J., Jeung, R., Aragula, S., **de los Reyes, W.**, Huynh, M., Kwon, E., Mai, N., Mantuhac, J., McGarity-Palmer, R., Nau, S., & Sun, F.M. (2021). *Stop AAPI hate follow-up survey*. Stop AAPI Hate. <https://stopaapihate.org/mental-health-report/>

de los Reyes, W., Tergesen, C., Magid, K., & Jaffe, G. (2021). *Resolution on family well-being through the asylum-seeking process* [Policy Brief]. Global Alliance for Behavioral Health and Social Justice. <https://www.bhjustice.org/blog/resolution-on-family-well-being-through-the-asylum-seeking-process/>

Tergesen, C., **de los Reyes, W.**, Magid, K., & Jaffe, G. (2021). *Resolution on comprehensive asylum-seeking family reunification* [Policy Brief]. Global Alliance for Behavioral Health and Social Justice. <https://www.bhjustice.org/blog/resolution-on-comprehensive-asylum-seeking-family-reunification/>

^c Alicea, A., ^c Garringer, M., **de los Reyes, W.**, & Anderson, A.J. (2020). *Youth advocates for mentoring evaluation report*. MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership. <https://www.mentoring.org/blog/advocacy/youth-advocates-lead-the-way-to-powerful-policy-heres-how-mentors-can-support-them/>

Media Coverage

Chronicle of Evidence-Based Mentoring (2025). Profiles in mentoring: Wendy de los Reyes on how mentoring can define Latinx youth activism. <https://www.evidencebasedmentoring.org/profiles-in-mentoring-wendy-de-los-reyes-on-how-mentoring-can-define-latinx-youth-activism/>

Chronicle of Evidence-Based Mentoring (2025). Beyond good intentions: What supports (and undermines) Latinx youth activism. <https://www.evidencebasedmentoring.org/beyond-good-intentions-what-supports-and-undermines-latinx-youth-activism/>

Marsal Education New (2025, July 15). CPEP postdoctoral research fellow Wendy de los Reyes publishes new research on the mentorship role extended family members play for Latino youth. <https://marsal.umich.edu/news/cpep-postdoctoral-research-fellow-wendy-de-los-reyes-publishes-new-research-mentorship-role>

Pires, F., (2025, July 8). Key mentors: Extended family drives Latino youth activism, civic engagement. *Michigan News*. <https://news.umich.edu/key-mentors-extended-family-drives-latino-youth-activism-civic-engagement/>

Ervin, A. (2021). What benefits does mentoring have on the developmental outcomes of Latinx youths? New review has answers! *The Chronicle of Evidence-Based Mentoring*. <https://www.evidencebasedmentoring.org/what-benefits-does-mentoring-have-on-the-developmental-outcomes-of-latinx-youths-new-review-has-answers/>

Technical Reports and Other Writing

de los Reyes, W., (2022). Middle school mentoring program: Group mentoring recommendations. *Internal document prepared for [Project: VISION](#)*.

Tirres, C., Glantsman, O., Camilleri, A., Asad, S., **de los Reyes, W.**, & Garcia-Murrillo, Y. (2022). Community Capacity Inventory: DePaul Migration Collaborative. *Internal report prepared for [DePaul Migration Collaborative](#)*.

de los Reyes, W., (2021). Refugee dental needs: RefugeeOne wellness program dental needs assessment. *Internal report prepared for [RefugeeOne](#)*.

♦ Farhan, S., ♦ Nanlawala, S., ♦ Trieu, K., **de los Reyes, W.**, & Saw, A. (2021). Rohingya community health survey: Preliminary Findings. *Internal report prepared for [Rohingya Culture Center of Chicago](#)*.

de los Reyes, W., (2020). Youth advocates for mentoring: Evaluation report. *Internal progress report prepared for [MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership](#)*.

PRESENTATIONS

♦ undergraduate or postbac mentee; ♦ graduate student mentee; ^c community partner author.

Invited Presentations

de los Reyes, W. (2024, May 26). "The role of mentors in Latinx Youth Sociopolitical development: A mixed method study" [Invited oral presentation]. School & Youth Engagement Interest Group, Society for Community Research & Action.

de los Reyes, W. (2024, March 26). "The role of mentors in Latinx Youth Sociopolitical development: A mixed method study" [Invited oral presentation]. Colloquium series for the Combined Program in Education and Psychology of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, USA.

de los Reyes, W. (2024, February 12). "Help or hinder: The role of adults in the sociopolitical development of Latinx adolescents" [Invited oral presentation]. Colloquium series for the Developmental area of Psychology at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, USA.

de los Reyes, W. (2024, January 17). "Nonparental adults in the sociopolitical development of immigrant-origin Latinx youth" [Invited oral presentation]. Colloquium series for the Combined Program in Education and Psychology of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, USA.

Tirres, C., Glantsman, O., Camilleri, A., Garcia-Murrillo, Y., & **de los Reyes, W.** (2022, September 23). The DePaul Migration Collaborative: Learning from our Community Partners [Invited panel discussion]. DePaul University Global Justice Teach-In, Chicago, IL, USA.

Peer-Reviewed Conference Presentations

de los Reyes, W., Diemer, M. & Rivas-Drake, D. (2025, June 17-21). "Development and validation of the mentor sociopolitical socialization scale". In A.J. Anderson (Chair), *Elevating Youth Potential: The Role of Mentoring in Belonging, Sociopolitical Development, and Connection* [Symposium]. Biennial Meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, East Lansing, MI, USA.

Monjaras-Gaytan, L.Y., Anderson, A.J., & **de los Reyes, W.** (2025, June 17-21). "Preparing adults in mentoring programs for YPAR: Assessing needs, challenges, and support strategies" [Poster session]. Biennial Meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, East Lansing, MI, USA.

de los Reyes, W. (2025, February 24-27). "Developing a measure on mentor sociopolitical socialization: Incorporating voices of Latine youth" [Oral Presentation]. Latine Research Week, Ann Arbor, MI, USA.

de los Reyes, W. & ^cGarringer M. (2025, January 29-31). "How mentors can support Latinx youth civic and political engagement [Workshop for practitioners]. National Mentoring Summit, Convened by MENTOR, Washington, D.C., USA.

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Draper, C., ♦ Barraza, R. Rivas-Drake, D., & Diemer, M. (2024, October 17-19). "Incorporating youth voice in measurement development: Nonparental adults and sociopolitical development of Latinx youth [Poster session]. Annual Meeting of the National Latinx Psychological Association, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Draper, C., ♦ Barraza, R., Rivas-Drake, D., & Diemer, M. (2024, September 26-28). "Making sure our voice is heard": The critical civic engagement of Latinx immigrant-origin youth [Oral presentation]. Meeting of the Global Alliance for Behavior Health and Social Justice, Coming Together for Action, Chicago, IL, USA.

de los Reyes, W., Goodkind, J., Angelo-Rocha, M., Vashisht, K., Garcia, M.F., & Moore., A. (2024, September 26-28). Interrogating the crisis framework: Guiding values and actions towards a proactive approach to welcoming forcibly displaced people [Roundtable presentation]. Meeting of the Global Alliance for Behavior Health and Social Justice, Coming Together for Action, Chicago, IL, USA.

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Barraza, R. & ♦ Draper, C., & (2024, May 15-17). Adult power as a hindrance to Latine youth sociopolitical development. [Poster session]. Summit on Anti-Racist Developmental Science, Society for Research on Child Development, Panama City, Panama.

♦ Barraza, R. ♦ Draper, C., & **de los Reyes, W.** (2024, April 18-20). *The pros and hindrances of peer socialization in the critical civic engagement of immigrant-origin Latinx youth* [Poster session]. Meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Chicago, IL., USA.

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Barraza, R., ♦ Saladrigas, N., & ♦ Hidalgo, S. (2024, March 12-14). *On the front lines in Florida: Narratives of Latina youth organizers* [Oral presentation]. University of Michigan Latinx Research Week, LSA Sponsored Session: Cultura y Latinidad, Ann Arbor, MI, USA.

♦ Draper, C., **de los Reyes, W.**, ♦ Barraza, R. & Sánchez, B. (2024, April 20-22). *The role of non-parental adults mentors in the critical civic engagement of immigrant-origin Latinx youth* [Poster session]. Meeting of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL., USA.

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Draper, C., ♦ Barraza, R. & Sánchez, B. (2023, April 13-15). *The role of mentors in the critical civic engagement of immigrant-origin Latinx youth* [Poster blitz session]. Meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, San Diego, CA, USA.

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Farhan, S., ^cZakaria, N., & Saw, A. (2022, October 28-30). *Healthcare access and preventative screenings for Rohingya refugees in the United States* [Poster session]. Meeting of the Global Alliance for Behavior Health and Social Justice, Baltimore, MD, USA.

- Tergesen, C., Lei, Q., **de los Reyes, W.**, & Zinter, K. (2022, October 28-30). *Embracing lived experience in policy, practice, and research* [Panel session]. Meeting of the Global Alliance for Behavior Health and Social Justice, Baltimore, MD, USA.
- de los Reyes, W.** & Sánchez, B. (2022, March). Lessons learned in youth participatory processes on Latinx sociopolitical development. In **W. de los Reyes** (Chair), *Agency and Assets among Filipinx, Latinx, Native American, and BIPOC Youth* [Symposium]. Meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- Thursby, K., Garcia-Murillo, Y., Sánchez, B., Monjaras-Gaytan, L. Y., Ulerio, G., **de los Reyes, W.**, Salusky, I. R., & Rivera, C. S. (2021, June). *Everyday acts of resistance: Mexican, undocumented immigrant youth navigating oppression in education with mentor support* [Ignite presentation]. Meeting of Society for Community Research and Action, virtual.
- ♦ Rehman, A., **de los Reyes, W.**, ♦ Aragula, S., & Saw, A. (2021, April) *Resettlement experiences of newcomer Rohingya refugees: Community needs and strengths assessments* [Poster session]. Meeting of Midwestern Psychological Association, virtual.
- ♦ Rehman, A., **de los Reyes, W.**, ♦ Aragula, S., & Saw, A. (2021, March). *Integration of Newcomer Rohingya Refugees in the U.S.* [Poster session]. South Asian Mental Health Conference, virtual.
- de los Reyes, W.**, Tergesen, C., Nau, S., ^c Williams, L., & Salusky, I. (2020, October). *Supporting asylum seekers with forensic asylum evaluations: The role of psychologists, interpreters, and attorneys* [Panel presentation]. Meeting of the Global Alliance for Behavioral Health and Social Justice, virtual. <https://youtu.be/E05T71ka0oQ>.
- de los Reyes, W.** (2020, October). *Mapping refugee service provider closures in Chicago, IL* [Poster session]. Meeting of the Global Alliance for Behavioral Health and Social Justice, virtual.
- de los Reyes, W.**, ♦ Quiroz, A., O'Donnell, A., Thursby, K., Monjaras-Gaytan, L.Y., ♦ Pagan, B., & Sánchez, B. (2020, March). *Formal and natural mentoring practices among K-12 Latinx children and adolescents: A systematic review* [Poster accepted]. Meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescents, San Diego, CA, USA (conference cancelled due to Covid-19).
- McGarity-Palmer, R., **de los Reyes, W.** & Saw, A. (2019, November). *Confronting American values and ethnocentrism in evaluations and in ourselves* [Poster session]. Meeting of the American Evaluation Association, Minneapolis, MN, USA.
- Ma, K., Pham, A., Davis, J., McGarity-Palmer, R., **de los Reyes, W.**, & Saw, A. (2019, November). *Intervention components and cultural tailoring of dementia caregiver services for Chinese and Chinese American families: A systematic review* [Poster session]. Meeting of the American Public Health Association, Philadelphia, PA, USA.
- Davis, J.O., Chaudhari, S., Chow, C., **de los Reyes, W.**, McGarity-Palmer, R., & Saw, A. (2019, October). *Cultural Adaptation of a Tobacco Cessation Intervention for Rohingya Men: Process and Lessons Learned* [Poster session]. Meeting of the Asian American Psychological Association, San Diego, CA, USA.
- Nau, S., **de los Reyes, W.**, Truong, L., Varghese, C., Ma, K., Chaudhari, S., ^c Toffenetti, L., & Saw, A. (2019, August). *Student advocate perspectives of a community-based advocacy program for Rohingya refugees* [Poster session]. Meeting of the American Psychological Association, Chicago, IL, USA.

de los Reyes, W., Birman, D. & Haarlammert, M. (2019, June). Heart waste? The integration of foreign-educated Cuban physicians into the U.S. medical field. In E. Trickett (Chair), *Refugees navigating employment and career pathways: Processes, patterns, and challenges* [Symposium]. Meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Chicago, IL, USA.

de los Reyes, W. & Sánchez, B. (2019, June). *Dreamers assert their rights: Empowerment among undocumented immigrant youth* [Ignite presentation]. Meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Chicago, IL, USA.

de los Reyes, W., ♦ Quiroz, A., ♦ Pagan, B., & Sánchez, B. (2019, April). *Mentoring Latinx youth: A systematic review of the literature* [Poster session]. Meeting of Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL, USA.

de los Reyes, W. (2017, June). *Understanding the integration of foreign-educated Cuban physicians into the U.S. medical field* [Poster presented]. Meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Ottawa, CA, USA.

Birman, D., Haarlammert, M., & **de los Reyes, W.** (2017, January). *Employment and underemployment among refugees resettled in the U.S.* [Roundtable presentation]. National Multicultural Conference and Summit, Portland, OR, USA.

de los Reyes, W., Cavender, A., Crandall, J., & Elias Rodas, D., (2013, June). *Human and sex trafficking representation in the media: A preliminary exploration* [Poster session]. Meeting of the Society for Community Research and Action, Miami, FL, USA.

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Funded Research Awards

2023 – 2025

Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development

Role: T32 Postdoctoral Research Fellow

Title: *Developmental Psychology Training Grant (T32HD007109)*

Institution: University of Michigan

2023 – 2025

Starbucks

Role: Co-Investigator, \$75,000 (subaward: \$3,700)

Title: *Youth Participatory Action Research (YPAR) Guide for Mentoring Programs*

Partner Organization: MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership

2023

Steans Center for Community-Based Service Learning & Community Service Studies

Role: Harrison I. Steans Graduate Fellow, \$8,550 (subaward: \$6,000)

Title: *The Role of Mentors in the Civic/Political Engagement of Latinx Immigrant-Origin Youth*

Partner Organization: MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership

Community-Based Research Assistant: Corissa Draper

2022 – 2024

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Role: Co-Principal Investigator, \$24,125

Title: *Role of Mentors in the Political Engagement of Latinx Immigrant-Origin Youth*

Co-PI: Mike Garringer, MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership

2022 – 2023	Doctoral and Undergraduate Opportunities for Scholarships Fellowship College of Science & Health, DePaul University Role: Graduate Research Mentor, \$1,500 (subaward: \$750) Title: <i>The Role of Mentors in the Critical Civic Engagement of Latinx Immigrant-Origin Youth</i> Undergraduate Mentee: Corissa Draper
2022	National Mentoring Resource Center U.S. Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Title: A brief primer on youth participatory action research for mentoring programs Role: Co-Investigator, Associate Research Board Member
2021 - 2022	Psychology Doctoral Research Fellowship, DePaul University Role: Principal Investigator, \$28,580 Title: <i>Critical Civic Engagement of Immigrant-Origin Latinx Youth</i>
2021	College of Science & Health Graduate Research Fund, DePaul University Role: Principal Investigator, \$500 Title: <i>Critical Civic Engagement of Immigrant-Origin Latinx Youth</i>
2020 – 2021	Doctoral and Undergraduate Opportunities for Scholarships Fellowship Ziegler-Orloff Fund for Psychology Award College of Science & Health, DePaul University Role: Graduate Research Mentor, \$1,500 (subaward: \$750) Title: <i>Integration and Mental Health in a Newcomer Rohingya Refugee Community</i> Undergraduate Mentee: Afshan Rehman
2020	Psychology Summer Research Assistantship Award, DePaul University Role: Graduate Research Assistant, \$2,137
2019	Psychology Summer Research Assistantship Award, DePaul University Role: Graduate Research Assistant, \$1,330
<u>Travel Grants</u>	
2024	Society for Research on Child Development Travel Award Anti-Racist Developmental Science Summit, Panama City, Panama, \$500
2022	College of Science & Health Graduate Research Fund, DePaul University Global Alliance for Behavior Health and Social Justice, Baltimore, MD, \$700
2022	College of Science & Health Graduate Research Fund, DePaul University Society for Research on Adolescence, New Orleans, LA, \$700
2020	College of Science & Health Graduate Research Fund, DePaul University Society for Research on Adolescence (Cancelled due to Covid-19), \$500
2019	College of Science & Health Graduate Research Fund, DePaul University Society for Community Research and Action, Chicago, IL, \$130

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

^U denotes undergraduate course; ^G denotes graduate course

Claremont McKenna College

2025 – Present *Instructor of Record. Community Psychology (PSYC 51).*

DePaul University

2021 – 2022 *Instructor of Record. Research Methods I (PSY 241).*

2018 – 2020 *Graduate Teaching Assistant. Research Methods I (PSY 241); Introduction to Psychology I (PSY 105); Latinx Psychology (PSY 220); Applied Psychology (PSY 357); Cultural Issues in Psychology (PSY 345).*

University of Miami

2014 – 2015 *Graduate Teaching Assistant. Psychosocial Change and Wellbeing (EPS 201).*

Guest Lectures

2025 Course: ^U The Psychology of the Latinx Experience, University of Michigan
Lecture Title: *Discrimination, Prejudice, and Activism*

2024 Course: Principles of Community Consultation ^G, DePaul University
Lecture Title: A Systems Perspective for Understanding Communities and Organizations

2022 Course: Introduction to Community Psychology ^U, DePaul University
Lecture Title: Power, Empowerment, and Structures of Oppression

2022 Course: Latinx Psychology ^U, DePaul University
Lecture Title: Latinx Higher Education Pathways Panel

2021 Course: Psychology & Social Justice ^U, DePaul University
Lecture Title: Social Justice and Policy: Immigration and Child Outcomes

2020 Course: Principles of Community Consultation ^G, DePaul University
Lecture Title: Panel on Fieldwork Consultation Projects

2019 Course: Latinx Psychology ^U, DePaul University
Lecture Title: Latinx Higher Education Pathways Panel

2019 Course: Applied Psychology I ^U, DePaul University
Lecture Title: Forms of “Helping”: Organizational Systems Theory

2018 Course: Cultural Issues in Psychology ^U, DePaul University
Lecture Title: An Overview on the Psychology of Migration

STUDENT MENTORING AND ADVISING

^H denotes high school student mentee; ^U denotes undergraduate mentee; ^G denotes graduate student mentee

2022 – Present Rosario Barraza, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL ^U

2022 – Present Corissa Draper, DePaul University, Chicago, IL ^U

2024 – 2025 Kevin Gomez, City of Hialeah Educational Academy, Hialeah, FL ^H

2024 – 2025 Chanel Deleon, City of Hialeah Educational Academy, Hialeah, FL ^H

2023 – 2024 Daniela Zaragoza, City of Hialeah Educational Academy, Hialeah, FL ^H

2022 – 2023 Andrea Reyes, City of Hialeah Educational Academy, Hialeah, FL ^H

2020 – 2021	Afshan Rehman, DePaul University, Chicago, IL ^U
2020 – 2021	Catharine Ryan, DePaul University, Chicago, IL ^G
2019 – 2020	Shaun Bhatia, DePaul University, Chicago, IL ^G
2018 – 2019	Alma Quiroz, DePaul University, Chicago, IL ^U
2018 – 2019	Bianca Pagan, DePaul University, Chicago, IL ^U

COMMUNITY-ENGAGED PRACTITIONER EXPERIENCE

2019 – 2020	Spanish/English Interpreter , Forensic Asylum Assessments, DePaul Family & Community Services, Chicago, IL
2015 – 2018	Program Director, Nashville Metro , Apartment Life, Nashville, TN
2015 – 2016	Practicum Student , Florida Refugee Services, Dept. of Children and Families, Miami, FL
2015	Program Fellow , Early Escalera at Glencliff High School, Conexión Américas, Nashville, TN
2014 – 2015	AmeriCorps VISTA , Florida Campus Compact, William R. Butler Center for Service and Leadership, University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL
2013 – 2014	Children's Ministry Director (Infants to 5 th grade), Crossbridge, Miami Springs, FL

COMMUNITY RESEARCH/PROGRAM CONSULTATION

2023 – Present	Consultant , YPAR Guide for Mentoring Programs, MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership, Virtual
2022	Program Consultant , Middle School Mentoring Program, Project: VISION, Chicago, IL
2022	Community Capacity Research Team , DePaul Migration Collaborative, Chicago, IL
2020 – 2021	Research/Evaluation Consultant , RefugeeOne, Chicago, IL
2019 – 2020	Research/Evaluation Consultant , Youth Advocates for Mentoring, MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership, Virtual
2018 – 2020	Research/Evaluation Consultant , Rohingya Culture Center, Chicago, IL

SERVICE

Service to Profession

2021 – Present	Ad-Hoc Journal Reviewer <i>American Journal of Community Psychology</i> <i>Child Development</i> <i>Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology</i> <i>Global Journal of Community Psychology Practice</i> <i>Journal of Early Adolescence</i> <i>Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research</i> <i>Journal of Participatory Methods</i>
2020 – Present	Migrants and Displaced Persons Task Force Global Alliance for Behavioral Health and Social Justice
2021	Student Regional Coordinator, Midwest , Society for Community Research and Action
2020 – 2021	Grant Reviewer , Psychological Science Research Grant, American Psychological Association
2015 – 2017	Secretary, International Committee , Society for Community Research and Action

Service to Department or University

2024 – Present	Latinx Circle Chair , Postdoctoral Association, University of Michigan
2023 – 2024	Secretary , Postdoctoral Association, University of Michigan
2019 – 2022	Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee , Psychology, DePaul University
2019 – 2021	Graduate Admissions Committee , Community Psychology, DePaul University
2019 – 2020	Student Representative , Community Psychology Program, DePaul University
2019	Diversifying Psychology Day , Planning Committee, DePaul University
2018 – 2020	Public Relationships Chair Society for the Psychological Study of Culture, Ethnicity and Race, Campus Chapter, DePaul University
2018 – 2019	Community Student Representative , Psychology, DePaul University

Service to Community

2019 – 2021	Team Member , Police Accountability Campaign, ONE Northside, Chicago, IL
2017 – 2018	Spanish/English Interpreter , Padres Comprometidos (Committed Parents Program), Conexión Américas, Nashville, TN
2017 – 2018	Data Analyst , Tennessee Migrant Education Program, Conexión Américas, Nashville, TN
2017 – 2018	Next Generation Board Member , Siloam Health Center, Nashville, TN
2008 – 2010	Bass Guitar Instructor , Elementary-aged children, Spanish-speaking church, Miami, FL
2004 – 2010	Children's Ministry Teacher , Infants to 2 nd grade, Spanish-speaking church, Miami, FL

AWARDS AND HONORS

2025	Dissertation Award , Latinx Caucus, Society for Research in Child Development
2017	Mayor's Day Recognition for National Service , City of Miami, FL
2017	Student Silver Medallion—Humanitarian Award , MCCJ, Miami, FL
2016	Award of Academic Merit , School of Education and Human Development, University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL
2015	The President's Volunteer Service Award—Gold , Corporation for National and Community Service, Obama Administration
2015	Omicron Delta Kappa , National Leadership Honor Society, Beta Upsilon Circle
2013	Award for Excellence in Human and Social Development—Community Track School of Education and Human Development, University of Miami
2013	Vice President's Award for Service , Division of Student Affairs, University of Miami
2010	Program Scholar, Summer Health Professions Education Program , University of Washington School of Medicine

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Society for Community Research and Action (SCRA), APA Division 27
 Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA)
 Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD), Latinx Caucus Member
 Global Alliance for Behavioral Health and Social Justice
 National Latinx Psychological Association

SKILLS

Languages

Spanish & English – Native Speaker

French & Portuguese – Rudimentary Understanding

Software

Qualtrics, R, SPSS, Jamovi, Dedoose, Atlas.Ti, NVivo, ArcGIS, Desire2Learn, Zotero, Microsoft Office Suite

WORKSHOPS/SUPPLEMENTARY TRAINING

2025	PDHP Workshop: Communicating Through Data Visualization , Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
2025	Intro to Data Cleaning on R , Consulting for Statistics, Computing, & Analytics Research, University of Michigan
2025	Introduction to Response Quality Inclusive Teaching When You Have Strong Opinions , LSA
2024	Difficult Dialogues Series, University of Michigan
	Assessment in Surveys , Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
2024	Framing & Facilitating High Stakes Discussions: Election Edition , Promoting Democracy Teaching Series, Edward Ginsberg Center, University of Michigan
2024	Policy Institute , Global Alliance for Behavior Health & Social Justice
2024	Item Response Theory Workshop , Dr. Matthew Diemer, Statistical Horizons
2024	Psychometrics Workshop , Dr. Matthew Diemer, Statistical Horizons
2024	Mixed Method Research Program Certificate , Dr. Daphne Watkins University of Michigan, School of Social Work, Ann Arbor, MI
2023	Psychometric Theory: Classical and Latent Trait Models , Dr. Matthew Diemer University of Michigan (audited course)
2021	Faith-Rooted Organizing , Rev. Dr. Alexia Salvatierra (4-week series)
2021	Yearlong Teaching Seminar , DePaul University
2020	Essentials of Community Organizing , Part 1 & 2, ONE Northside
2019	Pre-Conference Policy Workshop , SCRA Biennial Conference
2019	Cracking the Codes: The Causes and Consequences of Systematic Inequality Strategic Questioning Workshop, Trainer the trainer session, Dr. Joy Degruy
2018	NSF and NIH Grant Writing Workshop , Grant Center