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## **Employment**

*Assistant Professor of Sociology (Tenure-Track)*  
Appalachian State University

*Fall 2020*

## **Education**

*Ph.D in Sociology*

*August 2020*

University of Colorado Boulder

Dissertation Title: "Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Cigarette Smoking: Examining the African American Smoking Paradox"

Dissertation Committee: Stefanie Mollborn (Chair), Richard Rogers, Christina Sue, Fred Pampel, Elizabeth Lawrence

Abstract: My mixed-methods dissertation examines racial/ethnic disparities in cigarette smoking, focusing on African American women. The quantitative chapters of my dissertation investigate smoking trajectories from adolescence to middle adulthood for different racial/ethnic groups, segregated by gender, and factors that may explain the racial/ethnic differences in smoking trajectories. The qualitative chapters explore how gender, race, socioeconomic status, and social/cultural contexts affect smoking patterns/behaviors of African American women.

*Master of Science in Sociology: Human Services Planning & Administration*  
Minnesota State University, Mankato

*December 2012*

*Bachelor of Arts in International Relations*  
Minnesota State University, Mankato  
Minor in Sociology and Political Science  
Summa Cum Laude, Dean's list

*December 2009*

*Bachelor's Degree in Political Science*  
Catholic University of Daegu (South Korea)  
Global 4 - Year Full Scholarship

*February 2010*

## **Teaching Interests**

Research Methods, Social Statistics, Introduction to Sociology, Social Problems, Deviance, Gender/Sexuality, Family, Race/Ethnicity, Sociology of Health, Social Services

## **Research Interests**

Health Disparities, Social Inequalities, Social Policy, Gender/Race/Class, Adolescence/Young Adulthood, Mixed Methods, Cross-Cultural Studies, Social Psychology

## Teaching Experience

### **University of Colorado Boulder**

*Racial/Ethnic Relations in the U.S. (Online)*

As an Instructor of Record

Summer 2019 – Fall 2019

*Sociological Research Methods (Online)*

As an Instructor of Record

Fall 2016 – Fall 2019

*Sociological Research Methods (In-Person)*

As an Instructor of Record

Summer 2016

As a Teaching Assistant for Dr. Stefanie Mollborn

Fall 2015

Designed the course with Dr. Stefanie Mollborn

Summer 2015

*Deviance in U.S. Society (In-Person)*

As a Teaching Assistant for Dr. Tim Wadsworth (recitations)

Spring 2015

As a Teaching Assistant for Dr. Patricia Adler (recitations)

Fall 2013 – Spring 2014

*Survey Methods (In-Person)*

As a Teaching Assistant for Dr. Stefanie Mollborn (recitations)

Fall 2014

### **Minnesota State University, Mankato**

*Introduction to Sociology (In-Person)*

As a Graduate Assistant for Dr. Paul Prew (exam review sessions)

Fall 2010 – Spring 2011

## Peer-Reviewed Publications

**Woo, Juhee.** 2018. "Gendered Stigma Management Among Young Adult Women Smokers in South Korea." *Sociological Perspectives* 61(3): 487-508.

\* Awarded the 2018 Association of Korean Sociologists in America (AKSA) Outstanding Graduate Student Paper

Mollborn, Stefanie, **Juhee Woo**, and Richard Rogers. 2018. "A longitudinal exploration of US teen childbearing and smoking risk." *Demographic Research* 38(24): 619-650.

\* Summarized in the article, "U.S. teen mothers' smoking risk in adulthood" *IUSSP's Online News Magazine* <http://www.niussp.org/article/u-s-teen-mothers-smoking-risk-in-adulthood/>

## Work In Progress

**Woo, Juhee.** 2020. "Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Smoking Initiation in Middle Adulthood."

**Woo, Juhee.** 2020. "Smoking Initiation, Continuation, and Discontinuation among Socioeconomically Disadvantaged Black Women."

**Woo, Juhee.** 2020. "Menthol, Long, and Loose Cigarettes: Understanding Socioeconomically Disadvantaged Black Women's Smoking Behaviors."

## Research Experience

*Positive Youth Development Program Research Assistant Institute of Behavioral Science, University of Colorado Boulder, 2017 - 2019*

Blueprints for Healthy Youth Development: investigated evaluations of youth programs using randomized controlled trial and quasi-experimental design.

*Population Program Research Assistant, Institute of Behavioral Science, University of Colorado Boulder, 2016*  
The Relationship between Smoking and Teen Childbearing: reviewed literatures, conducted statistical analyses of longitudinal data (logistic regressions, imputation, weighting).

*Third Year Paper Research Project, Sociology Department, University of Colorado Boulder, 2014 - 2015*  
Understanding Young Adult Women Smokers in South Korea: conducted 40 in-depth interviews and analyzed qualitative data.

*Master's Thesis Research Project, Sociology Department, Minnesota State University, Mankato, 2012*  
Gender Differences in Cigarette Smoking: the Relationship between Social Perceptions of Cigarette Smokers and Smoking Prevalence: conducted survey and analyzed quantitative data (descriptive statistics).

## **Awards/Grants**

### **External**

*Association of Korean Sociologists in America (AKSA)*  
Student Representative Travel Grant \$300 (2019)

*Association of Korean Sociologists in America (AKSA)*  
The 2018 AKSA Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award \$125 (2018)

*The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*  
The 2018 Add Health Users Conference Travel Stipend \$900 (2018)

### **Internal**

*Graduate School, University of Colorado Boulder*  
2019-2020 Dissertation Completion Fellowship \$12,400 (2018)  
Beverly Sears Graduate Student Research Grant Award \$1,000 (2018)  
Travel Grant for Domestic Conference \$600 (2014, 2016)

*Department of Sociology, University of Colorado Boulder*  
Race/Ethnic Inequalities Research Award \$1,500 (2020)  
Ralph and Barbara Dakin Award \$1,000 (2020)  
Summer Dissertation Writing Grant \$7,500 (2018, 2019, 2020)  
Conference Travel Grant \$5,700 (2014 - 2020)  
Research Expense Award \$2,600 (2014, 2015, 2017, 2018)  
Incoming Graduate Student Research Fellowship \$1,000 (2013)

*Institute of Behavioral Science (IBS), University of Colorado Boulder*  
Graduate Student Conference Travel Grant \$550 (2019, 2020)  
IBS scholarship for ICPSR training \$1,700 (2018)  
Graduate Student Small Research Grant Award \$300 (2018)

*The Center to Advancement in Research and Teaching in the Social Sciences (CARTSS), University of Colorado Boulder*  
Graduate Student Research Grant Award \$1,000 (2017)

*United Government of Graduate Students (UGGS), University of Colorado Boulder*  
Graduate Student Travel Grant \$300 (2019)

*The President's Commission on the Status of Women, Minnesota State University, Mankato*  
Research/Professional Development Grant \$400 (2012)

## **Presentations at Professional Meetings**

Juhee Woo. 2020. "Smoking Initiation, Continuation, and Discontinuation among Socioeconomically Disadvantaged African American Women." Presented at the Sociologists for Women in Society (SWS) winter meeting, San Diego.

Juhee Woo. 2019. "Racial/Ethnic Differences in Smoking Trajectories from Adolescence to Middle Adulthood." Presented at Presented at the Population Association of America (PAA) annual meeting, Austin.

Juhee Woo. 2018. "Gendering of Cigarettes in Korean Society." Presented at the Association of Korean Sociologists in America (AKSA) annual meeting, Philadelphia & the Midwest Sociological Society (MSS) annual meeting, Minneapolis.

Juhee Woo. 2018. "Racial/Ethnic Differences in Smoking Trajectories from Adolescence to Mid-Adulthood" (Preliminary findings). Presented at the Add Health Users Conference, Washington D.C.

Stefanie Mollborn, Juhee Woo, and Richard G. Rogers. 2017. "A Longitudinal Exploration of the Interrelationships Between Teen Childbearing and Smoking Risk." Presented at the Population Association of America (PAA) annual meeting, Chicago.

Juhee Woo. 2016. "Gendered Stigma Management among Young Adult Women Smokers in South Korea." Presented at the Midwest Sociological Society/North Central Sociological Association joint meeting, Chicago.

Juhee Woo. 2015. "Family, Gender Norm, and Health Behavior: Understanding Young Adult Women Smokers in South Korea." Presented at the American Sociological Association (ASA) annual meeting, Chicago & Pacific Sociological Association (PSA) annual meeting, Long Beach.

Juhee Woo. 2014. "Comparative Study in Gendered Cigarette Smoking." Presented at the American Sociological Association (ASA) annual meeting, San Francisco.

Juhee Woo. 2014. "Gender Differences in Cigarette Smoking: the Relationship between Social Perceptions and Smoking Prevalence." Presented at the Pacific Sociological Association (PSA) annual meeting, Portland.

Juhee Woo. 2012. "It's a Secret I'm a Smoker": Attitudes toward Female Smokers and Its Implication on Their Smoking Behaviors." Presented at the Midwest Sociological Society (MSS) annual meeting, Minneapolis.

## **Professional Service**

### **National/Regional Service**

Student Representative, Association of Korean Sociologists in America (2018-2019)

Department Representative at the American Sociological Association annual meeting (2018)

Session Discussant at the Association of Korean Sociologists in America annual meeting (2018)

Session Presider at the Midwest Sociological Society annual meeting (2018)

Reviewer, *Sociological Perspectives* (2018-2019)

Reviewer, *Sociology of Health and Illness* (2018)

Reviewer, *The Sociological Quarterly* (2017)

Reviewer, *Children and Youth Services Review* (2017)

Reviewer, *Addictive Behaviors Reports* (2017)

### **University Service**

Incoming Graduate Students Open House Diversity Panel, University of Colorado Boulder (2015)

"Understanding Korean Students Better" Student Panel, University of Colorado Boulder (2014)

International Student Guide, University of Colorado Boulder (2014)

First Year Experience Registration Assistant, Minnesota State University, Mankato (2009)  
International Student Make-up Orientation Director, Minnesota State University, Mankato (2009)  
International Student Peer Mentor, Minnesota State University, Mankato (2009)  
Korean Language Instructor, Minnesota State University, Mankato (2008 - 2009)

### **Community Service**

Refugee Resettlement Intern, International Institute of Minnesota (2010)  
Translator and Guide, International Mask Dance Festival, South Korea (2006)

### **Professional Memberships**

American Sociological Association (ASA)  
Section Memberships: Children and Youth, Race, Gender & Class, Aging and the Life Course  
Association of Korean Sociologists in America (AKSA)  
Population Association of America (PAA)  
Sociologists for Women in Society (SWS)

### **Other Skills**

Statistical Programs: SPSS and Stata  
Languages: English (Fluent) and Korean (Native)

## List of References

Stefanie Mollborn (Professor)

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Institute of Behavioral Science  
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