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#### I. APPOINTMENTS

- 2014- Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of California Merced Courses Taught: Sociological Theory
- 2011-14 Assistant Professor of Sociology, Loyola University Chicago Courses Taught: Race and Ethnic Relations, Immigrant America (Graduate seminar)
- 2011 Project Manager, Population Dynamics Research Group, University of Southern California
- 2011 Lecturer, Applied Women's Studies Program, Claremont Graduate University Courses Taught: Race and Masculinities (Graduate seminar)
- 2010 Lecturer, Department of Sociology, University of Southern California Courses Taught: Introduction to Sociological Theory; Work and the Workplace

## II. EDUCATION

- 2010 Ph.D., Sociology, University of Southern California
   Dissertation: Faith and Community: Recovering Gang Members in Los Angeles
   Committee: Pierrette Hondagneu-Sotelo (Chair), Donald E. Miller, Amon Emeka
- 2003 M.A., Social Research, University of Warwick (UK)
- 2002 B.A., Sociology, University of the Pacific

## III. SPECIALTY FIELDS

RACE GENDER IMMIGRATION RELIGION

## IV. MONOGRAPHS

2014 Flores, Edward Orozco. *God's Gangs: Barrio Ministry, Masculinity and Gang Recovery*. New York: New York University Press.

**Winner** 2014 Distinguished Contribution to Research Book Award, Section on Latina/o Sociology, American Sociological Association.

**Reviewed in** American Journal of Sociology; Gender & Society; Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion; Sociology of Religion; Journal of Jesuit Studies; Crime, Law and Social Change.

## V. ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2013 Flores, Edward Orozco and Pierrette Hondagneu-Sotelo. "Chicano Gang Members in Recovery: The Public Talk of Negotiating Chicano Masculinities." *Social Problems* 60(4):476-490.
- 2013 Painter, Gary and Edward Flores. "Reclassification and Academic Success among English Language Learners: New Evidence from a Large Urban School District." *B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy* 13(1): 107-136.
- 2012 Flores, Edward. "Latinos and Faith-based Recovery from Gangs," In Carolyn Chen and Russell Jeung (eds.) *Sustaining Faith Traditions: Race, Ethnicity, and Religion among the Latino and Asian American Second Generation*. New York: New York University Press. Pp. 113-132.
- 2011 Ramirez, Hernan and Edward Flores. "Latino Masculinities in the Post-9/11 Era," in Maxine Baca Zinn, Pierrette Hondagneu-Sotelo and Michael A. Messner (eds.) *Gender Through the Prism of Difference*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. Pp. 259-267.
  - (Reprinted) 2012. Michael Kimmel and Michael A. Messner (eds.) *Men's Lives*, 9<sup>th</sup> Edition. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson.
- 2009 Flores, Edward. "'I am somebody': Barrio Pentecostalism and Gendered Acculturation Among Chicano Ex-gang Members." *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 32(6): 996-1016.
  - (Reprinted) 2011. Martin Bulmer and John Solomos (eds.) *Latino Identity in Contemporary America*. New York: Routledge.

## VI. MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

Flores, Edward Orozco. "Fighting Convictions": Faith-based Community Organizing and the Formerly Incarcerated. Book proposal (with three chapters). Under Review.

Flores, Edward Orozco. "Grow Your Hair Out': Latino Gang Recovery through Masculinity and the Body." Revise and Resubmit at *Social Problems*.

Flores, Edward Orozco and Jennifer Elena Cossyleon. "'I Went Through It So You Don't Have To': Faith-based Community Organizing for Ex-offender Rights." Resubmitted to *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion*.

# VII. POLICY REPORTS AND BRIEFS

2012 Myers, Dowell, Linda Lou, Edward Flores, Hyojung Lee, Anthony Guardado and Stephanie Young. Community Profile for Los Angeles County in 2010. Report. Los Angeles, CA: Population Dynamics Research Group.

- 2011 Flores, Edward and Dowell Myers. "The Changing Household and Family." Census Brief. Los Angeles, CA: Population Dynamics Research Group.
- 2010 Flores, Edward and Miriam Ochoa. "The Impact of 'Going Green' on the Latino Community." Policy Brief. Los Angeles, CA: Tomas Rivera Policy Institute.
- 2009 Flores, Edward, Gary Painter, and Harry Pachon. "¿Qué Pasa?: Are ELL Students Remaining in English Learning Classes Too Long?" Policy Report. Los Angeles, CA: Tomas Rivera Policy Institute.
- 2009 Flores, Edward, Gary Painter, Zackary Harlow-Nash, and Harry Pachon. "Qué Pasa?: Are English Language Learning Students Remaining in English Learning Classes Too Long?" Policy Brief. Los Angeles, CA: Tomas Rivera Policy Institute.
- 2008 Flores, Edward, and Harry Pachon. "Latinos and Public Library Perceptions." Policy Report. Los Angeles, CA: Tomas Rivera Policy Institute.
- Flores, Edward, Jillian Medeiros, and Harry Pachon. "Equal Employment Opportunity or Enclave Employment?" Policy Brief. Los Angeles, CA: Tomas Rivera Policy Institute.

#### VIII. BOOK REVIEWS

- Flores, Edward. Review of James Diego Vigil, <u>The Projects: Gang and Non-Gang Families in East Los Angeles</u> (University of Texas Press, 2007) in *Aztlan* 25(1).
- 2008 Flores, Edward. Review of Andres Torres (ed.), <u>Latinos in New England</u> (Temple University Press, 2006) in *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 34(8): 1346-1347.

# IX. HONORS, AWARDS AND GRANTS

2009-10 USC College Merit Award

2008-09 John Randolph Haynes Foundation Dissertation Fellowship

2007 USC College Diversity Award for summer research

2006-08 USC Provost/ Tomas Rivera Policy Institute Fellowship

2005-06 Research Assistantship, w/Amon Emeka

2004-05 USC College Merit Award

#### X. MEDIA RECOGNITION

2011 Press Release, Senator Alex Padilla. "Governor Brown Signs Bill to Help California's 1.5

- million English Learner Students Achieve English Proficiency." Monday, October 10th.
- 2011 Article, La Opinion. "Baja la población infantil en el estado de California." Wednesday, May 25<sup>th</sup>.
- 2011 Interview, Noticias Univision 34. "Hay Menos Ninos en Los Angeles a Causa de la Economia?" KMEX 34 Los Angeles- Univision affiliate. Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup>.
- 2011 Interview, Fox 11 News. "Where are the lost children?" KTTV Los Angeles- Fox affiliate. Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup>.
- 2011 Interview, Noticias Univision 34. "Pero Si Hablo Ingles?" KMEX 34 Los Angeles-Univision affiliate. Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup>.
- 2011 Press Release, Senator Alex Padilla. "Senator Padilla Introduces Legislation to Aid English Learners in Advancing their Education, College Readiness and Joining the Workforce." Friday, February 18<sup>th</sup>.
- 2009 Guest, Pat Morrison show, "Que Pasa? Are LAUSD ESL students taking too long to learn English?" 89.3 KPCC Southern California Public Radio-National Public Radio affiliate. Thursday October 30<sup>th</sup>.
- Article, Los Angeles Times, "Many L.A. students not moving out of English language classes." Wednesday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2009. Also printed in the Los Angeles Daily News, Orange County Register, Inland Valley Daily Bulletin, Whittier Daily News. Also printed in Spanish for La Opinion, "Saber Inglés Tiene Ventajas: estudio revela nueva vertiente de análisis sobre la integración idiomática de los alumnos de LAUSD."

# XI. INVITED TALKS

- 2014 "Gods Gangs: Barrio Ministry, Masculinity, and Gang Recovery." Sociology Colloquium, Northern Illinois University. April 10<sup>th</sup>, DeKalb, Illinois.
- 2014 "Gods Gangs: Barrio Ministry, Masculinity, and Gang Recovery." Sociology Colloquium, California State University Northridge. February 3<sup>rd</sup>, Northridge, CA.
- 2013 "Constructing Citizens: Gang Exit Social Reform and (Re)integration." Knowledge Exchange, Business and Professional People for the Public Interest. December 10<sup>th</sup>, Chicago, IL.
- 2013 "Chicano Gang Members in Recovery: The Public Talk of Negotiating Chicano Masculinities." Fall Colloquium, Department of Sociology, University of Illinois-Chicago. September 25<sup>th</sup>, Chicago, IL.
- 2013 "Reforming Masculinity: Barrio Ministry and Gang Exit." Psychology Club, Loyola University Chicago. March 19<sup>th</sup>, Chicago, IL.

- 2013 "Fighting to Overcome Records and Create Equality." Panelist for FORCE event. Northeastern Illinois University. March 15<sup>th</sup>, Chicago, IL.
- 2013 "Reforming Masculinity: Barrio Ministry and Gang Exit." Spring Colloquium, Department of Sociology, Southern Illinois University- Carbondale. Carbondale, IL. February 27<sup>th</sup>.
- 2013 "Reforming Masculinity: Barrio Ministry and Gang Exit." Speaker for Year One Lecture Series, Loyola University Chicago. January 24<sup>th</sup>, Chicago, IL.
- 2011 "The Interrupters" screening and panel. Loyola University Chicago- School of Law. October 25<sup>th</sup>, Chicago, IL.
- 2011 "Latino Males and Masculinities." Masculinities Panel. Gender Society and Change: The Past, Present, and Future. Claremont Graduate University. April 2<sup>nd</sup>, Claremont, CA.

## XII. CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2014 "'I Went Through It So You Don't Have To': Contesting Marginality Through Civic Engagement." Society for the Scientific Study of Society Annual Meeting. Regular Session. November 1<sup>st</sup>, Indianapolis, IN.
- 2013 "Chicano Gang Members in Recovery: The Public Talk of Negotiating Chicano Masculinities." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Regular Session. August 10<sup>th</sup>, New York, NY.
- 2012 "'Grow Your Hair Out': Chicano Gang Recovery through Masculinity and the Body." Paper presented at a Regular Session, Sex and Gender and Latina/o Sociology. American Sociological Association. August 18<sup>th</sup>, Denver, CO.
- 2012 "'Grow Your Hair Out': Recovery From Gang Life through Masculinity and the Body." Center for Urban Research and Learning, Loyola University Chicago. March 23<sup>rd</sup>, Chicago, IL.
- 2010 "Reactive Religion among Recovering Gang Members." Paper presented at Fighting the Criminalization of Youth and Activists: Analyzing the Case of Alex Sanchez. John Jay College-City University of New York. April 7<sup>th</sup>, New York, NY.
- 2009 "Imagined Enclaves: Homeboys and Brothers experience Religious Acculturation." Presented at regular session on Deviance and Social Control. American Sociological Association. August 10<sup>th</sup>. San Francisco, CA.
- 2009 "Imagined Enclaves: Homeboys and Brothers experience Religious Acculturation." Presented at the Fifth Annual Graduate Student Conference on Democracy, sponsored by department of Political Science, UC Irvine. May 9<sup>th</sup>. Irvine, CA.

- 2009 "Embodying Reformed Barrio Masculinity: Clinical and Spiritual Approaches." Paper presented at the Pacific Sociological Association. April 8<sup>th</sup>. San Diego, CA.
- 2008 "I am Somebody: Victory Outreach and Mobility in East LA Barrios." Paper presented at a thematic session at the American Sociological Association. August 3<sup>rd</sup>. Boston, MA.
- 2008 "I am Somebody: Victory Outreach and Mobility in East LA Barrios." Paper presented at the Spotlight on Immigration conference, sponsored by UC Berkeley. March 7<sup>th</sup>. Berkeley, CA.
- 2007 "I am Somebody: Victory Outreach and Mobility in East LA Barrios ." Paper presented at USC's Center for Religion and Civic Engagement's series on "Visualizing Religion." November 9<sup>th</sup>. Los Angeles, CA.
- 2007 "I am Somebody: Victory Outreach and Mobility in East LA Barrios." Paper presented at "Waves, Flows, Streams, Floods: UCLA Graduate Student Conference on Migration," sponsored by UCLA department of sociology. April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Los Angeles, CA.
- 2007 "Genderwise: A Liberal Approach to Second Generation Immigrants in the Inner-City." Paper presented at the Pacific Sociological Association's Annual Conference. Oakland, CA.
- 2007 "Who Receives and Uses College Financial Aid Knowledge?" Co-Presentation at the American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education's annual conference, with Estela Zarate. March 13<sup>th</sup>. Costa Mesa, CA.
- 2003 "The Future State of US- Mexico Economic Interdependency: the role of migrant labor, remittances and educational qualifications." Paper presented at the First Postgraduate Conference for Mexican Studies in the United Kingdom. June 20<sup>th</sup>. Oxford, England.

## XIV. RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2011 Project manager, Population Dynamics Research Group, University of Southern California.
- 2006-09 Research Fellow/ Research Associate, Tomas Rivera Policy Institute, University of Southern California.
- 2005-06 Research Assistant, w/ Professor Amon Emeka.

## XV. CONSULTING

2013 Consultant, Daughters of Charity. Demographic Projections for Los Angeles County, 2011-2021. Demographic profiles for 11 community areas, using American Community Survey (ACS) 2007-11 data. April 2013.

- 2013 Consultant, HOPE Economic Status of Latinas Report. County and state demographic information by age, sex and race. February 2013.
- 2011 Consultant, Daughters of Charity. Demographic profiles for 27 geographic areas, using Census 2000 and American Community Survey (ACS) 2006-08 data. March 2011.
- 2010 Consultant, Kaiser Permanente. "Strategy Maps and Structural Equation Modeling." December 16<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>. Trained administrative staff on the use of the following statistical techniques: linear regression, factor analysis, path analysis, and structural equation modeling.
- 2010 Consultant, St. Francis Medical Center. "Demographic Profile and Population Projection, for years 2015-2020, Service Provider Area (SPA) 6." July-September 2010.
- 2010 Consultant, Daughters of Charity. Demographic profiles for 27 geographic areas, using Census 2000 and American Community Survey (ACS) 2006-08 data. September-November 2010.

# XVI. ACADEMIC REVIEWER EXPERIENCE

National Science Foundation

American Journal of Sociology

Social Problems

Ethnic and Racial Studies

Gender and Society

Sociological Forum

Sociological Spectrum

Ethnography

International Perspectives in Psychology

# **XVII. AFFILIATIONS**

American Sociological Association, Member

Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, Member

Pacific Sociological Association, Member

## XVIII. PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- 2015 Chair of Award Committee for Distinguished Contribution to Research Book Award, Section on Latina/o Sociology, American Sociological Association
- 2014 Graduate Student Committee, University of California Merced
- 2014-17 Treasurer, Section on Latina/o Sociology, American Sociological Association
- Award Committee for Distinguished Contribution to Research Article Award, Section on Latina/o Sociology, American Sociological Association.
- 2012-14 Graduate Student Committee, Loyola University Chicago

## XIX. REFERENCES

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