

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

- Psychological trauma, attachment, and mental health
- Practice and treatment with Latinx populations
- Immigration enforcement strategies and their impact on the mental health and academic outcomes of Latinx children and families
- Migration-related family separation and reunification

EDUCATION

2012	Doctor of Philosophy in Social Work	The University of Texas at Austin Austin, Texas
2004	Master of Science in Social Work	Columbia University New York, New York
1999	Bachelor of Science	Portland State University Portland, Oregon

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2018–present	Associate Professor of Social Work University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work, Houston, TX
2016–present	Research Associate HEALTH (Helping Everyone Achieve a LifeTime of Health) Institute University of Houston, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, Houston, TX
2012–present	Research Associate Center on Immigration and Child Welfare New Mexico State University, School of Social Work, Houston, TX
2012–2018	Assistant Professor of Social Work University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work, Houston, TX
2010–2012	Assistant Instructor The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX
2007–2010	Graduate Research Assistant The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX

RESEARCH

External Funded Research

2022–2027	<p>Co-Investigator (Houston Site PI) Pragmatic RCT of a Multi-Level Mechanistically Informed Community Intervention to Prevent the Onset of Behavioral Health Symptoms among Socioeconomically Disadvantaged Pandemic Affected Children National Institute of Mental Health: R01MH131248 \$2,632,771</p>
2018–2019	<p>Co-Principal Investigator The Mental Health of Adolescents in Latino Immigrant Families During a Period of Heightened Immigration Enforcement Robert Wood Johnson Foundation \$400,000</p>
2017–2018	<p>Co-Investigator The Impact of Central American Child and Family Migration on U.S. Communities Department of Homeland Security \$100,000</p>
2016–2016	<p>Principal Investigator Unaccompanied Latino Immigrant Youth in Houston Schools Communities in Schools, Houston \$24,940</p>
2014–2016	<p>Recipient Cultural Stress and Behavioral Health Disparities in U.S. Latinos National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities Loan Repayment Program \$21,389.74</p>
2014–2015	<p>Principal Investigator Parenting in the Context of Parental Deportation: An Examination of Latino Families in Texas Hogg Foundation for Mental Health \$19,295</p>
2013–2014	<p>Co-Investigator Federal Strategic Action Plan on Services for Victims of Human Trafficking: Enhancing the Health Care System’s Response to Human Trafficking Administration of Children and Families: ACF 13-233-SOL-00767 \$45,050</p>
2012–2012	<p>Principal Investigator Deporting Fathers with Citizen Children: Examining Intent to Re-Migrate among Salvadoran Migrants</p>

University of Texas at Austin, Institute for Urban Policy Research and Analysis
\$7,500

University of Houston, Internal Funded Research

- 2024–2025 **Principal Investigator**
Adapting Confío en Mí, Confío en Ti for Latinx Families in Houston
University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work
\$16,523
- 2019–2021 **Principal Investigator**
Mediational Intervention for Sensitizing Caregivers with Parents and Children Separated by Migration
University of Houston, Division of Research
\$62,000
- 2018–2019 **Co-Investigator**
Understanding Hurricane Response Mental and Physical Health: Consideration of Individual-level and Community-Level Factors
Hurricane Resilience Research Institute
\$75,000
- 2017–2018 **Co-Investigator**
A Computerized Suicide Prevention for Latinos in Primary Care
University of Houston, HEALTH Institute
\$25,000
- 2016–2016 **Principal Investigator**
Trauma, Stress, and Coping Experiences among Unaccompanied Latino Immigrant Children in Texas
Center for Mexican American Studies
\$6,000
- 2012–2013 **Principal Investigator**
Deportation of Parents with Dependent Children: Informal and Formal Caregiving Arrangements
University of Houston
\$6,000

Private

- 2019–2022 **Consultant**
The Physiological & Relational Bases of Persistent Posttraumatic Stress in Latino Immigrant Youth.
National Institute of Minority Health and Health Disparities: R15 MD014302-01
\$406,491

AWARDS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2022 Phi Alpha Honors Society

2020	Society for Social Work and Research Fellow, 2020 Cohort
2020–2023	Society for Social Work and Research Member-at Large, National Board
2017–2018	National Institute on Drug Abuse Diversity Scholars Network Program
2017–2018	Helping Everyone Achieve a LifeTime of Health (HEALTH) Research Center Training Program, University of Houston
2017	Women’s Distinguished Service to Women Award, Pre-Tenure Faculty Category, University of Houston
2016	Humanitarian Award for Excellence in Mental Health, Tahirih Justice Center
2015–2016	Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award. Graduate College of Social Work, University of Houston
2014–2016	National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities Loan Repayment Program, Cultural Stress and Behavioral Health Disparities in U.S. Latinos (\$21,389.74)
2014	Early Career Scholar Travel Award, Society for Prevention Research
2013	Scientific Development Travel Fellowship Award, National Hispanic Science Network
2008–2010	Laughton Endowed Presidential Scholarship, School of Social Work, The University of Texas at Austin
2008	Fragile Families and Child Well-Being Workshop Scholarship, National Institute on Drug Abuse (R13DA26647-05), School of Social Work, Columbia University
2008	Professional Development Scholarship, American Humane Association
2007–2008	Recruitment Mentoring Graduate School Fellowship, Graduate School, The University of Texas at Austin

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Post-Tenure

51. Powell, T., Wetzell, G., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (in press). The dynamic adaptation of the Journey of Hope: A school-based intervention to support pandemic and disaster affected children and youth. *Children in Schools*.
50. Bjugstad, A., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Chen, T.A., Brabeck, K., & Borja, A. (2024). Exploring social and environmental predictors of school engagement among immigrant-origin Latinx youth: A multidimensional approach. *Psychology in the Schools*, 61(4), 1375–1392. <https://doi.org/10.1002/pits.23119>
49. Giraldo-Santiago, N., Bjugstad, A., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Chen, T. A., Brabeck, K., & López, R. M. (2024). Latinx youth’s mental health needs and socioeconomic factors associated with service utilization. *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, 35(1), 341–358.

48. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Brabeck, K., Chen, T. A., Bjugstad, A., Mytelka, C. Capps, R., & Crea, T. (2023). Threat and deprivation as distinct predictors of posttraumatic stress and depression symptoms in first and second generation Latinx youth. *Applied Developmental Science*. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10888691.2023.2251383>
47. Brabeck, K., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Chen, T., Bjugstad, A., Capps, K., Capoverde, E., & Trull, A. (2022). Discrimination and PTSD among Latinx immigrant youth: The moderating effects of gender. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*, *14*(1), 11–19. <https://doi.org/10.1037/tra0001126>
46. Mayorga, N. A., Garey, L., Viana, A., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Schmidt, N. B., & Zvolensky, M. J. (2022). Psychological distress and physical health symptoms in the Latinx population during the COVID-19 pandemic: Exploring the role of anxiety sensitivity. *Cognitive Therapy and Research*, *46*(1), 20–30. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10608-021-10243-3>
45. Barros Lane, L., Brabeck, K., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2022). “Es como que no los conocieras:” The integration of unaccompanied migrant youth in their U.S. families. *Social Work Research*, *46*(1), 5–16. <https://doi.org/10.1093/swr/svab026>
44. Mayorga, N. A., Brooks, J. R., Walker, R. L., Garey, L., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Garza, M., Ochoa-Perez, M., Lemaire, C., Viana, A. G., & Zvolensky, M. J. (2022). Evaluating the role of anxiety sensitivity on behavioral health outcomes among Latinx persons. *Cognitive Therapy and Research*, *46*, 31–42. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10608-021-10239-z>
43. Borjas, S., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Isnardo De la Cruz, P., Perreira, K., Giraldo-Santiago, N., & Jasso Oyervides, M. (2021). Health insurance access among U.S. citizen children in Mexico: National and transborder policy implications. *Health Affairs*, *40*(7), 1066–1074. <https://doi.org/10.1377/hlthaff.2021.00087>
42. Eades, N. D., Kauffman, B. Y., Bakhshaie, J., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Zvolensky, M. J. (2021). Eating expectancies among trauma exposed Latinx college students: The role of mindful attention. *Journal of American College Health*, *71*(3), 790–797. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07448481.2021.1908304>
41. Brabeck, K., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Capaverde, E. (2020). Parental deportation and child wellbeing: A clinical case formulation. *The Practitioner Scholar*, *2*, 23–25.
40. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Brabeck, K., Capps, R., Chen, T., Santiago-Giraldo, N., Huertas, A., & Mayorga, N. A. (2020). Immigration enforcement fear and anxiety in Latinx high school students: The indirect effect of perceived discrimination. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, *68*(5), 961–968. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jadohealth.2020.08.019>
39. Daundasekara, S. S., O’Connor, D. P., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Ledoux, T., & Hernandez, D. C. (2020). Association between generational status and smoking behaviors before and during pregnancy among Hispanic women. *Addictive Behaviors*, *104*, 106310. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.addbeh.2020.106310>
38. Daundasekara, S., O’Connor, D., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Ledoux, T., & Hernandez, D (2020). Risk of excess and inadequate gestational weight gain among Hispanic women: Effects of immigration generational status. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, *17*(18), 6452. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph17186452>

37. Zvolensky, M., Bakhshire, J., Shepherd, J., Mayorga, N., Giraldo-Santiago, N., Peraza, N., Rogers, A., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2020). Acculturative stress, anxiety sensitivity, and smoking among Spanish-speaking Latinx adult smokers. *Substance Use and Misuse, 55*(7), 1086–1096. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10826084.2020.1729195>
36. Szlyk, H., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Barros Lane, L., & Evans, K. (2019). Me perdi en la escuela: Latino newcomer youth in the U.S. school system. *Social Work, 65*(2), 131–139. <https://doi.org/10.1093/sw/swaa001>
35. Zvolensky, M., Bakhshire, J., Shepherd, J., Mayorga, N., Giraldo-Santiago, N., Peraza, N., Rogers, A., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2019). Pain intensity and tobacco smoking among Spanish-speaking Latinx adult smokers. *Addictive Behaviors, 93*, 115–121. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.addbeh.2019.01.036>
34. Gottamorta, K., Cervantes, R. C., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2019). An Examination of subgroup differences on stress: The effect of country/region of origin on the Hispanic Stress Inventory Version 2. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health, 21*, 14–20. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10903-018-0714-9>
33. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Brabeck, K., Stinchomb, D., Heidbrink, L, Acosta Price, O., Gil-Garcia, O., Crea, T., & Zayas, L. (2019). Challenges to integration for unaccompanied children in the post-release U.S. context: A call for research. *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies, 45*(2), 1–20. <https://doi.org/10.1080/1369183X.2017.1404261>
32. **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2018). Running to stand still: Trauma symptoms, coping strategies, and substance use behaviors in unaccompanied migrant youth. *Children and Youth Services Review, 92*, 143–152. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.childyouth.2018.04.018>
31. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Faulkner, M., Scott, J., & Barros Lane, L. (2018). Parenting in the context of deportation risk: A study of undocumented families in Texas. *Journal of Marriage and Family, 80*, 201–316. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jomf.12463>
30. Garcini, L. M., Chen, M., Brown, R., Galvan, T., Saucedo, L., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Fagundes, C. P. (2018). Kicks hurt less: Discrimination predicts distress beyond trauma among undocumented Mexican immigrants. *Psychology of Violence, 8*(6), 692–701. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12671-017-0747-5>
29. Zvolensky, M. J., Jardin, C., Rogers, A., Bakhshaie, J., Mayorga, N. A., Viana, A. G., Walker, R., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Garey, L. (2018). Anxiety sensitivity and acculturative stress among trauma exposed Latinx young adults. *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology, 24*(4), 470–476. <https://doi.org/10.1037/cdp0000208>
28. Bakhshaie, J., Hanna, A. E., Viana, A. G., Garza, M., Valdivieso, J., Ochoa-Perez, M., Lemaire, C., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Rogers, A. H., Mayorga, N. A., Bogiazian, D., & Zvolensky, M. J. (2018). Acculturative stress and mental health among economically disadvantaged Spanish-speaking Latinos in primary care: The role of anxiety sensitivity. *Psychiatry Research, 261*, 421–427. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.psychres.2018.01.009>
27. Mayorga, N. A., Jardin, C., Bakhshaie, J., Garey, L., Viana, A. G., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Zvolensky, M. J. (2018). Emotion regulation and affective symptomology among Latino/a college students. *Journal of Counseling Psychology, 65*(2), 247–258. <https://doi.org/10.1037/cou0000263>

Pre-Tenure

26. Jardin, C., Mayorga, N. A., Bakhshaie, J., Garey, L., Viana, A. G., Sharp, C., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Zvolensky, M. J. (2018). Clarifying the relation of acculturative stress and anxiety/depressive symptoms: The role of anxiety sensitivity among Hispanic college students. *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology, 24*(2), 221–230. <https://doi.org/10.1037/cdp0000175>
25. Crea, T. M., Hasson, R. G., Evans, K., **Cardoso, J. B.**, & Underwood, D. (2018). Moving forward: Educational outcomes for unaccompanied refugee minors (URM) exiting foster care in the United States (2018). *Journal of Refugee Studies, 31*(2), 240–256. <https://doi.org/10.1093/jrs/fex020>
24. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Sklyk, H., Goldbach, J., Swank, P., & Zvolensky, M. (2018). General and ethnic biased bullying among Latino students: Exploring risks of depression, suicidal ideation and substance use. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health, 20*(4), 816–822. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10903-017-0593-5>
23. Zvolensky, M. J., Paulus, D. J., Bakhshaie, J., Viana, A. G., Reitzel, L. R., Garza, M., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Ochoa-Perez, M., Smith, L., Lemaire, C., Manning, K., & Rogers, A. (2018). Subjective social status and mindful attention in terms of anxiety and depressive symptoms and disorders among Latinos in primary care. *Mindfulness, 9*(1), 88–97.
22. Paulus, D. J., Viana, A. G., Ditre, J. W., Bakhshaie, J., Garza, M., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Valdivieso, J., Ochoa-Perez, M., Lemaire, C., & Zvolensky, M. J. (2017). Synergistic effects of pain and alcohol use in relation to depressive and anxiety symptoms among Latinos in primary care. *Cognitive Behaviour Therapy, 46*(6), 478–492. <https://doi.org/10.1080/16506073.2017.1336185>
21. Zvolensky, M. J., Paulus, D. J., Bakhshaie, J., Viana, A. G., Garza, M., Manning, K., Rogers, A. H., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Reitzel, L. R., Valdivieso, J., Ochoa-Perez, M., & Lemaire, C. (2017). Subjective social status and anxiety and depressive symptoms and disorders among low income Latinos in primary care: The role of emotion dysregulation. *Cognitive Therapy and Research, 41*, 686–699. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10608-017-9844-y>
20. Viana, A. G., Paulus, D. J., Bakhshaie, J., Garza, M., Valdivieso, J., Ochoa-Perez, M., Lemaire, C., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Zvolensky, M. J. (2017). Emotional nonacceptance within the context of traumatic event exposure: The explanatory role of anxiety sensitivity for traumatic stress symptoms and disability among Latinos in primary care settings. *General Hospital Psychiatry, 44*, 30–37. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.genhosppsych.2016.10.007>
19. Viana, A. G., Paulus, D. J., Garza, M., Lemaire, C., Bakhshaie, J., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Ochoa-Perez, M., Valdivieso, J., & Zvolensky, M. J. (2017). Rumination and PTSD symptoms among trauma-exposed Latinos in primary care: Is mindful attention helpful? *Psychiatric Research, 258*, 244–249. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.psychres.2017.08.042>
18. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Ren, Y., Swank, P., Sanchez, M., & de la Rosa, M. (2016). Pre- to post-immigration sexual risk behavior and alcohol use among recent Latino immigrants in Miami. *Culture, Health & Sexuality, 18*(10), 1107–1121. <https://doi.org/10.1080/13691058.2016.1155751>

17. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Hamilton, E. R., Rodriguez, N., Eschbach, K., & Hagan, J. M (2016). Deporting fathers: Involuntary transnational families and intent to re-migrate among Salvadoran deportees. *International Migration Review*, *50*(1), 197–230. <https://doi.org/10.1111/imre.12106>
16. Finno-Velasquez, M., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Dettlaff, A. J., & Hurlburt, M. (2016). Effects of parent nativity and immigration status on mental health service use among Latino children investigated by child welfare. *Psychiatric Services*, *67*(2), 192–198. <https://doi.org/10.1176/appi.ps.201400444>
15. Narendorf, S. C., Small, E., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Wagner, R. (2016). Managing and mentoring: Experiences of assistant professors in working with research assistants. *Social Work Research*, *40*(1), 19–30. <https://doi.org/10.1093/swr/svv037>
14. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Goldbach, J. T., Cervantes, R. C., & Swank, P. R. (2016). Stress and multiple substance use behaviors among Hispanic adolescents. *Prevention Science*, *17*, 208–217. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11121-015-0603-6>
13. Goldbach, J. T., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Cervantes, R., & Duan, L. (2015). Cultural stress and alcohol problem behavior in Latino adolescents. *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors*, *29*(4), 960–968. <https://doi.org/10.1037/adb0000133>
12. Cano, M. A., de Dios, M. A., Castro, Y., Vaughan, E. L., Castillo, L. G., Lorenzo-Blanco, E. I., Piña-Watson, B., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Ojeda, L., Cruz, R. A., Correa-Fernandez, V., Ibañez, G., Auf, R., & Molleda, L. M. (2015). Alcohol use severity and depressive symptoms among late adolescent Hispanics: Testing associations of acculturation and enculturation in a bicultural transaction model. *Addictive Behaviors*, *49*, 78–82. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.addbeh.2015.06.002>
11. Cervantes, R., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Goldbach, J. (2015). Examining differences in culturally based stress among clinical and non-clinical Hispanic adolescents. *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*, *21*(3), 458–467. <https://doi.org/10.1037/cdp0000075>
10. Scott, J., Faulkner, M., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Burstain, J. (2014). Kinship care and undocumented Latino children in the Texas foster care system: Navigating the child welfare-immigration crossroads. *Child Welfare*, *93*(4), 54–56.
9. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Dettlaff, A. J., Finno, M., Scott, J., & Faulkner, M. (2014). Citizenship and immigrant status among Latinos involved in the child welfare system: Characteristics, risk and maltreatment. *Children and Youth Services Review*, *44*, 189–200. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.childyouth.2014.06.008>
8. von Sternberg, K., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Jun, J., Learman, J., & Velasquez, M. (2012). An examination of the pathways leading to sexually transmitted infections among survivors of sexual violence. *Women's Health Issues*, *22*(3), 283–292. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.whi.2012.01.004>
7. Thompson, S., Bender, K., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Flynn, P. M. (2011). Experiential activities in family therapy: Perceptions of caregivers and youth. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, *20*(5), 560–568. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10826-010-9428-x>

6. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Thompson, S. (2010). Common themes of resilience among Latino immigrant families: A systematic review of the literature. *Families in Society*, *91*(3), 257–265. <https://doi.org/10.1606/1044-3894.4003>.
5. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Padilla, Y., & Sampson, M. (2010). Racial and ethnic variation in predictors of maternal parenting stress. *Social Service Research*, *36*(5), 429–444. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01488376.2010.510948>
4. Dettlaff, A., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2010). Mental health need and service use among Latino children of immigrants in the child welfare system. *Children and Youth Services Review*, *32*(10), 1373–1379. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01488376.2010.510948>
3. Faulkner, M., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2010). Mexican American youth: The impact of generation and gender on outcomes in young adulthood. *Journal of Immigrant and Refugee Studies*, *8*(3), 301–315. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15562948.2010.501283>
2. Fong, R., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2010). Child human trafficking victims: Challenges for the child welfare system. *Journal of Evaluation and Program Planning*, *33*(3), 311–316. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.evalprogplan.2009.06.018>
1. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Gomez, R., & Padilla, Y. (2009). What happens when family resources are across international boundaries. An exploratory study on kinship care placement with Mexican immigrant families. *Child Welfare*, *88*(6), 67–84.

Under Review

2. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Bjugstad, A., Hernandez Ortiz, J., Mohr-Avita, G., Hernandez, N., Perez Portillo, A. G., Brabeck, K., Borelli, J., & Sharp, C. “Una Moneda de Dos Caras:” Immigrant mothers’ and youth’s separations and reunifications. *Journal of Trauma and Loss*.
1. Bjugstad, A., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Borja, S., Fan, W., & Creswell Baez, J. Opportunity structures and the development of social, emotional, and behavioral (SEB) skills in an international context. *Educational Research*.

Book Chapters

Post-Tenure

7. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Brabeck, K., Bjugstad, A., Hernandez Ortiz, J., Prospero, N., Venta, A., & Sharp, C. (2022). Migrant mothers’ and youths’ perceptions of family separation and reunification. In S. Glick, V. King, & S. McHale (Ed.), *Causes and consequences of part-child separations: Pathways to resilience* (pp. 55–84). Springer.
6. Venta, A., Brabeck, K., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Bjugstad, A., Ortiz, J., Prospero, N., & Sharp, C. (2021). MISC applied to families reunited after migration-related separation. In C. Sharp & L. Marais (Eds.), *Growing up resilient: The Mediation Intervention for Sensitizing Caregivers (MISC)* (pp. 167-180). Routledge.
5. Hasson, R., III, **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Crea, T. (2019). Unaccompanied refugee minors and migrant youth policy and practices in the United States. In C. Franklin (Ed.), *Oxford research encyclopedia of social work*. Oxford University Press. <https://doi.org/10.1093/acrefore/9780199975839.013.1296>

4. Calzada, E. J., Gulbas, L., Haussman-Stabile, C., Kim, S. Y., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2019). Mental health issues within Latino populations: Evaluating the state of the field. In S. Rhodes (Ed.), *New and emerging issues in Latinx health* (pp. 45–62). Springer.

Pre-Tenure

3. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Barros Lane, L. (2016). Practice with immigrant and refugee children and families in the mental health system. In A. J. Detlaff & R. Fong (Eds.), *Immigrant and refugee children and families: Culturally responsive practice*. Columbia University Press.
2. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Faulkner, M., & Thompson, S. J. (2011). Health of Latino children of immigrants: issues from birth through adolescence. In L. Berhardt (Ed.). *Advances in medicine and biology* (pp. 205–222). Nova Science.
1. Gomez, R., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Thompson, S. (2009). Kinship care with Hispanic children: Barriers and obstacles to policy and practice implementations. In S. J. Quintero (Ed.), *Child welfare issues and perspectives* (pp. 1–16). Nova Science.

PEER-REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS AND POSTERS

International Conferences

9. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Bjugstad, A., Hernandez-Ortiz, J., Mohr-Avila, G., & Hernandez, A. (2024, September). *Trauma and migration related separations among unaccompanied minors and their mothers: Implications for intervention research* [Paper presentation]. International Society for the Study of Traumatic Stress, Boston, MA.
8. Bjugstad, A., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Borja, S., Fan, W., & Báez, J. C. (2024, April). *Opportunity structures and social, emotional, and behavioral (SEB) skills in an international context* [Oral]. Joint World Conference on Social Work, Education, and Social Development, Panama City, Panama.
7. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Bjugstad, A. (2023, May). *Care or Control? Reexamining the immigration system in place for youth and children* [Webinar]. Center on Migration at the University of South Carolina.
6. Gattamorta, K., Cervantes, R. C., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2016, June). *An examination of subgroup differences on stress: The effect of country/region of origin on the Hispanic Stress Inventory Version 2* [Poster]. National Hispanic Science Network on Drug Abuse, Palm Springs, CA.
5. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Scott, J., & Faulkner M. (2014, December). *Deportation, traumatic stress and depression in undocumented parents in Texas* [Poster]. Transdisciplinary Collaborations: Evolving Dimensions of US and Global Health Equity, Minority Health and Health Disparities Grantees' Conference, National Harbor, MD.
4. Cervantes, R., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Goldbach, J. (2013, October). *Differences in cultural stress and depression in clinical and non-clinical samples of Hispanic adolescents* [Paper]. National Hispanic Science Network on Drug Abuse, Bethesda, MD.
3. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Cervantes, R. (2013, October). *Cultural stress and BMI in Hispanic adults in Los Angeles* [Paper]. National Hispanic Science Network on Drug Abuse, Bethesda, MD.

2. Learman, J., Jun, J., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2011, September). *Examining the path between sexual violence and sexually transmitted infections* [Paper]. International Conference on Violence, Abuse, and Trauma: Linking Research, Policy and Practice, San Diego, CA.
1. **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2009, November). *U.S. citizen children left behind: Endgame policies and parental deportation* [Paper]. Migration in an Era of Restriction Conference, Austin, TX.

National Conferences

48. O'Connell, D., Cuervo, M., Walker, J., Hernandez Ortiz, J., Sharp, C., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Bjugstad, A., & Venta, A. (2024). *Mental health service utilization among Central American migrant families* [Symposium]. Annual Conference of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, PA.
47. Bjugstad, A., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Brabeck, K. (2023, January). *Salir Adelante: Transgenerational transmission of trauma and resilience in migrant families from Central America* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, Phoenix, AZ.
46. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Bjugstad, A., Brabeck, K., Chen, T., Mytelka, C., & Crea, T. (2022, January). *Threat and deprivation as distinct predictors of posttraumatic stress and depression symptoms in first and second generation Latinx youth* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research 26th Annual Conference, Washington, DC.
45. Giraldo Santiago, N., Bjugstad, A., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Chen, T., & Brabeck, K. (2022, January). *Predictors of mental health service utilization among Latino high school students and the moderating role of school location* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research 26th Annual Conference, Washington, DC.
44. Bjugstad, A., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Brabeck, K. (2021, October). *“And they left us behind”: Experiences of multiple losses among immigrant youth* [Paper]. Council on Social Work Education, Tampa, FL.
43. Bjugstad, A., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Brabeck, K., & Capps, R. (2021, January). *Environmental predictors of school engagement among first and second-generation Latinx youth* [Poster]. Society for Social Work and Research.
42. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Bjugstad, A., Mytelka, C., Brabeck, K., Capps, R., & Chen, T. (2021, January). *Immigration enforcement fear and posttraumatic stress disorder in first and second generation Latinx youth* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research.
41. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Brabeck, K. (2020, October). *“Una monera de dos caras”: Central American and Mexican immigrant mothers and youth’s experiences of separation and reunification* [Symposium]. Pennsylvania State University National Symposium on Family Issues, University Park, PA.
40. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Barros Lane, L., Faulkner, M., & Scott, J. (2020, January). *Preventing family separation: Child custody and family deportation planning with undocumented Latinx families* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
39. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Borjas, S. (2020, January). *Emerging health disparities and economic inequality among U.S. citizen minors in Mexico* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
38. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Stinchcomb, D., Hershberg, E., & Stefler, A. (2019, January). *The*

- integration of Central American youth in the U.S. education system* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, San Francisco, CA.
37. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Barros Lane, L. (2018, January). *Running to stand still: Trauma, stress and substance use among unaccompanied migrant youth* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
36. Szlyk, H., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Barros Lane, L. (2018, January). *Me perdia en la escuela: Latino newcomer youth in the U.S. school system* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
35. Finno-Velasquez, M., Dettlaff, A., Zayas, L., Johnson Motoyama, M., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Roth, B. (2018, January). *Advancing the welfare of immigrant children in the U.S.* [Panel]. Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
34. Barros Lane, L., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2018, January). *The experiences of reintegration into the family of origin of unaccompanied migrant youth in Texas* [Poster]. Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
33. Cook Heffron, L., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Faulkner, M., Hernandez, A., & Guerrero, M. (2017, October). *Forensic models for student and faculty engagement in assistant migrants seeking asylum* [Paper]. Council on Social Work Education, Dallas, TX.
32. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Szlyk, H., Goldbach, J., Swank, P., & Zvolensky, M. (2017, January). *Exploring risks of depression, suicidal ideation, and substance use in a new immigrant destination city* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA.
31. Barros Lane, L., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Scott, J., & Faulkner, M. (2017, January). *Burden of the secret: A study of undocumented families in Texas* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA.
30. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Narendorf, S. C., & Santa Maria, D. (2016, January). *Trauma profiles as a predictor of adverse outcomes in homeless young adults* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
29. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Scott, J., Faulkner, M., Alvarez, S., & Barros Lane, L. (2015, January). *Parenting in the context of deportation: A study of undocumented families in Texas* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA.
28. Faulkner, M., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Scott, J. (2015, January). *Navigating parenthood without documentation: An exploratory study of deportation planning among undocumented Latino parents* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA.
27. Scott, J., Faulkner, M., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Barros Lane, L. (2015, January). *Survival in the shadow of the state: The work lives and economic practices of undocumented Latino families in Texas* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA.
26. Finno-Velasquez, M., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Dettlaff, A., & Hulburt, M. (2015, January). *Parent nativity and legal immigration status: A national survey of barriers to mental health service use among Latino children with child welfare involvement* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA.
25. Narendorf, S., Small, E., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Wagner, R. (2015, January). *Management and mentoring: Experiences of assistant professors in working with research assistants*

- [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA.
24. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Randle Hamilton, E., Eschbach, K., & Hagan, J. (2014, August). *Deporting fathers: Involuntary transnational families and intent to re-migrate among Salvadoran deportees* [Poster]. American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA.
 23. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Goldbach, J. T., Cervantes, R., & Swank, P. (2014, May). *Cultural stress and multiple risk outcomes in Hispanic adolescents* [Paper]. Society for Prevention Research, Washington, DC.
 22. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Dettlaff, A., Finno, M., & Scott, J. (2014, May). *Citizenship & immigration status among Latinos in the child welfare system: Characteristics, risks, and maltreatment* [Paper]. National Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect, New Orleans, LA.
 21. Cano, M. A., de Dios, M. A., Castillo, L. G., Castro, Y., Vaughan, E. L., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2014, May). *Alcohol use severity and depressive symptoms among late adolescent Hispanics: Testing the effects of acculturation and enculturation in a bicultural transaction model* [Poster]. American Psychiatric Association, New York, NY.
 20. **Berger, Cardoso, J.**, Goldbach, J., & Cervantes, R. (2014, January). *Examining the influence of cultural stressors on depression in Hispanic adolescents* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, San Antonio, TX
 19. Scott, J., Faulkner, M., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2014, January). *Kinship care and undocumented Latino children in the Texas foster care system* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, San Antonio, TX.
 18. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Narendorf, S., Small, E., & Goldbach, J. (2013, October). *Using research assistants to support research and teaching: Discussions for new faculty members* [Paper]. Council on Social Work Education, Dallas, TX.
 17. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Cervantes, R., Hess, K., & Fisher, D. (2013, March). *Correlates of cultural stress and obesity in Hispanic adults* [Workshop]. Society for Behavioral Medicine, San Francisco, CA.
 16. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Hamilton, E., Padilla, Y., & Hummer, R. (2012, January). *Assimilation and emerging health disparities among new generations of U.S. children* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
 15. Padilla, Y., Hamilton, E., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Hummer, R. (2011, November). *Health conditions in children of Latino immigrants: Does the epidemiological paradox extend beyond birth outcomes?* [Paper]. American Public Health Association, Washington, DC.
 14. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Jun, J., & Learman, J. (2011, October). *Multiple partners: Mediating the pathways between sexual violence and sexually transmitted infections* [Paper]. Council on Social Work Education. Atlanta, GA.
 13. Hamilton, E., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2011, March). *Is the immigrant health advantage apparent in childhood? Immigrant generation, race and ethnicity, and child health across the early life-course* [Poster] Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
 12. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Scott, J., Rodriguez, N., Hagan, J., & Eschbach, K. (2011, January). *U.S. citizen children left behind: Endgame policies, parental deportation and re-migration*

patterns [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, Tampa, FL.

11. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Gomez, R., & Dettlaff, A. (2010, October). *La familia: Utilizing family resources among Latino immigrant families in child welfare* [Paper]. Council on Social Work Education, Portland, OR.
10. Dettlaff, A., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2010, January). *Latino children of immigrants in the child welfare system: Mental health need and service use* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, San Francisco, CA.
9. Barczyk, A., Gomez, R., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Thompson, S. (2010, January). *Homeless, street-involved emerging adults: Attitudes towards substance use* [Paper]. Society for Social Work and Research, San Francisco, CA.
8. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Gomez, R., & Padilla, Y. (2009, November). *International kinship placement of children in Mexican immigrant families in child welfare* [Paper]. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, San Antonio, TX.
7. Gomez, R., **Berger Cardoso, J.**, & Davis, K. (2009, November). *An analysis of kinship care policies: Implications for Latino immigrant families* [Paper]. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, San Antonio, TX.
6. Learman, J., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2009, November). *Resiliency among Latino immigrant families: Implications for social work education* [Paper]. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, San Antonio, TX.
5. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Gomez, R., & Padilla, Y. (2009, August). *What happens when family resources are across the border? An exploratory study on kinship placement within Mexican immigrant families in South Texas* [Paper]. Society for the Study of Social Problems, San Francisco, CA.
4. Fong, R., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2009, August). *Child human trafficking victims: Challenges for the child welfare system* [Paper]. Society for the Study of Social Problems, San Francisco, CA.
3. **Berger Cardoso, J.**, Sampson, M., & Padilla, Y. (2009, August). *Determinants of maternal stress: A racial and ethnic comparison* [Paper]. American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA.
2. Fong, R., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2008, August). *Victims of human trafficking and unaccompanied minors: Dealing with issues of culturally competent practice and services* [Paper]. Society for the Study of Social Problems, Boston, MA.
1. Aguilar, J., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2008, July). *The immigrant family: The impact of current immigration policies and practices on U.S. citizen children* [Paper]. Society for the Study of Social Problems, Boston, MA.

SELECTED INVITED PRESENTATIONS

National and International

9. *Social work practice and research to advance human rights in detention centers.* (2023, January). Society for Social Work and Research, Phoenix, AZ.

8. *Mental health needs and challenges at the U.S.-Mexico border*. (2019, July). Harvard Global Health Institute, Cambridge, MA.
7. *Entre la espada y la pared*. (June 2019). Pompeu Fabra, Interdisciplinary Research Group on Immigration, Barcelona, Spain.
6. *Approaching migrant communities from trauma-informed yet strengths-based approaches*. (2019, April). Boston College Global Migration Conference: Inclusion and Exclusion. Boston, MA.
5. *Tras las rejas: Historias de refugio, reunificación, e integración* [Keynote]. (2018, October). Third Annual Binational Social Work Conference on Migration, Monterrey, Mexico.
4. *Trauma and substance use in unaccompanied migrant youth in Texas*. (2017, May). National Hispanic and Latino Addiction Technology Center Network, Houston, TX.
3. *The impact of migration on the mental health needs of unaccompanied children in Texas*. (2016, March). Community Reliance: Evolving Perspectives and Approaches to Migration, American Red Cross, Washington, DC.
2. *The impact of migration, trauma, and integration on the mental health of immigrant children from the Northern Triangle*. (2015, April). Unaccompanied Child and Family Migration: Strategies and Solutions for U.S. and the Region, Migration Policy Institute, Washington, DC.
1. *How to integrate leadership opportunities into your doctoral education*. (2013, October). Council on Social Work Education, Dallas, TX.

Community

6. *Trauma informed care integration and the social determinants of health*. (2019, April). Texas Association of Community Health Centers, Austin, TX.
5. *Trauma, stress and coping among unaccompanied migrant youth in Texas*. (2016, October). University of Houston Center for Mexican American Studies.
4. *A trauma-informed school for refugee and immigrant newcomers*. (2016, October). Educator Strategies for Addressing Student Trauma, Center for School Behavioral Health, Mental Health American of Greater Houston, Houston, TX.
3. *Psychological trauma as it relates to families and children in asylum cases*. (2016, April) Joseph A. Vail Asylum Law Workshop, University of Houston Law Center Immigration Clinic, Houston, TX.
2. *Migration and child welfare: Understanding the intersection between systems*. (2014, October). Engaging Biological Parents and Families, The University of Texas, Austin, TX.
1. *Mental health challenges associated with trauma for youth aging out of the foster care system*. (2013, June). Texas Reach Conference, Houston, TX.

PUBLIC IMPACT

Media Coverage

13. **Berger Cardoso, J.** & Bjugstad, A. (2024, May 9). This is home: Research and practice with

immigrant children and families. *The Action Research Podcast*, University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work.

<https://open.spotify.com/show/1MByGWD53URXiSxWnW5RNr?si=503a4b9ed52d4450&nd=1&dlsi=fef062497abb40a6>

12. Trauma and migrant separation lingers long after reunification. (2022, May 16). *Telemundo*.
11. Luhn, B. (2022, May 16). Trauma and migrant separation lingers long after reunification. *UH News*. <https://uh.edu/news-events/stories/2022-news-articles/may-2022/05162022-migrant-reunification.php>
10. Bridge UM. (2021, March). *Escuchame: Voices of unaccompanied immigrant children*. <https://www.bbhouston.org>
9. Kella, S. (2021, March 19). From the border into foster care. *Harvard Political Review*. <https://harvardpolitics.com/from-the-border-into-foster-care>
8. Mas, C. (2019, May 23). Criatures mortes sota custodia de la policia de la frontera dels EUA. *Ara*. https://www.ara.cat/internacional/infants-migrants-morts-custodia-policia-frontera-EUA_0_2239576034.html
7. Loria, K. (2018, June 20). Separating kids from parents at the border mirrors a ‘textbook strategy’ of domestic abuse, experts say—and it causes irreversible, lifelong damage. *Business Insider*. <https://www.businessinsider.com/psychological-effects-of-separating-immigrant-kids-and-parents-2018-6>
6. Turnham, S. (2018, June 18). Experts say the psychological impact of family separation on par with abuse. *ABC News*. <https://abcnews.go.com/Politics/experts-psychological-impact-family-separation-par-abuse/story?id=55981817>
5. Wan, W. (2018, June 18). What separation from parents does to children: The effect is catastrophic. *Washington Post*. https://www.washingtonpost.com/national/health-science/what-separation-from-parents-does-to-children-the-effect-is-catastrophic/2018/06/18/c00c30ec-732c-11e8-805c-4b67019fcfe4_story.html
4. Morris, A. (2018, June 9). Texas has found 150 health violations at migrant children shelters. *San Antonio Express*. <https://www.expressnews.com/news/local/politics/article/Texas-has-found-150-health-violations-at-migrant-12979471.php>
3. Lind, D. (2015, March 25). What happens when deportation separates parents from their kids? *Vox*. <https://www.vox.com/2014/7/9/5880447/deportation-parents-children-families-return-deterrence-work>
2. Hamilton, E., & **Berger Cardoso, J.** (2014, November 17). A strong case for executive action. *Houston Chronicle*. <https://m.chron.com/opinion/outlook/article/A-strong-case-for-executive-action-5899388.php>
1. Barajas, E. (2014, May 19). *Viva Houston: Mental illness in the Hispanic community*. <https://abc13.com/society/viva-segment-1-may-18-2014/66852/>

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: TEACHING

MSW Courses: University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work

- Foundation Research (SOC 6305)
- Child Abuse and Neglect (SOCW7303)
- Social Work Practice Skills Lab (SOCW6306)
- Clinical Applications of the DSM 5 Face-to-Face & Online (SOCW7324)
- Confronting Oppression and Injustice (SOCW7301)
- Clinical Social Work Practice with Latinos (SOCW 7316)

PhD Courses: University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work

- Research Internship (SOCW 8336)

Undergraduate Courses: University of Texas at Austin, School of Social Work

- Social Work with Individuals and Families

STUDENT MENTORSHIP

Dissertations and Qualifying Exams

- Albert Cabrera. *Exploring mental health stigma and obsessive compulsive disorder subtypes in U.S. Latino Communities*. Graduate College of Social Work. Committee Member.
- Jessica G. Hernandez Ortiz. *Dimensions of adversity and psychopathology in immigrant Latinx youth. Examining the role of interpretation bias*. College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Department of Clinical Psychology. Committee Member.
- Karina Silva. *Acculturative stress and anxiety symptoms among Latinx children: The role of childhood anxiety sensitivity and parental emotion socialization practices*. College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Department of Clinical Psychology. Committee Member.
- Marshall Motsenbocker. *Family intactness and psychological distress among undocumented Mexican immigrants: A latent class analysis from Protecto Voces*. Consulting Psychology. Committee Member. April 2024.
- Nubia Angelica Mayorga. *The role of momentary experiential avoidance in the relation between daily ethnic discrimination and hazardous drinking outcomes in clinically anxious Latinx adults*. Clinical Psychology. Committee Member. April 2024.
- Erika Trent. *Adversity and childhood anxiety: Identifying parental and affective mechanisms*. College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Department of Clinical Psychology. committee Member. August 2023.
- Arlene Bjugstad. *Institutional and environmental predictors of social, emotional, and behavioral skills among minoritized youth: An international perspective*. Graduate College of Social Work. Dissertation Chair. June 2023.
- Elizabeth Raines. *Childhood anxiety: The contributions of effortful control, interpretation*

- bias, and early life stress*. Department of Psychology. Committee Member. April 2023.
- Jenny Siegal. *Examining depression and social and emotional development outcomes in parents and children in migrant and seasonable farmworker families*. University of Maryland, School of Social Work. Committee Member. April 2022.
 - Abigail Candelari. *Single-session computer delivered intervention for parental accommodation and over-controlling behaviors: A pilot study*. Department of Psychology, Clinical Psychology. Committee Member. May 2020.
 - Flor Aveñeda. *Immigration, health, and intimate partner violence in the U.S. and Mexico: A binational study*. Graduate College of Social Work. Committee Member. April 2020.
 - Saumali Daundaskara. *Effects of immigration status and maternal health behaviors on gestational weight gain and adherence to Institute of Medicine gestational weight gain recommendations*. University of Houston, Health and Human Performance. Committee Member. April 2018.
 - Liza Barros Lane. *Banked on the American dream: A quantitative study of determinants of Latino immigrants' bank account use*. University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work. Committee Member. March 2018.
 - Erica Soltero. *Documenting and comparing food policies and their relationship with food resources in U.S. and Mexico school neighborhoods*. University of Houston, Department of Health and Human Performance. Committee Member. March 2016.
 - Liza Barros Lane. *Where should I keep my money? A qualitative study of Latino immigrants' financial decisions regarding financial services and institutions*. Qualifying Paper. University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work. Committee Member. December 2015.
 - Katie Garner. *Modeling the effects of social support visibility on psychological well-being: A socio-cultural perspective*. University of Houston, Department of Social Psychology. Committee Member. July 2015.
 - Kathleen Forman. *Behavioral health risk management within warrior transition command using a clinical decision support system*. University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work. Qualifying paper. Committee Member. May 2014.

Independent Studies, Research Internships, and Teaching Internships

PhD Students

- Liza Barros Lane, Independent Study (Fall 2016)
- Shu Zhou, Teaching Internship (Spring 2016)
- Liza Barros Lane, Research Internship (Spring 2015)
- Liza Barros Lane, Research Internship (Summer 2014)
- Yi Ren, Research Internship (Spring 2014)
- Liza Barros Lane, Research Internship (Summer 2014)

- Liza Barros Lane, Research Internship (Fall 2013)

Master's Students

- Natasha Prosperi, Independent Study (Spring 2020)
- Elena Petre, Independent Study (Fall 2019)
- Elsa Mendoza, Independent Study (Summer 2017)
- Andrea Elizondo, Independent Study (Summer 2016)
- Claire Crawford, Independent Study (Fall 2015–Spring 2016)
- Andrea Elizondo, Center for Mexican American Studies Fellow (Fall 2015–Spring 2016)
- Carla Luciana Yaber, Independent Study (Summer 2015)

Lydia Mendoza Fellowship Mentor, Center for Mexican American and Latino/a Studies (2024–Present)

- Mentor MSW student, providing mentorship to first-generation college Latina students

Hogg Foundation for Mental Health Bilingual Scholar Program Supervisor (2013–2014)

- Supervised bilingual students in field, provided mentorship and individual monthly supervision
- Amended curriculum for Social Work Practice with Latinos specialization

SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

Social Work Profession

2024	Conference Moderator, International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies Session: Youth (September 26, 2024), Boston, MA
2021	Member, National Science Foundation, Decision, Risk and Management Services Division, Social and Economic Sciences, Washington, DC
2020–2023	Director, Society for Social Work and Research, Board of Directors
2018–2023	Abstract Reviewer, Society for Social Work and Research
2018–2022	Member, <i>Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology</i> , Editorial Board
2014–2017	Consulting Editor, <i>Social Work Research</i>

Local Houston Community

2018–2023	Evaluator and Mentor, Houston Immigration Services Collaborative, Mental Health Evaluator and Mentorship Program
2016	Member, Houston Immigration Task Force, Mayor Turner's Office, Houston, TX
2014–present	Member, Steering Committee for the Central American Minors Workgroup, Houston, TX

University of Houston, Graduate College of Social Work

2024	Search Committee, Research office
2024	Grievance Committee
2023–2024	Faculty and Staff Awards Committee
2023	Recruitment and Retention of Latinx Faculty
2019–present	Clinical Curriculum Committee
2019–2020	Chair, Public Impact Committee
2018–2022	Tenure and Promotion Committee
2017	College Mentoring Program Work Group
2016–2018	Grant Evaluator, Center for Immigration Research
2015–2019	PhD Committee
2014–2015	Faculty Sponsor, Alliance (LGBTQIA Student Organization)
2014–2015	Faculty Search Committee
2014	Student Support Services Search Committee
2013–2018	Latino Specialization Workgroup
2013–2015	Coordinator, Foundations Practice Lab
2013–2015	Foundations Committee
2013	Merit Work Group
2012–2013	Evaluation Committee

University of Houston

2024–present	Faculty Senate, Research and Scholarship Committee
2024	Faculty Representative, Carnegie Elective Classification in Community Engagement Workgroup

MANUSCRIPT REVIEWER

- *Child and Adolescent Mental Health*
- *Pediatrics*
- *Journal of Latino/a Psychology*
- *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*
- *International Journal of Intercultural Relations*
- *Population Research and Policy Review*
- *American Journal of Public Health Journal*
- *Family Psychology*

- *Children and Youth Services Review*
- *Child Maltreatment*
- *Journal of Immigrant and Refugee Studies*
- *Public Child Welfare Journal*

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND LICENSURE

2013–2018	Member, Council on Social Work Education
2013–2018	Member, National Hispanic Science Network
2010–present	Member, Society for Social Work and Research
2007–present	Licensed Clinical Social Worker, Texas
2004–2006	Licensed Master Social Worker, Texas (#39897)

CLINICAL SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE

2016–2019	Project Evaluator YMCA International, Houston Police Department & Department of Justice, Houston, TX Conducted a process and outcome evaluation for a grant funded by the Department of Justice, including the management of service and law enforcement data
2015–present	Private Practitioner Girasol Healing and Therapy Conduct mental health evaluations for individuals seeking immigration relief; conduct individual and family therapy
2014–2016	Program Evaluator YMCA International & Department of Justice, Houston, TX Conducted a process and outcome evaluation for a grant funded by the Department of Justice, including the management of service and law enforcement data
2006–2007	Behavioral Health Specialist Houston Council on Alcohol and Drugs & Baylor Psychiatry, Houston, TX Conducted individual and family therapy with a focus on trauma in children, provided services at an outpatient pediatric clinic on a school campus
2005–2006	Bilingual Social Worker Family Services of Greater Houston, Houston, TX Provided individual, family, and couples therapy with individuals seeking psychotherapy, mostly monolingual Spanish-speaking clients
2004–2005	Bilingual Psychotherapist Community Family Center, Houston, TX

Provided individual and family therapy in an outpatient mental health clinic and school-based psychotherapy to at-risk children identified by school counselors in elementary and middle schools in the East End neighborhood in Houston

2002–2003

Bilingual Social Work Intern

Columbia University School of Social Work & Morris High School
Special Education Department, Bronx, NY

Provided individual counseling to students identified by their individual education plan as having emotional challenges that impede learning

1999–2002

U.S. Peace Corps Volunteer

Youth & Families At-Risk Program, Santo Domingo, Ecuador

Developed and fundraised for the construction of a nonformal education center in local community