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Education

- 12/98 **Ph.D., Demography and Sociology**, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.
- 05/95 **African Studies Certificate**, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.
- 05/94 **M.A., Demography**, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.
- 05/88 **B.A., Political Science**, Barnard College, Columbia University, New York, NY.

Positions

- 09/06 – present **Assistant Professor**, Department of African-American Studies, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 09/06 – present **Faculty Associate**, Maryland Population Research Center, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 12/06 – present **Faculty Affiliate**, Department of Sociology, University of Maryland, College Park, MD.
- 01/02 - present **Research Associate**, Population Aging Center, University of Colorado, Boulder
- 06/06 - present **Honorary Senior Lecturer**, Health and Population Division, School of Public Health, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 09/05 – 06/06 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Sociology and African Diaspora Studies, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
- 09/04 - 06/05 **Bell Fellow**, Harvard Center for Population and Development Studies, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
- 01/01 - 04/04 **Senior Lecturer (Assistant Prof)**, Department of Sociology, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 01/00 - 12/00 **Adjunct Assistant Professor**, Department of Anthropology, Brown University, Providence, RI
- 01/99 - 12/00 **Mellon Post-Doctoral Fellow** in Anthropological Demography, Department of Anthropology, Brown University, Providence, RI

Awards, Honors and Grants

08/08-08/10 National Institutes of Health (R21) – “Measuring Social Connection and Children’s Well-Being Using Multiple Data Sources” (co-Principal Investigator)

07/07-07/12 National Institutes of Health (R24) – “Partnership for Social Science AIDS Research in South Africa’s Era of ART Rollout”(Investigator)

09/07 – 05/08 Seed Grant, Maryland Population Research Center, University of Maryland, College Park.

06/07 - 08/07 Seed Grant for Qualitative Research, Consortium for Gender, Race and Ethnicity, University of Maryland, College Park.

01/05-01/07 National Institutes of Health (R03) – “Household Effects of HIV/AIDS Mortality” (Principal Investigator)

09/04-06/05 Bell Fellowship, Harvard Center for Population and Development Studies

05/03-08/03 Research Grant, Population Aging Center, University of Colorado, Boulder

07/01-10/02 National Science Foundation - “Social Connections and Children’s Well-Being” (Senior Researcher)

01/99 - 01/00 Mellon Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship in Anthropological Demography (Brown University)

09/98 - 12/98 Hewlett Foundation Dissertation Fellowship

10/97 - 06/98 University of Pennsylvania School of Arts and Sciences Dissertation Writing Fellowship

02/97 - 10/97 Research Grant, Population Aging Research Center, University of Pennsylvania – “Cross-Cultural Study of Aging in Three African Societies”

09/96 - 08/97 Mellon Foundation Grant for dissertation work in Mali

09/95 - 01/96 Mellon Foundation Grant for pre-dissertation work in Mali

09/93 - 09/97 NICHD Doctoral Fellowship - University of Pennsylvania

01/93 - 05/93 Board Member - D.C. Women's Council on AIDS

08/87 - 05/88 Deans List - Barnard College

Publications

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

Forthcoming. "HIV/AIDS Mortality and Household Dependency Ratios in Rural South Africa." *Population Studies* (S. Madhavan and E. Schatz).

2008. "Absent Breadwinners: Fathers' Connections and Paternal Support in Rural South Africa." *Journal of Southern African Studies* 34(3): 647-663 (S. Madhavan, N. Townsend and A. Garey).

2007. "The Implications of Long-Term Community Involvement for the Production and Circulation of Knowledge: A Case Study of the Agincourt Health and Population Programme." *Demographic Research* 17(13): 369-388 (S. Madhavan, M. Collinson, N. Townsend, S. Tollman and K. Kahn).

2007. "Household Structural and Compositional Change in Rural South Africa: 1993-2003." *Scandinavian Journal of Public Health*, 35 supplement 69: 85-93 (S. Madhavan and E.Schatz).

2007. "The Social Context of Children's Nutritional Status in Agincourt." *Scandinavian Journal of Public Health*, 35 supplement 69: 107-117 (S. Madhavan and N. Townsend).

2006. "Measuring Social Networks through Quantitative and Qualitative Methods." *Social Networks* 28(4): 363-376 (A. Adams, S. Madhavan and D. Simon).

2006. "Father Presence in Rural South Africa: Historical Changes and Life-Course Patterns." *International Journal of Sociology of the Family* 32(2): 173-190 (N. Townsend, S. Madhavan and A. Garey).

2005, "Early Childbearing and Schooling: New Evidence from South Africa." *Comparative Education Review* 49 (4): 452-467 (S.Madhavan and K.Thomas).

2004, "Fosterage Patterns in the Age of AIDS: Continuity and Change." *Social Science and Medicine* 58(7): 1443-1454.

2003, "Menstruation: An African Perspective." *Gynecological Forum* 8(2): 30-32 (invited submission).

2003, "Women's Networks and the Social World of Fertility Behaviour." *International Family Planning Perspectives* 29(2): 58-68 (S. Madhavan, A. Adams and D. Simon).

2002, "Children's Residence Patterns and Well-Being in Rural South Africa." *Population Studies* 56 (2): 215-225 (N. Townsend, S.Madhavan, M.Garenne, S. Tollman and K. Kahn).

2002, "The Best of Friends and the Worst of Enemies: Competition and Collaboration in Polygyny." *Ethnology* 41(1): 69-84.

2002, "Women's Social Power, Child Nutrition and Poverty in Mali." *Journal of Biosocial Science* 193-213 (D. Simon, A. Adams, and S. Madhavan).

2001, "Female Relationships and Demographic Outcomes in Sub-Saharan Africa." *Sociological Forum* 16(3): 503-528.

2001, "Female Cooperation and Conflict in Rural Mali: Effects on Infant and Child Survival." *Journal of Comparative Family Studies* 32(1): 75-98.

2001, Book Review of "A Colonial Lexicon of Birth Ritual, Medicalization, and Mobility in the Congo" by Nancy Rose Hunt. *American Ethnologist* 28(1): 206-207.

2001, "The Compound as the Locus of Fertility Decision-Making - The Case of the Gambia." *Journal of Culture, Health and Sexuality* 3(4): 451-468 (S. Madhavan and C. Bledsoe).

2001, "Women's Social Networks and Child Survival in Mali." *Social Science and Medicine* 54: 165-178 (A. Adams, S. Madhavan and D. Simon).

1999, "Collaboration and Conflict Among Women in Rural Mali: Effects on Fertility." Proceedings of the Third African Population Conference, Durban, South Africa, December 6-10, pp. 395-416.

Chapters in Edited Volumes

2007. "Father Presence in Rural South Africa: Historical Changes and Life-Course Patterns." Reprinted in N. Kibria and S. Kukreja (Eds.), *Globalization and the Family*. New Delhi: Ashwin-Anoka Press (N. Townsend, S. Madhavan and A. Garey).

2005, "Collecting Data on Intra-Household Relationships in the Agincourt Health and Population Survey: Benefits and Limitations." In E. van de Walle (ed.) *African Households: Censuses and Surveys*. Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe Inc. (N. Townsend, S. Madhavan, M. Collinson and M. Garenne).

2004, "Women's Social Support Networks and Contraceptive Use in Mali." In B. Purkayastha and M. Subramaniam (eds.) *The Power of Informal Social Networks: Lessons from South Asia and West Africa*. New York: Lexington Books, 31-46 (A. Adams, D. Simon and S. Madhavan).

2001, "The Blood that Links: Menstrual Regulation Among the Bamana of Mali." In E. van de Walle and E. Renne (eds.) *Regulating Menstruation: Beliefs, Practices, Interpretations*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 172-186 (S. Madhavan and A. Diarra).

Reports

2008. "Families and Crisis in the Developing World." Paper commissioned by the Joint Learning Initiative on Children and AIDS, Learning Group on Strengthening Families, <http://jlica.org/> (S. Madhavan and L. DeRose).

Teaching Experience

Present	University of Maryland, College Park Issues in African Development Social Inequalities and Health in the African Diaspora Research Methods in African-American Studies
09/05 - 06/06	Tulane University Sociology of the Family Issues in African Development

02/05 - 05/05	Harvard School of Public Health - Anthropological Approaches to Health
01/01- 04/04	University of the Witwatersrand Quantitative Research Methods Sociology of Health Medical Sociology Demography and Development Demographic Methods Environment, Globalization and Development
01/00 - 05/00	Brown University - African Development and Demography
07/98 – 09/98	Rhodes University (South Africa) - Introduction to Population Studies
07/96 - 08/96	University of Pennsylvania - Introduction to Population Studies

Papers/Posters Presented

2008. “Headship of Older Persons in the Context of HIV/AIDS in Rural South Africa.” Conference on The Impact of HIV/AIDS on Older Persons in African and Asia. Michigan Center on the Demography of Aging, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Nov 7-9.

2008. “Living Arrangements of the Elderly in South Africa.” Presentation made at the Wits/Brown/Colorado/APHRC (WBCA) Colloquium, Johannesburg, South Africa, July 8-11.

2008. “Transitions to Adulthood in South Africa.” Presentation made at the Adolescent Regimes in Comparative Perspective Meeting, Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University, April 3-5.

2007, “Racial Differences in Transitions to Adulthood in South Africa.” Presentation made at the Population Studies Program Seminar Series, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa, Aug 7.

2007, “HIV/AIDS Mortality and Household Composition.” Poster presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, New York, March 28-31.

2006, “Social Connections and Adolescent Fertility.” Presentation made at the Comparative Adolescents Group Conference, Philadelphia, September 20-23.

2006, “HIV/AIDS Mortality and Household Composition in Agincourt.” Presentation made at the 4th Wits/Brown/Colorado/APHRC Colloquium, Nairobi, Kenya, May 21 – 25.

2005, “Father’s Presence in Rural South Africa: Incorporating Social Connection and Life Course Experience.” Presentation made at the American Sociological Association Meetings, Philadelphia, PA, August 13-16.

2005, “The Social Context of Children’s Nutrition.” Presentation made at the Agincourt Roundtable, Bushbuckridge, South Africa, June 15-17.

2005, "Changes in Social Organization in Rural South Africa: The Role of HIV/AIDS." Presentation made at the 3RD Annual Wits/Brown/Colorado/APHRC Colloquium on Emerging Population Issues, Boulder, CO, April 3-5.

2005, "Early Childbearing and Schooling: New Evidence from South Africa." Presentation made at the Harvard Center for Population and Development Studies Brownbag Seminar, Cambridge, MA, March 15.

2004, "Mothers, Fathers and Important Others in Rural South Africa." Department of Sociology, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA, Nov 18.

2003, "Rethinking Units of Analysis: Social Connections in Limpopo Province." Presentation made at Annual Meetings of the Statistical Association of South Africa, Johannesburg, November 4.

2003, "A Reproductive Puzzle: Looking For Answers in Qualitative Data." Alan Guttmacher Institute, New York, Oct 2.

2003, "Children's Living Arrangements Over the Life Course in Rural South Africa." Poster presented at the Annual Meetings of Population Association of America, Minneapolis, MN, May 1-4.

2003, "Children's Living Arrangements Over the Life Course in Rural South Africa." Paper presented at the African and African American Studies Department, Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA, March 4.

2002, "Measuring Social Networks through Quantitative and Qualitative Methods." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA, May 9-11 (A. Adams, S. Madhavan and D. Simon).

2001, "Collecting Data on Intra-household Relationships in the Agincourt Health and Population Survey: Benefits and Limitations." Paper prepared for the virtual conference on African households: an exploration of census data, University of Pennsylvania, Population Studies Center November 21-23, website: <http://www.pop.upenn.edu/africahh> (N. Townsend, S. Madhavan, M. Collinson and M. Garenne).

2001, "Households and Networks: Measuring the Social Worlds of Fertility Behaviour." Paper presented at the XXIV General Conference of the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population. Salvador de Bahia, Brazil, August 18-24, (S. Madhavan, A. Adams and D. Simon).

2001, "Fosterage Patterns in the Age of AIDS: Continuity and Change." Paper presented at the Annual Conference of the Sociological Association of South Africa. Pretoria, July 1-4.

2001, "The Implications of Long-Term Community Involvement for the Production and Circulation of Knowledge: A Case Study of the Agincourt Health and Population Programme." Paper presented at the IUSSP Committee on Anthropological Demography Seminar of the Production and Circulation of Population Knowledge, Brown University, Providence, RI, USA, March 21-24 (S. Madhavan, M. Collinson and N. Townsend).

2000, "Migration Patterns in Post-Apartheid South Africa: An Ethnographic Perspective on Kin Dispersion." Paper presented at the American Anthropological Association Annual Conference, San

Francisco, CA, USA, Nov 15-19 (S. Madhavan and N. Townsend).

2000, "Children's Residence Patterns and Well-Being in Rural South Africa." Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Los Angeles, March 22-25 (S. Madhavan, N. Townsend, S. Tollman and M. Garenne).

1999, "Marital Instability and Child Welfare among the Fulbe of Mali." Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, New York, March 24-27 (S. Madhavan, D. Simon and A. Adams).

1998. "Women's Social Networks and Reproductive Health Outcomes in Mali." IUSSP Seminar on Gender Inequalities and Reproductive Health: Changing Priorities in an Era of Social Transformation and Globalization. Campos de Jordão, Brazil, November 16-19 (A. Adams, S. Madhavan and D. Simon).

1998, "Cross-Cultural Study of Aging in Africa." Presented at the Population Aging Research Seminar Series, University of Pennsylvania, May 7 (S. Madhavan and A. Weinreb).

1998, "The Layering of Wives: Collaboration and Conflict among Women and the Effects on Fertility." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Chicago, IL, April 2-4.

1998, "The Gift Received has to be repaid: 'Respondents, researchers and gifting.'" Presented at the Eastern Sociological Society Conference, Philadelphia, PA, March 19-22, (A. Weinreb, S. Madhavan and P. Stern).

1997, "Polygyny: A Testing Ground for Feminist Theories of Competition and Collaboration." Presented at the University of Pennsylvania Family and Gender Cluster Seminar, December 14.

1997, "Examining the Polygyny-Fertility Dynamic in Three West African Cases." Research Seminar Series, Centre pour l'Etudes sur le Population et le Developpement, Paris, France, September 26.

Presentations as Discussant or Panelist

2008, "The Impact of HIV/AIDS on Older Persons in African and Asia." Invited Discussant, Michigan Center on the Demography of Aging, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Nov 7-9.

2008, Reviewer on Studies Section for National Institutes of Health proposals on Gender, Youth and HIV/AIDS, Washington D.C., Oct 23-24.

2008, "Social Status and Reproduction: Interrelationships between Poverty, Wealth and Fertility." Invited Discussant, Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, April 16-19.

2006, "Family and Social Change in sub-Saharan Africa." Session organized for the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Los Angeles, March 29-April 2.

2005, "Households and HIV/AIDS." Agincourt Roundtable, Bushbuckridge, South Africa, June 15-17.

2003, "Migration, Household Behavior and Community Differentiation." Conference on African Migration and Urbanization in Comparative Perspective, Johannesburg, South Africa, June 4-7, website: <http://pum.princeton.edu>.

International Fieldwork Experience

- 2007 Bushbuckridge, South Africa – “Gender and Generation Project”
 - trained qualitative interviewers
 - administered entire project
- 2002/2004 Bushbuckridge, South Africa – research collaborator for project on “Social Connections and Children’s Well-Being” (funded by the National Science Foundation).
 - principal research collaborator
 - trained a team of 8 fieldworkers in qualitative techniques
 - administered the entire project in the field
- 2000 Bushbuckridge, South Africa – “Social Connections and Children’s Well-Being” (funded by Mellon Foundation)
 - exploratory ethnographic work in preparation for grant submission
 - received training in local language
- 1996.1997 Kolondieba and Douentza, Mali – Social Networks and Maternal and Child Health (funded by National Science Foundation)
 - trained fieldworkers
 - administered survey
 - conducted life history interviews

Mentoring of Graduate Students

- Molly Roberts (MA Anthropology) – Brown University – 2000
Shiela Reiss (MA Population and International Health) – Harvard School of Public Health - 2005
Salome Oyosi (PHD Sociology/Demography) – University of the Witwatersrand - 2005
Sangeeta Parshar (PHD Sociology) – University of Maryland, 2008

Other Training/Coursework

- 05/96 African Dissertation Workshop on Population and Health organized by the Population Studies Center, University of Pennsylvania and the Johns Hopkins University International Health Program; sponsored by the Rockefeller Foundation
- 01/92 - 06/92 U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) - Statistics (2 semesters)

Relevant Employment Experience

- 11/91 - 4/93 Research Assistant - International Center for Research on Women, Washington, DC
Projects: women and AIDS, female headship, women and farm commercialization, women and the environment - compiled background literature, wrote information bulletins, assisted in writing and editing final reports, monitored project progress
- 01/89 - 01/91 Agricultural Extension Agent - U.S. Peace Corps, Zaire
Introduced new seed types and planting techniques; reforestation, small animal husbandry, gardening, Women in Development and nutrition as secondary projects

05/87 - 08/87 Intern - UNICEF, New York, N.Y.
Conducted background research, wrote, and edited newsletter on child survival programs

Membership in Professional Associations

American Sociological Association
Population Association of America
International Union for the Scientific Study of Population
Union pour l'Etude de la Population Africaine
Sociological Association of South Africa

Languages

Fluent in French, Kikongo (Zaire) and Tamil (India); conversant in Xitsonga (South Africa)

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