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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Educational Background

- Ph.D, Sociology, Princeton University, 2007
- M.A, Sociology, Princeton University, 2001
- B.A, Sociology, University of Texas, Austin, 1998

Academic Appointments

- College of Behavioral & Social Sciences (012028), Sociology, Associate Professor, 2013
- College of Behavioral & Social Sciences (012028), Sociology, Assistant Professor, 2010-2013
- College of Behavioral & Social Sciences (012028), Dean-Maryland Population Research Center, Other, Maryland Population Research Center, 2010-present

Administrative Appointments at UMD

- Director, Center for Research on Military Organization

Other Employment

- Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Kansas, 2006-2010
- Research Associate II, Charles A. Dana Center, University of Texas, Austin, 2004- 2005
- Lecturer, Department of Social Sciences, United States Military Academy, West Point, 2001- 2002

RESEARCH, SCHOLARLY AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

Chapters

Books

- MacLean, Alair and Meredith Kleykamp, "Income Inequality and the Military", *Living in a High-Inequality Regime*, Alair MacLean and David B. Grusky, eds Russell Sage, in process.
- Kleykamp, Meredith and Sidra Montgomery, "Young Veterans and the Transition to Civilian Employment: Does Marital Status Matter", *Risk and Resilience in Military and Veteran Families*, pp193-218 in MacDermid Wadsworth, Shelley; Riggs, David S. (Eds.), Springer New York, 2014.

- Kleykamp, Meredith and Crosby Hipes, "Social Programs for Soldiers and Veterans", *The Oxford Handbook of Social Policy in the United States*, edited by Daniel Béland, Christopher Howard, and Kimberly J. Morgan, The Oxford Handbook of Social Policy in the United States. pp.565-584 New York: Oxford University Press, 2014 .
- Kleykamp, Meredith, "Labor Market Outcomes among Veterans and Military Spouses", *Life Course Perspectives on Military Service*, edited by Janet M. Wilmoth and Andrew S. London. New York: Routledge, 2012
- Western, Bruce, Meredith Kleykamp and Jake Rosenfeld, "Crime, Punishment, and American Inequality", *Social Inequality*, Pp. 771-96, edited by Kathryn M. Neckerman. New York: Russell Sage, 2004

Articles in Refereed Journals

Refereed Articles

- Meredith Kleykamp and Crosby Hipes, "Coverage of Veterans of the Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan in the U.S. Media", *Sociological Forum*, Sociological Forum, Vol. 30, No. 2. 2015.
- MacLean, Alair and Meredith Kleykamp, "The War at Home: Attitudes Toward Veterans Returning from Iraq", *Social Problems*, Vol. 61, No. 1: 131-154. 2014.
- Hipes, Crosby, Jeff Lucas and Meredith Kleykamp, "Status- and Stigma Related Consequences of Recent Experiences in War: Evidence from a Laboratory Experiment", *Armed Forces and Society*, Hipes, Crosby, Jeff Lucas and Meredith Kleykamp. forthcoming. "Status- and Stigma Related Consequences of Recent Experiences in War: Evidence from a Laboratory Experiment." *Armed Forces and Society*. Online First available at: <http://afs.sagepub.com/content/early/2014/06/12/0095327X14536710.full.pdf+html>
- Kleykamp, Meredith, "Unemployment, Earnings, and Enrollment among Post 9/11 Veterans", *Social Science Research*, 42(3): 836-51. 2013
- Rosenfeld, Jake and Meredith Kleykamp, "Immigration, Organization, and the Great Recession: Change or Continuity", *American Sociological Review*, 78(2): 333-8. 2013
- Rosenfeld, Jake and Meredith Kleykamp, "Organized Labor and Racial Wage Inequality in the United States", *American Journal of Sociology*, 117 (5): 1460-1502. 2012
- Kleykamp, Meredith, "Where Did the Soldiers Go? The Effects of Military Downsizing on Employment and Enrollment of Young Men", *Social Science Research*, 39(3): 477-90. 2010
- Keltz, Ryan, Meredith Kleykamp and David R. Segal, "The Military and the Transition to Adulthood", *The Future of Children*, 20(1): 19-46. 2010
- Rosenfeld, Jake and Meredith Kleykamp, "Hispanics and Organized Labor in the United States, 1973-2007", *American Sociological Review*, 74(6): 916-37. 2009
- Kleykamp, Meredith, "A Great Place to Start? The Effect of Prior Military Service on Hiring", *Armed Forces & Society*, 35(2): 266-85. (PWSC section Best Published Paper Award, 2010), 2009
- Kleykamp, Meredith, "Military Service as a Labor Market Outcome", *Race, Gender, Class*, 14(3): 65-76. 2007

- Kleykamp, Meredith, "College, Jobs or the Military? Enlistment During a Time of War", *Social Science Quarterly*, 87(2): 272-90.2006
- Western, Bruce, Meredith Kleykamp and Jake Rosenfeld, "Economic Inequality and the Rise in U.S. Imprisonment", *Social Forces*, 84(4): 2291-2301.
- Western, Bruce and Meredith Kleykamp, "A Bayesian Change Point Model for Historical Time Series Analysis", *Political Analysis*, 12(4): 354-74.2004
- Kleykamp, Meredith and Marta Tienda, "Physical and Mental Health Status of Hispanic Adolescent Girls: A Comparative Perspective", *Research in Social Stratification and Mobility*, 22: 149-85.2004

Monographs

- Asch, Beth, Christopher Buck, Jacob Klerman, Meredith Kleykamp and David Loughran, "Military Enlistment of Hispanic Youth: Obstacles and Opportunities", *Santa Monica: RAND Corporation*, 222 pp.2009

Conferences, Workshops and Talks

Keynotes

- Kleykamp, Meredith, Today's Veterans: Who Are They, How Are They Doing, and Why?, Iowa's Statewide Military and Veterans Conference. Cedar Falls, IA, 2013, Keynote Speaker

Invited Talks

- Meredith Kleykamp, The Military and Social Welfare Policy, American Political Science Association, , invited panel, 2014
- Kleykamp, Meredith and Sidra Montgomery, Single Veterans and the Transition to Employment, National Military Family Research Institute conference. Indianapolis, IN, 2012
- Kleykamp, Meredith, The Societal Context of Reception for Veterans, American Sociological Association annual meeting, Las Vegas, NV, (invited panel), 2011
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Generations at War and Peace: Taking Cohorts Seriously in the Study of Military Service and Socioeconomic Attainment, Population Association of America annual meeting, Washington, D.C, (invited panel), 2011
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Women Warriors' Wages, Military Service, Societal (Dis)Advantage, and the Life Course Conference, Maxwell School, October, Syracuse, NY, 2007

Refereed Presentations

- Alair MacLean, Meredith Kleykamp, and John Robert Warren, Labor Market Outcomes among Veterans, 1979-2010, American Sociological Association meeting, , 2014
- Meredith Kleykamp, Sidra Montgomery, and Kristin Schrader, Soldier to Civilian: The Supply Side View, Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management, , 2014

- Kleykamp, Meredith, Labor Force Outcomes for military and Veteran Spouses in the U.S, Bi-Annual Meeting of the Inter-University Seminar on Armed Forces and Society, Chicago, IL, 2013
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Crosby Hipes and Alair MacLean, Who Supports Veterans and Who Lies about Their Support, American Sociological Association annual meeting, New York, NY, 2013
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Short-term Labor Force Trajectories of Recent Veterans: Evidence from Enhanced CPS Data, Western Economics Association annual meeting, Seattle, WA, 2013
- Hipes, Crosby, Jeff Lucas, and Meredith Kleykamp, Status- and Stigma-Related Consequences of Recent Experiences in War, American Sociological Association annual meeting, Denver, CO, 2012
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Crosby Hipes and Nadja Shaw, If All We Knew About Veterans Was What We Read in the Newspaper, What Would We Know, Bi-Annual Meeting of the Inter-University Seminar on Armed Forces and Society, Chicago, IL, 2011
- Rosenfeld, Jake and Meredith Kleykamp, Organized Labor and Racial Wage Inequality, 1973-2007, American Sociological Association annual meeting, Las Vegas, NV, 2011
- Kleykamp, Meredith, The Context of Reception for Veterans, Society for Longitudinal and Life Course Studies Conference, Cambridge, UK, 2010
- Rosenfeld, Jake and Meredith Kleykamp, Just a Man's Game? Organized Labor and Female Wage Inequality in the Private Sector, American Sociological Association annual meeting, Atlanta, GA, 2010
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Alair MacLean, The War at Home: Attitudes toward Veterans Returning From Iraq, American Sociological Association annual meeting, Atlanta, GA, 2010
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Labor Market Outcomes among Veterans and Military Spouses: New Directions for Research, International Biennial Conference of the Inter- University Seminar on Armed Forces and Society, October, Chicago, IL, 2009
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Women's Work After War, Women's Research and Education Institute Women in the Military Conference, September, Washington, D.C, 2009
- Rosenfeld, Jake and Meredith Kleykamp, Ethnicity, Immigration, and Organized Labor in the Contemporary U.S, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, August, San Francisco, CA, 2009
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Women's Work after War, annual meeting of the Population Association of America, April, Detroit, MI, 2009
- Kleykamp, Meredith, A Great Place to Start, International Biennial Conference of the Inter- University Seminar on Armed Forces and Society, October, Chicago, IL, 2007
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Women Warriors' Wages, Joint Annual Meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society and the North Central Sociological Association, April, Chicago, IL, 2007
- Kleykamp, Meredith, A Great Place to Start? An Audit Study of the Effect of Military Service on Hiring, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, August, Montreal, Canada, 2006
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Where Did All the Soldiers Go? Assessing the Effects of Military Downsizing on Employment and Enrollment of Young Men,

- annual meeting of the Population Association of America, March, Philadelphia, PA, 2005
- Kleykamp, Meredith, The Institutional Presence of the Military and Youth Enlistment, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, August, San Francisco, CA, 2004
 - Kleykamp, Meredith, The Enlistment, Enrollment and Employment Decisions of Youth: 1973-2001, annual meeting of the Population Association of America, May, Minneapolis, MN, 2003
 - Kleykamp, Meredith, Acculturation and Health across the Life Course, annual meeting of the Population Association of America, March, Washington, D.C, 2001
 - Kleykamp, Meredith, Fragile Extended Families: Father and Grandparent Support During Pregnancy, annual meeting of the Population Association of America, March, Washington, D.C, 2001
 - Kleykamp, Meredith, Acculturation and Health across the Life Course, annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, November, Boston, MA, 2000
 - Kleykamp, Meredith and Marion Carter, Migration in the Periphery: A Case Comparison of Guatemalan Migration to Mexico and Haitian Migration to the Dominican Republic, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, August, Washington, D.C, 2000

Refereed Posters

- Kleykamp, Meredith and Alair MacLean, Age, Period and Cohort Differences in the Effect of Military Service on Earnings, Population Association of America annual meeting, New Orleans, LA, 2013
- Bignami, Simona, Meredith Kleykamp and Ann Morning, The Demography of Demography: Gender Transformation of a Social Science, annual meeting of the Population Association of America, May, Minneapolis, MN, (Poster Award)2003

Colloquia

- Kleykamp, Meredith, Women Veterans: Who Are They and How Are They Doing?, Symposium on Women Veterans' Employment: Skills Matter, Department of Labor. Washington, DC, 2013
- Rutherford, George, Jeff Bazarian, Meredith Kleykamp, Frances Murphy, Briefing of Institute of Medicine Final Report, Audiences: Senate Veterans Affairs Committee, Department of Defense, Department of Veterans Affairs, House Veterans Affairs Committee, 2013
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Alair MacLean and Rob Warren, Institutional Change and the Consequences of Military Service: Evidence from the CPS, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, 2013
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Recent Veterans: How are they Doing?, Veterans, Reservists, and Military Families Data and Research Workshop, USDA Economic Research Service, Washington, DC, 2012
- Kleykamp, Meredith, The Societal Context of Reception for Veterans, Military Family Research Institute, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN, 2012

- Kleykamp, Meredith, Heading to the Field: Using Experiments to Understand Veterans' Employment Challenges, RAND Defense Manpower Research Seminar, July, Santa Monica, CA, 2008
- Kleykamp, Meredith, A Great Place to Start? An Audit Study of the Effect of Military Service on Hiring, University of Kansas, Department of Sociology, February, Lawrence, KS, 2007
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Military Enlistment among Texas Youth: Who Joins and Why, Population Research Center Brown Bag Series, University of Texas, September, Austin, TX, 2005
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Military Enlistment among Texas Youth: Who Joins and Why, United States Air Force Academy, September, Colorado Springs, CO, 2005
- Asch, Beth, David Loughran and Meredith Kleykamp, Briefing to Office of Accession Policy on RAND project results, Audience: The Pentagon, March, Washington, D.C.
- Kleykamp, Meredith, Military Enlistment among Texas Youth: Who Joins and Why, Notestein Seminar Series, Office of Population Research, Princeton University, May, Princeton, NJ, 2004

Professional Publications

Reports and Non-Refereed Monographs

- Kleykamp, Meredith, Jake Rosenfeld and Roseanne Scotti, Wasting Money, Wasting Lives: Calculating the Hidden Costs of Incarceration in New Jersey , Report for the Drug Policy Alliance, Trenton, NJ, 20 pp.2008
- Asch, Beth J., Christopher Buck, Jacob Alex Klerman, Meredith Kleykamp and David S. Loughran, What Factors Affect the Military Enlistment of Hispanic Youth? A Look at Enlistment Qualifications, Documented Briefing DB-484-OSD. Santa Monica: RAND Corporation, 82 pp.2005

Other

- Nagel, Joane and Meredith Kleykamp, Introduction: Race, Gender, Class Sexuality, and War, *Race, Gender, Class*, 14(3): 4-9.2007

Book Reviews, Notes and Other Contributions

Book Reviews

- Kleykamp, Meredith, "Review of Of War and Men: World War II in the Lives of Fathers and Their Families by Ralph LaRossa", *Contemporary Sociology: A Journal of Reviews*, 42(2): 252-3.2013
- Kleykamp, Meredith, "Review of Security First: For a Muscular, Moral Foreign Policy by Amitai Etzioni", *Contemporary Sociology: A Journal of Reviews*, 37(3): 264-5.2008

Sponsored Research

- Kleykamp, Meredith with John R. Warren and Alair MacLean, Collaborative Research: Institutional Change and the Consequences of Military Service: Evidence from Enhanced Current Population Survey Data, National Science Foundation, Lead Institution, 2012-2014, PI

- Soldier-to-Civilian: The Supply-Side View, Dean's Research Initiative Grant, University of Maryland, 2012-2013, PI
- Kleykamp, Meredith with Crosby Hipes and Alair MacLean, Social Desirability Bias and Support for Military Veterans of the Iraq/Afghanistan Wars, Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS)/ National Science Foundation, Covers full cost and administration of an experimental survey, approximately.2011-2012, PI
- Kleykamp, Meredith with Alair MacLean, The War at Home: Attitudes Toward Veterans Returning from Iraq, Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS)/ National Science Foundation, Covers full cost and administration of an experimental survey, approximately.2009, PI
- Finding Work After War: The Role of Military Experience in Civilian Hiring, National Science Foundation, Award # SES-0818337, 2008-2011, PI
- Finding Work after War: The Role of Military Experience in Civilian Hiring, American Sociological Association (ASA)/National Science Foundation (NSF) Fund for the Advancement of the Discipline (FAD), 2008-2010, PI
- Women's Work after War, W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research Mini-grant, 2008-2009, PI
- Warriors to Workers: How Employers Make Sense of Military Veteran Job Seekers, Midwest Sociological Society Endowment Grant, 2008-2009, PI
- From War to Work: How Employers Shape Veterans' Transition into the Civilian Labor Market, New Faculty General Research Fund, University of Kansas, 2008-2009, PI
- Kleykamp, Meredith with Tracey LaPierre, Enhancing Teaching Statistics with Training Videos, Center for Teaching Excellence Grant, University of Kansas, 2006, PI

Submissions and Works in Progress

Manuscripts in Preparation

- Meredith Kleykamp and James Yastrezemsky, Military Sociology, Encyclopedia chapter on Military Sociology
- Meredith Kleykamp and Thomas Crosbie, Military Justice, Invited chapter in Oxford Handbook of Criminology and Criminal Justice, ed. Michael Tonry
- Meredith Kleykamp, Ryan Kelty, and David Segal, Military Service and Emerging Adulthood, Invited chapter for edited volume on Emerging Adulthood.
- Meredith A. Kleykamp, Sidra J. Montgomery, Alexis Pang, Kristin Schrader, Planning the Means and Ends of Post-Service Life, Article in preparation for submission to journal
- Rachel Shattuck and Meredith Kleykamp, Does Intra-Couple Socioeconomic Similarity Promote Interracial Marriage? The Military as an Equalizing Context

Manuscripts under Review

- Kleykamp, Meredith, Crosby Hipes and Alair MacLean., Who Supports Veterans and Who Exaggerates Their Support?, at Social Forces

- Hipes, Crosby, Jeff Lucas and Meredith Kleykamp, Status- and Stigma-Related Consequences of Recent Experiences in War, (Under review, Armed Forces and Society)

Working Papers in Preparation

- Kleykamp, Meredith A, Women's Work after War, Upjohn Institute Working Paper No. 10-169. Kalamazoo, MI: W.E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research.2010

Centers for Research, Scholarship and Creative Activities

Centers Directed

- Jeff Lucas, Meyer Kestnbaum, David Segal, Tom Crosbie, Center for Research on Military Organization, Center founded to coordinate research around military organization, military members, their families, and veterans, Acting director 2013-2014, made permanent director in 2014.

TEACHING, MENTORING AND ADVISING

Courses Taught

- SOC 420, Armed Forces and Society, At the University of Kansas, Fall 2009 (enrollment 31)
- SOC 510, Elementary Statistics and Data Analysis, At the University of Kansas, Spring 2010 (enrollment 20), (service course for Undergraduate major)
- SOCY410, Social Demography, Undergraduate Courses At the University of Maryland, Spring 2013 (enrollment 26)
- SOCY464, Military Sociology, Undergraduate Courses At the University of Maryland, Fall 2013 (enrollment 30)
- SOCY464, Military Sociology, Undergraduate Courses At the University of Maryland, Fall 2011 (enrollment 33)
- SOCY601, Statistics for Social Research I, Graduate Courses, (service course for Sociology graduate program) At the University of Maryland, Spring 2013 (enrollment 15)
- SOCY601, Statistics for Social Research I, Graduate Courses, (service course for Sociology graduate program) At the University of Maryland, Spring 2012 (enrollment 10)
- SOCY601, Statistics for Social Research I, Graduate Courses, (service course for Sociology graduate program) At the University of Maryland, Spring 2011 (enrollment 16)
- SOCY699L, Diversity in the Military, Graduate Courses, (service course for the Leadership, Education, and Development (LEAD) program for Navy officers At the University of Maryland, Spring 2012 (enrollment 20)
- SOCY699L, Diversity in the Military, Graduate Courses, (service course for the Leadership, Education, and Development (LEAD) program for Navy officers At the University of Maryland, Fall 2010 (enrollment 19)
- SOCY699M, Institutions and the Life Course, Graduate Courses At the University of Maryland, Fall 2013 (enrollment 5)

Teaching Innovations

Software, Applications, Online Education, etc.

- Created Statistical Software package training videos for Excel and R for SOC510 course

Course or Curriculum Development

- SOCY 699M: Institutions and the Lifecourse, new preparation, 2013
- SOCY601: Statistics for Social Research I, new preparation, 2011
- SOCY464: Military Sociology, new preparation, 2008, revised to SOCY464, 2011
- SOCY699L: Diversity in the Military, new preparation 2010
- SOC 312: Population and Society, new preparation 2006
- SOC 510: Elementary Statistics and Data Analysis, new preparation, 2006

Other

- Independent research on military veterans, Developing a research experience for undergraduate students to assist on a content analysis of news coverage of Vietnam veterans. Enrolls 5 undergraduates in independent study, with the team of 5 working to accomplish research project tasks including constructing database and coding articles for major themes.

Advising: Research or Clinical**Undergraduate**

- Nadja Shaw, At the University of Maryland, Summer Research Institute, Bowdoin College, Summer 2011, Mentor
- Stacey Lynn Burke, At the University of Kansas, Spring 2008, Honors Thesis Co-advisor

Master's

- James Yastrzemsky, At the University of Maryland, second year paper to be completed 2014, Reader
- Rachel Shattuck, At the University of Maryland, completed 2013, Reader
- Lucia Lykke, At the University of Maryland, completed 2013, Reader
- Rachel Guo, At the University of Maryland, completed 2012, Reader
- Mandi Martinez, At the University of Maryland, completed 2012, Reader
- Elizabeth "Betsey" Blair, United States Air Force Academy, Advisor

Doctoral

- Kathleen Denny, PENALTIES AND PREMIUMS: CLARIFYING PERCEPTIONS OF PARENTS IN THE PROFESSIONAL WORKPLACE, Committee Member
- Emma Davies-Cutrufello, Dean's Representative
- Sidra Montgomery, GRA supervisor
- Daniel Standridge, Advisor
- Rachel Shattuck, GRA supervisor
- Nicolle Buckmiller Jones, At the University of Maryland, (Family Science), completed 2013, Dissertation Committee Member

- Michelle Sandhoff, At the University of Maryland, completed 2013, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Dissertation Committee Member
- Rob Young, US Air Force Academy, Dissertation Committee Member
- Zsuzsa Daczo, At the University of Maryland, completed 2012, Dissertation Committee Member
- Karin DeAngelis, At the University of Maryland, completed 2011, US Air Force Academy, Dissertation Committee Member
- Sidra Montgomery, At the University of Maryland, (PhD student), 2011-present, Chair
- Michael Norton, United States Naval Academy, Advisor
- James Yastrzemy, US Army, United States Military Academy, Dissertation Co-chair
- Amanda Ngyuen, Advisor

Post-doctoral

- Thomas Crosbie, Post-doc supervisor in Center for Research on Military Organization

Other Teaching Activities

- Undergraduate research group, Supervised a group of 6 undergraduate students working on a project gathering and coding newspaper articles on veterans in the Vietnam Era. Spring 2014.

SERVICE AND OUTREACH

Editorships, Editorial Boards and Reviewing Activities

Editorships

- Co-Editor, Race, Gender, Class journal special issue on race, gender, class, sexuality, and war, Kleykamp, Meredith with Joane Nagel, 2007

Editorial Boards

- Editorial Board Member, Contexts

Reviewing Activities for Journals and Presses

- Reviewer, American Sociological Review
- Reviewer, American Journal of Sociology
- Reviewer, Armed Forces and Society
- Reviewer, Social Science Research
- Reviewer, Sociological Spectrum
- Reviewer, Sociological Theory
- Reviewer, ILRReview
- Advances in Lifecourse Research, American Journal of Sociology, American Sociological Review, Armed Forces and Society, Contemporary Economic Policy, Crime and Delinquency, Demography, Journal of Family Issues, Journal of Labor Research, Journal of Policy Analysis and Management, Population Research and Policy Review, Qualitative Sociology, Race and Justice, Social Forces, Sociological Methods and Research, Social Science

Quarterly, Social Science Research, The Sociological Quarterly, Manuscript referee

Reviewing Activities for Agencies and Foundations

- Reviewer, USDA Economic Research Service Manuscript, 2013
- Reviewer, National Science Foundation Dissertation Improvement Grant panel, Panelist, 2012-present
- Reviewer, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies, Report on the Preliminary Assessment of Readjustment Needs of Veterans, Service Members, and Their Families: Phase I, 2009
- Reviewer, NSF Research Proposal, 2008, 2009

Committees, Professional & Campus Service

Campus Service - Department

- Member, University of Kansas, Graduate Studies Committee, 2008-present
- Chair, University of Maryland, Military Sociology Comprehensive Exam Committee, 2013-2015
- Member, University of Maryland, Policy Committee, 2010-2012, 2013-2014
- Chair, University of Maryland, Statistics and Methods Committee, 2013-2014
- Member, University of Maryland, Stratification and Inequality Comprehensive Exam Committee
- Member, University of Maryland, Statistics and Methods Committee, 2010-2013
- Member, University of Maryland, Military Sociology Comprehensive Exam Committee, 2010-2013
- Member, University of Maryland, Graduate Committee, 2012-2013
- Member, University of Maryland, Search Committee, Spousal Hire, 2013
- Member, University of Maryland, Search Committee, Military Longitudinal Study Coordinator, 2011, 2012
- Member, University of Maryland, Search Committee, Professor in the area of Gender, 2011
- Member, University of Kansas, Undergraduate Committee, 2006-2008
- Member, University of Kansas, Search Committee, Assistant Professor in the area of Economic Sociology, Fall 2007

Campus Service - College

- Member, BSOS Teaching Award Committee
- Member, BSOS All-S.T.A.R. Fellowship Committee
- Member, Search Committee, Chair of the Department of Sociology, Spring 2012

Campus Service - University

- Member, University of Maryland, Veterans Steering Committee, 2011-present

- Member, University of Maryland, Evaluation Team, FIPSE Grant to Veterans Student Life, 2011-2013
- Member, University of Maryland, Search Committee, 2013
- Member, University of Kansas, Judicial Board, 2008-2011
- Member, University of Kansas, Athletics Committee, 2008-2011
- Member, University of Kansas, Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Athletics, 2008-2011
- Chair, University of Kansas, Academic Integrity Sub-committee of the Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Athletics, 2009-2010
- Organizer, University of Kansas, New Directions in Social Science Methodology Conference, 2009-2010
- Member, University of Kansas, Hall Center Humanities Research Fellowship Review Panel, 2008
- Member, Planning Committee, Center for Analysis of Data, University of Kansas, 2007-2008
- Academic Misconduct Hearings, University of Kansas, Panelist, 2007-2008
- Member, Scholarship Board, Army ROTC program, University of Kansas, 2007-2008

Other Non-University Committees, Memberships, Panels, etc.

- Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies Committee, 2010-2013, Initial Assessment of Readjustment Needs of Military Personnel, Veterans, and their Families: Phase 2
- Member, Peace, War and Social Conflict Section of the American Sociological Association, Outstanding Paper Award Committee, 2011
- Member, Peace, War and Social Conflict Section of the American Sociological Association, Outstanding Book Award Committee, 2010
- Chair, Peace, War and Social Conflict Section of the American Sociological Association, Outstanding Book and Paper Award Committee, 2009
- Organizer, Peace, War and Social Conflict Section Roundtables, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA, Session Organizer, 2009
- Demography of Crime and Punishment, annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Detroit, MI, Session Discussant, 2009
- Future of Children conference on Transition to Adulthood, Princeton, NJ, Session Discussant, 2009
- Organizer, Peace, War and Social Conflict Section Roundtables, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Boston, MA, Session Organizer, 2008
- Organizer, Gender, Sexuality and War, annual meeting of the Midwest Sociological Society (with Joane Nagel), Chicago, IL, Session Co-organizer, 2007
- Member, Nominations Committee, Peace, War and Social Conflict Section of the American Sociological Association, 2006
- Organizer, Peace, War and Social Conflict Section Roundtables, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, Session Organizer, 2006
- Chair, Global Social Concerns Roundtable at Student Conference on U.S. Affairs, West Point, NY, Session Chair, 2002

- Chair, Gender and Couple Perspectives on Demographic Outcomes, annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA, Session Chair, 2002
- Risk Factors in Child and Adolescent Development, annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA, Session Discussant, 2002
- Income Inequality, Economic Sociology Section Roundtable, annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, Session Presider and Discussant, 2002

Positions/Committee Members in Professional Organizations

- Member, American Sociological Association
- Member, Population Association of America
- Member, Inter-University Seminar on Armed Forces and Society
- Member, Sociology Dissertation Advisory Panel at the National Science Foundation.
- Member, ASA Methodology section Student Paper Award Committee
- Chair, Peace, War, and Social Conflict section of the ASA, 2013-2014
- Member, Peace, War, and Social Conflict section of the ASA, Elected Council, 2008-2012

External Service and Consulting

Consultancies (to local, state and federal agencies; companies; organizations)

- Technical Working group-consultant, Department of Labor

Media Contributions

No Group

- How the Decline of Unions Has Increased Racial Inequality, Key Findings, Kleykamp, Meredith and Jake Rosenfeld, Research Brief for Scholars Strategy Network August 2013., http://www.scholarsstrategynetwork.org/sites/default/files/ssn_key_findings_kleykamp_and_rosenfeld_on_union_decline_and_racial_inequality2.pdf

TV

- Policies and Programs for Veterans, C-SPAN Washington Journal, Kleykamp, Meredith, featured guest, May 25, 2012, <http://www.c-spanvideo.org/program/Jmel>

Print Media

- Lost unions and lost ground, Op-Ed in Los Angeles Times, Kleykamp, Meredith and Jake Rosenfeld. September 9, 2013, article also appeared on , www.appealdemocrat.com and www.timesunion.com

AWARDS, HONORS AND RECOGNITION

Research Fellowships, Prizes and Awards

- The Charles H. Coates Commemorative Award, Department of Sociology, For Significant Contributions to Military Sociology
- Best Published Paper Award, Labor and Labor Movements Section of the American Sociological Association, 2013
- Best Published Paper Award, Peace, War and Social Conflict Section of the American Sociological Association, 2010
- Poster Award, Population Association of America, 2003
- Clifford Clogg Fellowship for the ICPSR Summer Program, 2002
- National Institutes of Health Traineeship in demography, 1998-2001

Teaching Awards

- Excellence in Teaching award, College of Behavioral and Social Sciences, University of Maryland
- Morris Rosenberg Mentorship Award, University of Maryland, Department of Sociology, 2011(for graduate student mentoring)
- Finalist Del Shankel Teaching Excellence Award, University of Kansas, 2007 and 2008

Other Special Recognition

- Commander's Award for Civilian Service, United States Military Academy, 2002