

Curriculum Vitae, July 2021

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## Education

- Ph.D. December 2015, University of Maryland, College Park  
Sociology  
Dissertation Title: "Early Employment and Family Formation in the United States"  
Comprehensive exams: Demography; Gender, Work and Family
- M.A. May 2013, University of Maryland, College Park  
Sociology
- M.A. May 2000, Columbia University  
Art History
- B.A. May 1999, Bryn Mawr College  
With honors, Art History

## Employment

- 8/19-present Chief, Survey Improvement Research Branch, Social, Economic and Housing Statistics Division, U.S. Census Bureau, Suitland, MD
- 11/15 – present Research Affiliate, Maryland Population Research Center, College Park, MD
- 11/15 – 8/19 Survey Statistician, Center for Administrative Records Research and Applications (CARRA), Center for Economic Studies (CES), U.S. Census Bureau, Suitland, MD

## Research Interests

Social demography; life course; intersection of family and social inequality; fertility; sexual and reproductive health; intersection of gender, work and family; work/family policy; quantitative methods; combining data.

## Peer-Reviewed Articles

**Shattuck, Rachel M.** Online First. "Patterns of Childcare Use for Young Children within Women's Work/Family Pathways: A Group-Based Multi-Trajectory Modeling Approach." *Social Forces*.

Zvavitch, Polina, Michael S. Rendall, Constanza Hurtado, and **Rachel M. Shattuck.** Online First. "Contraceptive Consistency and Poverty after Birth." *Population Research and Policy Review*.

**Shattuck, Rachel M.** 2019. "Preferences against Nonmarital Fertility Predict Steps to Prevent Nonmarital Pregnancy." *Population Research and Policy Review*. 38: 565-591.

Rendall, Michael S. and **Rachel M. Shattuck**. 2019. "First Birth before First Stable Employment and Subsequent Single-Mother 'Disconnection' before and after the Welfare Reform and Great Recession." *Journal of Poverty*. 23: 83-104.

**Shattuck, Rachel M.** and Meredith A. Kleykamp. 2018. "Conducive Characteristics or Anti-Racist Context? Decomposing the Reasons for Veterans' High Likelihood of Interracial Marriage." *Population Research and Policy Review*. 37: 261-299.

**Shattuck, Rachel M.** and Michael S. Rendall. 2017. "Retrospective Reporting of First Employment in the Life Courses of U.S. Women." *Sociological Methodology*. 47: 307-344.

**Shattuck, Rachel M.** 2017. "Does It Matter What She Wants? The Role of Individual Preferences Against Unmarried Motherhood in Young Women's Likelihood of a Nonmarital First Birth." *Demography*. 54: 1451-1475.

O'Hara, Amy, **Rachel M. Shattuck**, and Robert M. Goerge. 2017. "Linking Federal Surveys with Federal and State Administrative Data to Improve Data on Families," *Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*. 669: 63-74.

Chen, Feinian, Luoman Bao, **Rachel M. Shattuck**, Judith B. Borja and Socorro A. Gultiano. 2017. "Family Structure and Role Transitions: Implications for the Psychological Wellbeing of Filipina Women in Middle and Later Years." *Research on Aging*. 39: 275-299.

### **Working Papers**

**Shattuck, Rachel M.** 2019. "High Labor Force Attachment, but Few Social Ties? Life-Course Predictors of Women's Receipt of Childcare Subsidies." CES Working Paper Series 19-26. <https://ideas.repec.org/p/cen/wpaper/19-26.html>

**Shattuck, Rachel M.** 2017. "Is Subsidized Childcare Associated with Lower Risk of Grade Retention for Low-Income Children? Evidence from Child Care and Development Fund Administrative Records Linked to the American Community Survey." CARRA Working Paper Series 2017-06. U.S. Census Bureau. <https://www.census.gov/library/working-papers/2017/adrm/carra-wp-2017-06.html>

### **Non-Peer-Reviewed Publications**

Shattuck, Rachel M. and Rose M. Kreider. 2013. "Social and Economic Characteristics of Currently Unmarried Women with a Recent Birth: 2011." *American Community Survey Reports ACS-21*, U.S. Census Bureau.

### **Recent Presentations**

9/18 Shattuck, Rachel M. "Estimating SNAP and WIC Eligibility and Participation with Administrative Records and the American Community Survey," National Academy of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine, Committee on National Statistics, Panel on Improving Consumer Data for Food and Nutrition Policy Research, Washington, DC

8/18 Shattuck, Rachel M. "High Labor Force Attachment but Few Social Ties? Predictors of

Low-Income Women's Receipt of Childcare Subsidies," American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA

- 12/17 Shattuck, Rachel M. "Is Subsidized Childcare Associated with Lower Risk of Grade Retention for Low-Income Children?" Invited presentation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC
- 8/17 Shattuck, Rachel M. "Do Young Women's Preferences against Nonmarital Childbearing Predict Steps to Prevent Nonmarital Pregnancy?" American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montréal, Canada
- 4/17 Shattuck, Rachel M. "Is Subsidized Childcare Associated with Lower Risk of Grade Retention for Low-Income Children? Evidence from Child Care and Development Fund Administrative Records Linked to the American Community Survey," Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL
- 11/16 Leach, Mark A., Benjamin Cerf, and Rachel M. Shattuck. "New Evidence-Based Tools to Improve Performance of Public Assistance Programs: Developments from Collaborative Partnerships between the Census Bureau and State Agencies," Invited presentation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC
- 11/16 Leach, Mark A., Benjamin Cerf, and Rachel M. Shattuck. "New Evidence-Based Tools to Improve Performance of Public Assistance Programs: Developments from Collaborative Partnerships between the Census Bureau and State Agencies," Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Annual Meeting, Washington, DC

### **Honors and Awards**

U.S. Census Bureau Bronze Medal Award, for compiling and linking public assistance administrative records to survey data (Team Award) - 2018

2015-16 Ramon E. Henkel Quantitative Research Fellowship, University of Maryland-College Park

High Pass in Demography (Ph.D. qualifying exam)

2014 Sociology Department Summer Research Fellowship, University of Maryland-College Park

### **Research Assistantships**

9/14 – 11/15                      Research assistant to Dr. Michael Rendall, University of Maryland, College Park

9/13 - 5/14                         Research assistant to Dr. Meredith Kleykamp, University of Maryland, College Park

5/13 - 8/13                         Research assistant to Dr. Feinian Chen, University of Maryland, College Park

5/12 - 8/12                         Statistician (Paid Summer Internship), Fertility and Family Statistics Branch, U.S. Census

### **Teaching and Teaching Assistant (TA) Experience**

- 9/14 - 12/14 TA - Sociology 412: Family Demography (Undergraduate level),  
University of Maryland, College Park
- 1/13 - 5/13 TA - Sociology 601: Statistics for Sociological Research I (Graduate  
level), University of Maryland, College Park
- 9/12 - 12/13 TA - Sociology 201: Introduction to Statistics for Sociology  
(Undergraduate level), University of Maryland, College Park
- 5/11 Guest lecturer on Demography, Sociology 100: Introduction to Sociology  
(Undergraduate level), University of Maryland, College Park
- 9/11 - 5/11 TA - Sociology 100: Introduction to Sociology (Undergraduate level),  
University of Maryland, College Park

### **Professional Service**

Reviewer for *Advances in Life Course Research*, *Demographic Research*, *Demography*, *Journal of Marriage and Family*, *Population Research and Policy Review*, and *Sociological Methodology*

- 9/13 - 5/14 Student representative, Graduate Committee, Sociology Department,  
University of Maryland, College Park