

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

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| 1999 | Ph.D. Sociology, The University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois |
| 1995 | M.A. Sociology, The University of Chicago |
| 1992 | B.B.A. Business Administration, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan |

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

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| 2016 – present | Director of Research, Department of Sociology, University of Maryland, College Park |
| 2014 – present | Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Maryland, College Park |
| 2010 – 2014 | Associate Chair, Department of Sociology, The University of Texas at Austin |
| 2009 – 2014 | Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, The University of Texas at Austin |
| 2005 – 2009 | Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, The University of Texas at Austin |
| 2001 – 2005 | Research Associate/Assistant Professor, Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan |
| 1999 – 2001 | Assistant Professor, Department of Japanese Studies, National University of Singapore, Singapore |

SHORT-TERM APPOINTMENTS

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| 2003 – 2004 | Visiting Scholar, Population Research Center, The University of Texas at Austin |
| Spring 2003 | Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Soochow University, Taipei, Taiwan |
| Fall 2002 | Visiting Researcher, Japan Institute of Labour, Tokyo, Japan |
| 1996 – 1997 | Hosei International Fund Research Fellow, Hosei University, Tokyo, Japan |
| 1995 – 1996 | Exchange Student, Department of Applied Sociology, Rikkyo University, Tokyo, Japan (Japanese language study, pre-dissertation research) |

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Gender Inequality, Work and Labor Markets, Social Change, Marriage and Family, East Asia

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Yu, Wei-hsin. 2009. *Gendered Trajectories: Women, Work, and Social Change in Japan and Taiwan*, Stanford: Stanford University Press.

Thang, Leng Leng and Wei-hsin Yu (eds). 2004. *Old Challenges, New Strategies? Women, Work, and Family in Contemporary Asia*, Leiden and Boston: Brill Academic Publishers.

Research articles

Yu, Wei-hsin and Janet C. Kuo. 2018. "Does Parenthood Foster Traditionalism? Childrearing and Alterations in Gender and Family Attitudes in Japan," *Social Forces* 97:221-250.

Yu, Wei-hsin and Ekaterina Hertog. 2018. "Family Characteristics and Mate Selection: Evidence from Computer-Based Matchmaking in Japan." *Journal of Marriage and Family* 80:589-606.

Yu, Wei-hsin and Shengwei Sun. 2018. "Fertility Responses to Individual and Contextual Unemployment: Differences by Socioeconomic Backgrounds" *Demographic Research*.

Yu, Wei-hsin and Janet C. Kuo. 2017. "The Motherhood Wage Penalty by Work Conditions: How Do Occupational Characteristics Hinder or Empower Mothers?" *American Sociological Review*: 82:744-769.

Villarreal, Andrés and Wei-hsin Yu. 2017. "Crime, Fear and Mental Health in Mexico," *Criminology* 55:779-805.

Yu, Wei-hsin and Janet C. Kuo. 2017. "Another Work-Family Interface: Work Characteristics and Family Intentions in Japan." *Demographic Research* 36:391-429.

Yu, Wei-hsin. 2017. "Tradeoff or Winner Take all? Relationships between Job Security and Earnings in 32 Countries," *Sociological Perspectives* 60:269-292.

Yu, Wei-hsin and Janet C. Kuo. 2016. "Explaining the Effect of Parent-Child Coresidence on Marriage Formation: The Case of Japan," *Demography* 53:1283-1318.

Yu, Wei-hsin and Chi-Tsun Chiu. 2016. "Growing Pains: Changes in Psychological Well-being in Urban China," *Social Indicators Research* 129:1349-1382.

Yu, Wei-hsin. 2015. "Families in Context: Challenges for Cross-National Family Research," *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 77:23-29.

Yu, Wei-hsin and Chi-Tsun Chiu. 2014. "Off to a Good Start: A Comparative Study of Men's First Job Prospects in East Asia," *Research in Social Stratification and Mobility* 37:3-22.

Yu, Wei-hsin and Chi-Tsun Chiu. 2014. "Occupational Sex Composition, Cultural Contexts, and Social Capital Formation: Cases of the United States and Taiwan," pp. 121-149 in Nan Lin, Yang-chih Fu, and Chih-jou Jay Chen (eds.), *Social Capital in Three Societies: The Context of Socioeconomic and Cultural Institutions*. New York: Routledge.

- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2013. "It's Who You Work With: Effects of Workplace Shares of Nonstandard Employees and Women in Japan," *Social Forces* 92: 25-57.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Pei-lin Lee. 2013. "Decomposing Gender Beliefs: Cross-National Differences in Attitudes toward Maternal Employment and Gender Equality at Home," *Sociological Inquiry* 83:591-621.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2012. "Better off Jobless? Scarring Effect of Contingent Employment in Japan," *Social Forces* 90:735-768.
- Yu, Wei-hsin, Kuo-hsien Su and Chi-Tsun Chiu. 2012. "Sibship Characteristics and Transition to First Marriage in Taiwan: Explaining Gender Asymmetries." *Population Research and Policy Review* 31:609-636.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2010. "Enduring an Economic Crisis: The Effect of Macroeconomic Shocks on Intragenerational Mobility in Japan," *Social Science Research* 39: 1088-1107.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2008. "The Psychological Cost of Market Transition: Mental Health Disparities in Reform-Era China," *Social Problems* 55:347-369.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Kuo-hsien Su. 2008. "Rapid Social Change, Evolving Class Structure: Intergenerational Mobility in Taiwan," in Hiroshi Ishida (ed.), *Social Stratification and Social Mobility in Late-Industrializing Countries*. The 2005 SSM Research Series, Volume 14. Sendai, Japan: The 2005 SSM Research Committee.
- Reprinted in Yoshimichi Sato (ed.), *The Data on Japanese Social Stratification Survey: The 2005 National Survey of Social Stratification and Social Mobility*. 2013. Tokyo: Nihon Tosho Center Co. Ltd.
- Su, Kuo-hsien and Wei-hsin Yu. 2007. "When Social Reproduction Fails: Explaining the Closing of the Ethnic Gap in Taiwan," *Taiwanese Journal of Sociology* 39:1-63.
- Villarreal, Andrés and Wei-hsin Yu. 2007. "Economic Globalization and Women's Employment: The Case of Manufacturing in Mexico," *American Sociological Review* 72:365-389.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Kuo-hsien Su. 2006. "Gender, Sibship Structure, and Educational Inequality in Taiwan: Son Preference Revisited," *Journal of Marriage and Family* 68:1057-1068.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2006. "National Contexts and Dynamics of Married Women's Employment Reentry: The Cases of Japan and Taiwan," *The Sociological Quarterly* 47:215-243.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2005. "Changes in Women's Postmarital Employment in Japan and Taiwan," *Demography* 42:693-717.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Kuo-hsien Su. 2004. "On One's Own: Self-Employment Activity in Taiwan," pp. 388-425 in Richard Arum and Walter Müller (eds.), *The Reemergence of Self-Employment: A Cross-National Study of Self-Employment and Social Inequality*, Princeton: Princeton University Press.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2004. "Gender, Family, and Forms of Labor Force Participation: Women and Nonstandard Employment in Japan and Taiwan," pp.29-59 in Leng Leng Thang and Wei-hsin Yu (eds.), *Old Challenges, New Strategies? Women, Work, and Family in Contemporary Asia*, Leiden and Boston: Brill Academic Publishers.

- Yu, Wei-hsin and Leng Leng Thang. 2004. "Introduction: Assessing Women's Roles in Asian Economies," pp.1-26 in Leng Leng Thang and Wei-hsin Yu (eds.), *Old Challenges, New Strategies? Women, Work, and Family in Contemporary Asia*, Leiden and Boston: Brill Academic Publishers.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2002. "Jobs for Mothers: Married Women's Labor Force Reentry and Part-Time, Temporary Employment in Japan," *Sociological Forum* 17:493-523.
- Reprinted in Nancy E. Sacks and Catherine Marrone (eds.), *Gender and Work in Today's World: A Reader*. 2004. Cambridge, MA: Westview Press.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2002. "The State and Women's Roles in the Economy: The Case of Singapore," *Review of Asian and Pacific Studies* 24:41-59.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2001. "Family Demands, Gender Attitudes, and Married Women's Labor Force Participation: Comparing Japan and Taiwan," pp. 70-95 in Mary C. Brinton (ed.), *Women's Working Lives in East Asia*, Stanford: Stanford University Press.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2001. "Taking Informality into Account: Women's Work in the Formal and Informal Sectors in Taiwan," pp. 233-262 in Mary C. Brinton (ed.), *Women's Working Lives in East Asia*, Stanford: Stanford University Press.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 1998. "The Making of an M Shape: Women's Opportunities for Formal and Informal Employment through the Life Cycle in Japan," pp. 65-104 in *Hosei University International Fund Foreign Scholars Fellowship Reports, Vol. 7*. Tokyo: Hosei University.

Reports and Book Reviews

- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2015. "Women and Employment in Taiwan." Taiwan-US Quarterly Analysis No. 19. Brookings Institute (<http://www.brookings.edu/research/opinions/2015/09/14-women-employment-taiwan>).
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2012. Review of *The New Paradox for Japanese Women: Greater Choice, Greater Inequality* by Tachibanaki Toshiaki. *Journal of Japanese Studies* 38:208-212.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2007. Review of *Gendered Work in Asian Cities* by Ann Brooks. *Contemporary Sociology* 36:192-193.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 1997. "Networked Societies?" Review of *Comparing Policy Networks: Labor Politics in the U.S., Germany, and Japan* by David Knoke, Franz Urban Pappi, Jeffrey Broadbent, and Yutaka Tsujinaka, *Social Science Japan* 10: 31-32.

Textbooks

- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2014. "Family," pp. 221-238 in Jenn-hwan Wang and Hei-yuan Chiu (eds.), *Sociology and Taiwan*, 4th edition, Taipei: Chuliu Publisher.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2009. "Sociology of Family," pp. 185-210 in Jenn-hwan Wang and Hei-yuan Chiu (eds.), *Sociology and Taiwanese Society*, 3rd edition, Taipei: Chuliu Publisher.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. 2003. "Family," pp. 249-279 in Jenn-hwan Wang and Hei-yuan Chiu (eds.), *Sociology and Taiwanese Society*, 2nd edition, Taipei: Chuliu Publisher.

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

- Zhiyong Lin, Wei-hsin Yu, and Kuo-hsien Su. “Comparing Same- and Different-Sex Relationship Dynamics: Evidence from Young Adults in Taiwan.” Conditional Accept (*Demographic Research*).
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Janet C. Kuo. “Time is Money? Wage Premiums and Penalties for Time-related Working Conditions.” Revise and Resubmit.
- Yu, Wei-hsin, Zhiyong Lin, and Kuo-hsien Su. “Parent-Child Coresidence and Romantic Relationships: Experiences of Young Adults in Taiwan.” Revise and Resubmit.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Shengwei Sun. “Race-Ethnicity, Class, and Unemployment Dynamics during Young Adulthood: Do Macroeconomic Shifts Alter Existing Disadvantages?” Under review.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Yuko Hara. “Motherhood Penalties and Fatherhood Premiums: Does Parenthood Have the Same Effects within and across Firms?” Under review.

WORK IN PROGRESS

- Yu, Wei-hsin and Janet C. Kuo. “Occupational Gender Composition and Union Dissolution: Exploring the Relationship and Mechanisms.”
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Shengwei Sun. “Are Bad Jobs Getting Worse? Fringe Benefits and Earnings Inequality across Two NLSY Cohorts.”
- Lei, Lei and Wei-hsin Yu. “Neighborhood Contexts and Children’s Beliefs about Success in China.”

RESEARCH SUPPORT

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| 2017 – 2018 | “Falling in and Getting Out of Unemployment: Do Gender, Race, and Class Differences Vary by Local Economy?” (PI) Department of Labor Scholars Program (DOLOPS15C0060), U.S. Department of Labor, \$49,895 |
| 2017 – 2018 | “Entering and Exiting Unemployment during Economic Downturns: Do Gender, Race, and Class Matter More or Less?” (PI) Dean’s Research Initiative, Behavioral and Social Sciences College, University of Maryland, College Park, \$6,200 |
| 2017 – 2018 | “Doctoral Dissertation Research: Men and Care Work Jobs; Evidence from Two Cohorts” (PI; Co-PI: Shengwei Sun), Dissertation Improvement Grant, National Science Foundation (SES1738396), \$12,000 |
| 2015 – 2017 | “Understanding Delayed Marriage and Low Fertility in Japan” (PI), The Sumitomo Foundation, \$7,000 |
| Fall 2015 | “Explaining Family Intentions and Behaviors in Japan: the role of Job Conditions” (PI). Semester Research and Scholarship Award (RASA), University of Maryland, release from instructional duties |
| 2011 – 2012 | “The Worth of Job Security: A Cross-National Study” (PI), College Research Fellowship, The University of Texas at Austin (partial release from instructional duties) |

- 2008 – 2011 “Economic Restructuring and Social Mobility in Japan” (PI), National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (1R03HD057335-01A1). \$150,000
- 2008 “Demographic Changes and Social Mobility in Taiwan” (Co-PI), College of Social Sciences, National Taiwan University (PI: Kuo-hsien Su, National Taiwan University). \$195,500 (New Taiwanese dollar)
- Fall 2007 “Institutional Change and Labor Market Stratification: Japanese Workers in the Post-Lifetime Employment Era” (PI), Dean’s Fellowship, The University of Texas at Austin (release from instructional duties)
- Summer 2007 “Economic Restructuring and Life-Course Mobility in Japan” (PI), Summer Research Assignments, The University of Texas at Austin, \$14,222
- 2006 – 2007 “The Making of Gender Inequality: Women, Work, and Social Change in Japan and Taiwan” (PI), Office of the Vice President for Research, The University of Texas at Austin, \$5,727
- 2006 – 2007 “Social and Demographic Consequences of Economic Restructuring in Japan” (PI), Seed Project, Population Research Center, The University of Texas at Austin, \$9,000
- 2005 – 2008 “East Asian Social Mobility and Social Stratification Survey: Taiwan” (PI), Ministry of Education and Science, Japan (subcontract from Doshisha University; PI parent grant: Yoshimichi Sato, Tohoku University), ¥30,930,337 (Japanese yen)
- 2005 – 2007 “Social Capital: Its Production and Consequences” (Co-Investigator), Academia Sinica (Nan Lin, Duke University, PI), \$22,958,280 (New Taiwanese dollar)
- 2003 – 2005 “Income Equality in East Asia: Japan, South Korea, and Taiwan” (PI), National Science Council, Taiwan, \$381,300 (New Taiwanese dollar)
- 2002 – 2003 “Legal Changes and Gender Inequality at Work: A Comparative Study of Gender, Work, and Law in Japan, South Korea, and Taiwan” (PI), Matsushita Foundation, ¥1,000,000 (Japanese yen)
- 2002 – 2003 “Gender Ideology, Perceived Role Incompatibility, and Women’s Employment Behavior: Japan as an Illustrative Case” (PI), National Science Council, Taiwan, \$120,000 (New Taiwanese dollar)
- 2002 “Economic Recession, Social Changes, and Women’s Job Mobility in Japan” (PI), Center for Asian and Pacific Studies, Academia Sinica, \$537,614 (New Taiwanese dollar)
- 2001 – 2002 “Determining Work Trajectories: Comparing the Effects of Gender, Family Cycle, and Labor Markets in Japan and Taiwan” (PI), National Science Council, Taiwan, \$653,200 (New Taiwanese dollar)
- 2000 “Working Mothers and Changing Family Strategies” (PI), Academic Research Fund, National University of Singapore, Singapore, \$7,380 (Singapore dollar)

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS (SELECTIVE)

- Yu, Wei-hsin and Shengwei Sun. "Unemployment and Childbearing: Whose Unemployment Matters and to Whom Does it Matter?" presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, April 2018.
- Zhiyong Lin, Wei-hsin Yu, and Kuo-hsien Su. "Sexual Orientation and Relationship Dynamics in Early Adulthood: Evidence from Taiwan." presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, April 2018 (winner of poster award).
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Delayed Marriage and Fertility in East Asia." Department of Sociology, University of Toronto. November 2016.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Janet C. Kuo. "Employment Characteristics and Family Formation in Japan," US-Japan Relations Seminar, Harvard University, Boston, March 2015.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Janet C. Kuo. "Another Work-Family Interface: How Work Characteristics Shape Marriage and Fertility Intentions in Japan," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Boston, May 2014.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Janet C. Kuo. "Jobs, Workplaces, and Intentions about Marriage and Family", presented at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies, Philadelphia, March 2014.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Chi-Tsun Chiu. "Off to a Good Start: Trends in First Job Quality and Stability in East Asia," presented at the Symposium on Asian Perspectives on Social Stratification and Inequality, Sendai, Japan, October 2012.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Better off Jobless? Scarring Effect of Contingent Employment in Japan," presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, August 2011.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Kuo-hsien Su. "Rapid Social Change, Evolving Class Structure: Intergenerational Mobility in Taiwan," presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Atlanta, August 2010.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Economic Restructuring and Changes in Job Mobility in Japan," presented at The Center of East Asian Studies Guest Lecture Series, University of Wisconsin-Madison, November 2008.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Kuo-hsien Su. "Sibship Characteristics and Transitions to First Marriage and Parenthood in Taiwan," presented at the Population Research Center Brownbag Series, The University of Texas at Austin, April 2007.
- Villarreal, Andrés and Wei-hsin Yu. "Does Economic Globalization and Benefit Women? Foreign Investment, Export Production, and Gender in Equality in Mexico," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. New York, March 2007.
- Zhai, Jiexia and Wei-hsin Yu. "The Impact of Religion on Attitudes toward Abortion and Contraceptive Use in Taiwan," presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. New York, March 2007.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Kuo-hsien Su. "Transition to First Marriage in Taiwan," presented at the East Asian Social Stratification and Social Mobility Workshop. Sendai, Japan, February 2007.

- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Market Transition and Psychological Well-Being in Urban China," presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, August 2006.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Kuo-hsien Su. "Intergenerational Class Mobility in a Newly Industrialized Economy: The Case of Taiwan," presented in the Social Stratification and Social Mobility Workshop, Tokyo, Japan, February 2006.
- Yu, Wei-hsin and Kuo-hsien Su. "'The Eldest Brother Is Like Father:' The Effects of Sibling Structures on Educational Attainment in Taiwan," presented at the International Sociological Association Research Committee on Social Stratification and Mobility Meeting, New York, August 2003.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Labor Market Structures and Women's Labor Force Reentry: Comparing Japan and Taiwan," presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, August 2002.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Between Homemaking and Breadwinning: Work-Family Compatibility and Women's Job Continuity in Japan and Taiwan," the XVth World Congress of Sociology, International Sociological Association, Brisbane, Australia, July 2002.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Crossing the Line: Gender Differences in Job Shifting to Nonstandard Employment in Japan and Taiwan," the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Anaheim, August 2001.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "The State and Women's Roles in the Economy: the Case of Singapore," Seikei University International Symposium, Tokyo, June 2001.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Gender, Labor Market Structures, and Forms of Employment: Earnings Inequality in Japan and Taiwan," the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC, August 2000.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Men Go Out Working, Women Stay In: Economic Rationality and Gender Division of Labor in Japan and Taiwan," the Association for Asian Studies Annual Meeting, San Diego, March 2000.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Different Labor Markets, Different Choices: A Comparative Study of Women's Labor Force Participation in Japan and Taiwan," the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, August 1999.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Gender, National Markets, and Career Mobility: Comparing Japan and Taiwan," the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, August 1998.
- Yu, Wei-hsin. "Getting Mothers to Work: Women's Labor Force Re-Entry and Informal Employment in Japan," the Association for Asian Studies Annual Meeting, Washington DC, March 1998.

HONORS AND FELLOWSHIPS

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| 2009 | Honorable Mention, Early Career Award, ASA Section on Asia and Asian America |
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2005 – 2006	Faculty Fellowship, Center for Women's and Gender Studies Faculty Development Program, The University of Texas at Austin
2000	Susan Colver Rosenberger Prize (for Ph.D. Dissertation), The University of Chicago
2000	Honorable Mention, Divisional Dissertation Prize, The University of Chicago
1997 – 1998	Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, Chiang Ching-Kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange
1997 – 1998	Pre-Doctoral Trainee Fellowship, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1997 – 1998	Dissertation Writing Fellowship, Center for East Asian Studies at the University of Chicago
1996 – 1997	Hosei International Fund Fellowship, Hosei University, Japan
1995 – 1996	Short-Term Exchange Fellowship, Association of International Education, Japan
1992 – 1995, 1996 – 1997	Century Fellowship, The University of Chicago

LANGUAGES

Fluent in Chinese (native language), English, and Japanese

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBERSHIP

Present	Member, American Sociological Association and Population Association of America
Present	Ad hoc reviewer for <i>American Sociological Review</i> , <i>American Journal of Sociology</i> , <i>Social Forces</i> , <i>Demography</i> , <i>Journal of Marriage and Family</i> , <i>Sociology of Education</i> , <i>Social Problems</i> , <i>Gender and Society</i> , <i>Feminist Economics</i> , <i>The Sociological Quarterly</i> , <i>Social Science Quarterly</i> , <i>Population Research and Policy Review</i> , <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , <i>Comparative Education Review</i> , <i>Law and Social Inquiry</i> , <i>Research on Social Stratification and Mobility</i> , <i>Research in the Sociology of Work</i> , <i>Sociological Spectrum</i> , <i>Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health</i> , <i>International Journal of Comparative Sociology</i> , <i>The Social Science Journal</i> , <i>Journal of Comparative Family Studies</i> , <i>International Journal of Comparative Sociology</i> , <i>Taiwanese Sociological Review</i> , <i>Taiwanese Journal of Sociology</i> , and <i>Women's Studies International Forum</i>
2019 –	Member, Editorial Board, <i>American Sociological Review</i>
2018 –	Member, International Advisory Board, <i>International Journal of Japanese Sociology</i>
2016 –	Board member, The North American Chinese Sociologists Association
2015 –	Member, Editorial Board, <i>Journal of Marriage and Family</i>

- 1999 – Discussant and presider at various international conferences
- 2014 – 2017 Council Member, Section of Asia and Asian America, American Sociological Association
- 2017 External Reviewer for the Department of Sociology, National Taiwan University
- 2017 Co-Chair, Best Research Paper Award Selection Committee, Section of Asia and Asian America, American Sociological Association
- 2016 Panel organizer and presider, the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in Seattle
- 2008 – 2016 Ad hoc reviewer for the National Science Foundation, the Research Grants Council of Hong Kong, Chinese University of Hong Kong, and Academia Sinica in Taiwan (Institute of Sociology and Institute of European and American Studies)
- 2015 Co-Chair, Best Research Paper Award Selection Committee, Section of Asia and Asian America, American Sociological Association
- 2015 Panel organizer and presider, the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting in Chicago
- 2014 Ad hoc reviewer for the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
- 2014 Ad hoc reviewer for the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Ministry of Science and Technology, Taiwan
- 2005 – 2014 Faculty Research Associate of the Population Research Center, Center for Women's and Gender Studies, and Center for East Asian Studies, University of Texas at Austin
- 2012 Member, the American Association of University Women Fellowships and Grants Selection Committees
- 2010 Member, W. Richard Scott Award Selection Committee, The Organization, Occupations, and Work Section, American Sociological Association
- 2009 – 2011 Member, Advisory Committee for the Taiwanese program development grant (from the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office), Center for East Asian Studies, University of Texas at Austin
- 2009 Faculty Sponsor for the North American Taiwanese Studies Association Annual Meeting in Austin, Texas
- 2008 – 2009 Member, Advisory Board, the North American Taiwanese Studies Association
- Summer 2001 Member, Planning and Evaluation Committee for the Taiwan Social Change Survey Project
- 1997 – 1998 Member, Manuscript Review Board, *American Journal of Sociology*