

Miles S. Marsala

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- In Progress Ph.D., Sociology, Duke University
Qualification Areas: Medical Sociology, Demography
Dissertation Committee: Scott M. Lynch (chair), Tyson H. Brown,
Jenifer Hamil-Luker, Matthew E. Dupre
- 2018 M.A., Sociology, Duke University
- 2015 M.S., Sociology, Brigham Young University
- 2013 B.A., French Studies, Brigham Young University

TEACHING & RESEARCH INTERESTS

Medical Sociology
Life Course & Aging
Demography

TEACHING

Courses Taught

- 2019-Spring Introduction to Sociology (undergraduate); adjunct instructor;
Durham Tech Community College, Department of Social Sciences
- 2018-Fall Introduction to Sociology (undergraduate); adjunct instructor;
Durham Tech Community College, Department of Social Sciences
- 2018-Summer Social Research Methods (undergraduate); instructor of record,
Duke University, Department of Sociology

Teaching Assistant

2019-Spring Social Research Methods (undergraduate); Duke University
2018-Fall Social Research Methods (undergraduate); Duke University
2018-Spring Sociology of Entrepreneurship (undergraduate); Duke University
2017-Fall Sociology of Immigration and Health (undergraduate); Duke University
2016-Spring Sociology of Drug Use and Abuse (undergraduate); Duke University
2015-Fall Introduction to Sociology (undergraduate); Duke University:
teaching assistant and group discussion instructor

Teaching Preparation

2018-2019 Duke Sociology Teaching Workshop; participant
2018-2019 Duke Graduate School Certificate of College Teaching

RESEARCH

Publications

Marsala, Miles S. 2019. "Approval of Euthanasia: Differences Between Cohorts and Religions." *SAGE Open* January-March: 1-11.
DOI: 10.1177/2158244019835921.

Under Review

Gibbs, Benjamin G., **Miles S. Marsala**, Ashley Larsen Gibby, Bryce Hurst, Brent Hutchison, Craig Adler, Miriam Clark [equal authorship]. "School-Based Parental Involvement across Three Elementary Schools"

Marsala, Miles S. "Baby Boomers and the Vietnam War: A Life Course Approach Aging Vietnam Veterans" **Revise and Resubmit**

Manuscripts in Progress

Marsala, Miles S. "The Great Recession as a Turning Point: The Effect of the 2008 Financial Crisis on Physical and Mental Health Between Cohorts"

Marsala, Miles S. "Socioeconomic Status, Health Behaviors, and Health Outcomes: Is there Symmetry in Outcomes between Statuses and Behaviors?"

Marsala, Miles S. "The Long-Term Impact of Jim Crow on Black Health and Mortality"

Erickson, Lance D. and **Miles S. Marsala**. “The Long-Term Relationship of Socioeconomic Status with Mental and Physical Health of Aging Vietnam-Era Veterans and Non-Veterans”

Marsala, Miles S. and Jacob S. Rugh [equal authorship]. “Racial Segregation by Age: A New Contribution to the Segregation Debate”

Master’s Thesis

“The Role of Military Service on the Physical and Mental Health of Baby Boomers: A Life Course Approach to Aging Vietnam Veterans”
Thesis Committee: Lance D. Erickson (chair), Vaughn R.A. Call and Benjamin G. Gibbs.

Unpublished Research and Technical Reports

Marsala, Miles S., Dustin Steinacker, and Benjamin G. Gibbs. 2013. “Parental Involvement at Canyon Elementary” Final Report.

Presentations

Conferences

Marsala, Miles S. 2019. “Symmetry in Health Outcomes Based on Health Behaviors: Socioeconomic Status, Health Behaviors, and Self-Rated Health” To be presented at *American Sociological Association*, New York City

Marsala, Miles S. 2018. “The Great Recession as a Turning Point: The Effects of the 2008 Crisis on Health Disparities.” Presented *American Sociological Association*, Philadelphia

Marsala, Miles S. 2018. “The Great Recession as a Turning Point: The Effects of the 2008 Financial Crisis on Physical and Mental Health Outcomes Among Various Social Classes in the United States.” Presented at *Population Association of America*, Denver

Marsala, Miles S. 2017. “Approval of Euthanasia: Changes Across Cohorts and Religion” Presented at *American Sociological Association*, Montreal

Erickson, Lance D., **Miles S. Marsala**, and Jeremy B. Yorgason. 2017. “The Long-Term Relationship of Socioeconomic Status with Mental and Physical Health of Aging Vietnam-Era Veterans and Non-veterans” Presented at *International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics*, San Francisco (Presented by Lance D. Erickson)

Marsala, Miles S. 2016. "American Attitudes Regarding Euthanasia: How Attitudes are Changing in a General and Religious Context" Presented at *American Sociological Association*, Seattle

Marsala, Miles S. and Jacob S. Rugh. 2016. "Racial Segregation by Age: A New Contribution to the Segregation Debate" Presented at *Population Association of America*, Washington D.C. (Presented by Jacob S. Rugh)

Marsala, Miles S. 2015. "Military Service and Aging Baby Boomers: A Life Course Approach to Aging Vietnam Veterans" Presented at *American Sociological Association*, Chicago

Marsala, Miles S., Brent Hutchison, and Benjamin G. Gibbs. 2014. "Involved, but not in PTA: Comparing Conventional Measures of School-Based Parental Involvement with a Qualitative Approach" Presented at *American Sociological Association*, San Francisco

Marsala, Miles S., Dustin Steinacker, Ann Nielsen, and Benjamin G. Gibbs. 2013. "Parental Involvement in Schools: Conceptualizing Active from Passive Types of Involvement" Presented at the *Pacific Sociological Association*, Reno

Department

Marsala, Miles S. 2017. "Approval of Euthanasia: Changes Across Cohorts and Religion" Presented at *Duke Sociology Jensen Series*, Durham

Carr, Andrew, Kevin Kiley, **Miles S. Marsala**, Crystal Peoples, and Jessie West. 2016. "Social Cost and End-of-Life Decision Making" Presented at *Duke Sociology Jensen Series*, Durham

Marsala, Miles S. and Jacob S. Rugh. 2015. "Racial Segregation by Age: Trends since 1990 and Beyond" Presented at *Brigham Young University Brown Bag*, Provo

AWARDS and DISTINCTIONS

2019-2020	Duke Graduate School Preparing Future Faculty Fellowship
2019	Duke Graduate School Competitive Summer Research Fellowship
2017	Duke Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship
2016	Duke Graduate School Summer Research Fellowship

RESEARCH POSITIONS

2012-2015 Research Assistant; Brigham Young University, Department of Sociology

AD HOC REVIEWER

Journal of Gerontology: Series B, National Science Foundation, Society and Mental Health, OMEGA-Journal of Death and Dying

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association
Teaching and Learning Sociology Section
Medical Sociology Section
Aging and Life Course Section
Sociology of Population Section

Population Association of American

OTHER

2011 Study Abroad in Senegal; Brigham Young University, Department of French and Italian

2007-2009 Full-time Missionary; Toulouse, France; The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Language French; fluent proficiency in speaking, reading and writing

REFERENCES

Available upon request