

Quarterly Newsletter of the Population Association of America, Inc.
Kiersten Johnson, Editor

PAA BUSINESS

PAA 2010 Election Results

The results of the 2010 PAA election, terms beginning January 1, 2010 (or immediately for the Nominations Committee), are:

President-elect:	David A. Lam, <i>University of Michigan</i>
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Many thanks to PAA colleagues Michael Spittel (Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development) and Susan Lee-Rife (International Center for Research on Women) for helping to verify the ballot count, and to Stephanie Dudley, Executive Director; Lois Brown, Member Services Coordinator; and Denetra Gary, Administrative Assistant, of the PAA Office for successful management of all election details.

Congratulations to the new PAA officers, board and committee members, and many thanks to all candidates who were willing to participate in this election.

- Ann Biddlecom, PAA Secretary-Treasurer

PAA Fund Campaign

Thank you to the many wonderful PAA members who have made contributions to the PAA Fund Campaign. As of July 2009, The PAA Fund Campaign has reached \$165,000 toward our goal of \$1 million. This level of generosity is testimony to the loyalty and affection to the PAA felt by many members.

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The PAA Fund Campaign was launched in April to attempt to match the generosity of five distinguished foundations that recognize the significance of research by population scientists. Their generosity, matched by our own, will enable the PAA to increase the number of policy briefings for government officials, expand our publications, strengthen our website, enable a Census@School program, provide for a seed grant program for PAA members, and facilitate an increase in the number of travel awards for the 2010 Annual Meeting for scholars from lower-income countries, among other initiatives. If you have additional ideas for the use of campaign funds, please submit them to the Board of Directors via the PAA website.

Many of you have made donations in honor of your mentors or colleagues and some have encouraged others who are not members of PAA to do so to honor a respected individual. When tribute gifts reach \$5,000, the honored person will be recognized on the new PAA website.

Finally, we are indebted to Professor Charles Westoff of Princeton University for his decision to leave a bequest to the PAA in his will. This is an extraordinary gesture that will help to secure the future of the PAA for years to come. If you wish to learn more about how to contribute to the PAA Fund through your estate, please contact Stephanie Dudley in the PAA office (stephanie@popassoc.org) or visit the PAA website (<http://www.popassoc.org>).

GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS UPDATE

September 2009

At press time, Congress had recessed until September 8, 2009. Prior to its departure in August, the House of Representatives passed all 12 of its appropriations bills. The Senate, on the other hand, has passed only four of its 12 appropriations bills. Given the fact that the fiscal year ends on September 30, 2009, and the daunting legislative agenda facing the U.S. Senate when it reconvenes, it is increasingly likely Congress will need to pass a continuing resolution to keep the federal government funded in October.

The below chart summarizes the amounts currently being debated for agencies of primary interest to the Population Association of America (PAA).

Agency	FY 2010 President's Budget	FY 2010 House Mark	FY 2010 Senate Mark
NIH	\$31.0 billion	\$31.2 billion	\$30.8 billion
NIA	\$1.1 billion	\$1.1 billion	\$1.0 billion
NICHD	\$1.3 billion	\$1.3 billion	\$1.3 billion
Census Bureau	\$7.4 billion	\$7.3 billion	\$7.3 billion
NCHS	\$138 million	\$138 million	\$138 million
NSF	\$7.0 billion	\$6.9 billion	\$6.9 billion
AID FP/RH	\$475 million	\$520 million	\$628 million

After the Senate passes versions of its appropriations bills, select members of the House and Senate will meet in conference committee to reconcile the final versions of each of the 12 appropriations bills.

One issue that will require bicameral negotiations is the fate of a House amendment, adopted on the floor that rescinds or prohibits NIH from spending money on three currently-funded, peer-reviewed grants. The three rescinded

grants focus on HIV/AIDS prevention among vulnerable populations: Substance Abuse Use and HIV Risk among Thai Women, HIV Prevention for Hospitalized Russian Alcoholics and Venue-based HIV and Alcohol Use Risk Reduction among Female Sex Workers in China. The amendment, sponsored by Congressman Darryl Issa (R-CA), was adopted by voice vote. A roll call vote was not taken.

The Coalition to Protect Research (CPR) has organized a letter in anticipation of the Senate's consideration of its version of the Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education appropriations bill. The letter, which PAA signed, urges the Senate to reject similar amendments, if offered, on the Senate floor.

House and Senate praise NIH demographic research programs

Both the House and Senate Labor, Health and Human Services and Education Appropriations Committee reports (which accompany the underlying funding bill) include language praising demographic and economic research programs at the National Institute on Aging (NIA) and Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD). This language helps inform people outside and inside the NIH about the important role population research programs play in furthering the NIH mission to improve public health and well being.

Senate Report 111-066 - DEPARTMENTS OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATION BILL, 2010

Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development

Demographic Research—The Committee urges the NICHD to continue its support of trans-NIH behavioral and social research initiatives on disasters and health outcomes to develop more data on the consequences of natural and man-made disasters for the health of children and vulnerable groups. Further, the Committee encourages the NICHD to continue its investment in large-scale data sets, such as the New Immigrant Study and National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health, because of their value and accessibility to researchers worldwide. Finally, the Committee urges the Institute to continue research on (1) how the structure and characteristics of the work environment affect child and family health and well-being and (2) how health and well-being in the early years (including before birth) affect health and well-being later in life.

National Institute on Aging

Demographic and Economic Research—The Committee is aware that in 2010 the NIA will be making 5-year awards as part of its Demography of Aging Centers and Roybal Centers for Research on Applied Gerontology programs. The Committee urges the NIA, with support from the NIH Office of Behavioral and Social Science Research and Office of AIDS Research, to fund at least the existing number of centers, and more if possible. In addition, the Committee encourages the NIA to substantially increase the minority sample size of the Health and Retirement Study to understand the impact of the economic downturn on pre-retirees and retirees.

House Report 111-220 - DEPARTMENTS OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS BILL, 2010

Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development

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National Institute on Aging

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Obama Administration Appointments

Census Bureau Director

On Monday, July 13, the United States Senate confirmed Dr. Robert Groves as the Director of the Census Bureau, overcoming objections of several Republicans more than three months after President Obama nominated the renowned survey methodologist and former Census Associate Director to head the nation's largest statistical agency. Senators voted 76-15 to end debate on the nomination and then proceeded to give final approval to the nominee by voice vote. More information about Dr. Groves is available at: http://www.census.gov/Press-Release/www/releases/archives/directors_corner/

National Institutes of Health Director

On July 8, President Obama nominated Dr. Francis Collins to be the 16th Director of the National Institutes of Health (NIH). On August 7, the U.S. Senate unanimously confirmed him. From 1993-2008, Dr. Collins served as director of the NIH National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI). Dr. Collins' bio is located at: <http://www.nih.gov/about/director/directorbio.htm>. Dr. Raynard Kington, who had been serving as the NIH Acting Director since mid-October, will return to his role as NIH principal deputy director.

National Science Foundation SBE Directorate

Myron Gutmann, director of the Interuniversity Consortium on Political and Social Research (ICPSR) at the University of Michigan, has been selected to become the new Assistant Director for the National Science Foundation's (NSF) Social, Behavioral and Economic Sciences (SBE) Directorate. Gutmann will replace David Lightfoot, who has served since 2005. Dr. Gutmann is a PAA member and a former member of the PAA Board of Directors. He will begin his NSF assignment in November 2009.

PAA in Washington, DC

Congressional Briefing—On June 5, 2009, PAA sponsored a congressional briefing, "Africa's Future: Improving the Health of Mothers and Children." PAA members John Bongaarts and Ann Blanc participated in this briefing, which highlighted the benefits of family planning programs for the health of mothers and children in Sub-Saharan Africa. Over 70 congressional and Executive Branch staff personnel attended the briefing that was cosponsored by the Population Reference Bureau, Association of Population Centers, Population Action International, Population Council, Population Resource Center, and UCLA Bixby Center on Population and Reproductive Health. A summary of the speakers' presentations and a full webcast is posted at: <http://www.prb.org/Journalists/Webcasts/2009/africamaternalnewbornhealth.aspx>

Congressional Briefing—On June 8th PAA and APC cosponsored a congressional briefing, "Getting Around in the 21st Century: Demographics and the Future of Transportation Policy." PAA member Peter Morrison participated in the briefing, which covered dramatic demographics changes that are reshaping our nation and redefining our needs. Our senior population is projected to grow by 36 percent from 2010 to 2020. Members of minority groups are expected to constitute a majority of the population by 2042. In addition, U.S. household size continues to decrease and is projected to fall below 2.5 by 2020. To prepare for these changes, we need a visionary transportation bill that provides all Americans with options while reflecting the shifting composition of our population. Over 75 congressional and non-profit representatives attended the briefing that was cosponsored by the Population Resource

Center, AARP and Transportation 4 America. Speakers' presentations are posted at: <http://www.popassoc.org/i4a/pages/index.cfm?pageid=3338>.

COSSA briefing—In January 2009 the National Science and Technology Council (NSTC) of the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy issued the report *Social, Behavioral and Economic Research in the Federal Context*. On July 16, the Consortium of Social Science Associations (COSSA) brought four social and behavioral scientists to Capitol Hill to discuss their research and to highlight the report's emphasis on the importance of these sciences to the national science and policy agenda. PAA Member Dr. Martina Morris discussed "Modeling HIV and STI Transmission Dynamics: The Importance of Partnership Network Structure." Her research focuses on the massive and persistent disparities in HIV prevalence. She illustrated that there are differences in prevalence rates by areas of the world, within regions such as sub-Saharan Africa, and even by population subgroups within a specific country.

Other News

The Energy and Environment Subcommittee of the House Science and Technology (S&T) Committee has reported out legislation to "establish a social and behavioral sciences research program at the Department of Energy."

The bill, H.R. 3247, sponsored by Subcommittee Chairman Rep. Brian Baird (D-WA), requires the Secretary of Energy to establish a program "to identify and understand social and behavioral factors that influence energy consumption and acceptance and adoption rates of new energy technologies, and to promote the utilization of the results of social and behavioral research to improve, the design, development, demonstration, and application of energy technologies."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Child Trends Workshop: National Survey of Adoptive Parents

Attention adoption researchers: Child Trends, a research organization in Washington, D.C., will be conducting a workshop (via Webinar and teleconference) on how to use data from the 2007 National Survey of Adoptive Parents (<http://aspe.hhs.gov/hsp/09/NSAP/index.shtml>). The National Survey of Adoptive Parents (NSAP) is the first large, nationally representative survey of adoptive families across adoption types (n=2,089) and contains information on the characteristics, adoption experiences, and well-being of adopted children and their families in the U.S. The NSAP data and supporting documentation are available for public download at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/slait/nsap.htm>. The workshop will be held on Tuesday, December 8, 2009 and is available at no cost to participants. For details please contact Sharon Vandivere, 202-572-6044, svandivere@childtrends.org; or Karin Malm, 202-572-6118, kmalm@childtrends.org.

Call for Papers: Genetic influences on demographic processes

The journal *Biodemography and Social Biology* announces a call for papers for a special issue entitled "Genetic influences on demographic processes." The journal is devoted to furthering the discussion, advancement, and dissemination of knowledge about biological and sociocultural forces which affect the structure and composition of human populations. The purpose of this special issue of the journal is to showcase recent social scientific research on behavioral and molecular genetics. This special issue is tentatively scheduled for publication during the fall of 2010 and will be guest edited by Jason Boardman (Department of Sociology, University of Colorado, Boulder) and Jason Fletcher (Department of Economics, Yale University). By March 15, 2010, please submit the following three documents electronically: a) a cover letter, b) a title page with a complete list of the authors and the contact information for the lead author, and c) a blind copy of the manuscript and tables in one complete file. Please send the files to: Karen Spence, Managing Editor, *Biodemography and Social Biology* at the following email address: biodemography@byu.edu. Please be sure to indicate that this submission is for the special call for papers.

JOBS! JOBS! JOBS!

New York State College of Human Ecology Department of Policy Analysis and Management: Tenured or tenure-track Child and Family Policy position

This announcement is for a tenured or tenure-track position in child and family policy. Research responsibilities (50%) include empirical research in child and family policy.

Potential areas of focus include child welfare, policies affecting children and families, family contexts and child outcomes, child health and well-being, and/or education. Teaching and advising responsibilities (50%) are in the department's undergraduate, masters, and/or doctoral programs.

Candidates should have a strong background and interest in research and teaching in child and family policy. A Ph.D. in developmental psychology, economics, public policy, sociology, or other appropriate field is required. Salary is negotiable depending on experience and qualifications. Competitive benefits package.

Position is in an applied multidisciplinary department with a broad array of policy-oriented research interests, and with faculty members drawn from demography, economics, health services, psychology, public policy, sociology, and other disciplines. The department offers a bachelors degree and a 5-year masters degree in policy analysis and management, a masters degree in health administration, and a doctorate in policy analysis and management. Qualified faculty may also belong to the graduate field of economics, sociology, or human development and supervise students in these doctoral programs.

Interviews will be conducted at the Association for Public Policy and Management meetings in Washington, DC, November 5-7 as well as at the American Economics Association meetings, Atlanta, GA, January 3-5.

Those with any questions should contact the Search Committee Chair, Rachel Dunifon at red26@cornell.edu. Send resume, samples of research, and three letters of recommendation to: Rosemary Avery, Department Chair, Mailbox 33, Department of Policy Analysis & Management, 119 MVR Hall, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY 14853-4401. Fax: 607-255-4071.

Cornell University is an equal opportunity, affirmative action educator and employer.

We are interested in candidates who can contribute to the diversity and excellence of our academic community through their research, teaching and/or service.

Population Council: Bixby Fellowship Program

Through a generous grant from the Fred H. Bixby Foundation, the Population Council has created the Bixby Fellowship Program to expand opportunities for recently trained social scientists and biomedical researchers in the health and population fields. The program is highly competitive and offers a limited number of fellowships each year.

Bixby fellowships allow citizens of developing countries to work with experienced mentors in the Council's international network of offices. Fellows work on projects in one of three program areas: Reproductive Health, HIV/AIDS, and Poverty, Gender and Youth.

The deadline for applications is 15 January, 2010. A description of the program and details about application procedures are available on the Council's website at: http://www.popcouncil.org/slr/Bixby/Bixby_home.html.

For more information, please contact the Fellowship Coordinator, Hannah Taboada, at:

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Office of Population Research at Princeton University: NIH Postdoctoral Fellowship

The Office of Population Research at Princeton University invites applications for an NIH postdoctoral fellowship. Candidates must have completed an MD or a PhD in demography, sociology, statistics, or other relevant field before appointment. Holders of NIH fellowships must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Appointment is for one year, with possibility of renewal, and a start date of September 2010. To apply, link to <http://jobs.princeton.edu> to complete an application. Please include a cover letter, a curriculum vitae, 1-3 page projected research plan, writing samples, and appropriate supporting material. Screening of applicants will start on February 1, 2010 and continue until position is filled. Princeton University is an equal opportunity employer and complies with applicable EEO and affirmative action regulations. For information about how to voluntarily self-identify, please link to <http://www.princeton.edu/dof/ApplicantsInfo.htm>

Office of Population Research at Princeton University: Post Doctoral Research Associate

The Office of Population Research at Princeton University is seeking a postdoctoral researcher to work on a project that examines the biological pathways linking social and economic factors to health among older cohorts in Taiwan. The candidate should have strong methodological skills and experience in working with large survey data sets. Appointment is for one year, with possible renewal, to begin as early as July 2010. Ph.D. in related discipline required. To apply, link to <http://jobs.princeton.edu> to complete an application. Please include a cover letter, a curriculum vitae, samples of original work, and appropriate supporting material. Applications will be considered starting March 15, 2010. Screening of applicants will continue until position is filled. Princeton University is an equal opportunity employer and complies with applicable EEO and affirmative action regulations. For information about how to voluntarily self-identify, please link to <http://www.princeton.edu/dof/ApplicantsInfo.htm>.

University of Minnesota, Minnesota Population Center: Post-doctoral Research Associate

The Minnesota Population Center (MPC) has an opening for a post-doctoral researcher to assist in the expansion and improvement of two large databases of United States census and survey data: IPUMS-USA (<http://usa.ipums.org>) and IPUMS-CPS (<http://cps.ipums.org>). The successful candidate could begin as early as Spring 2010 or as late as Fall 2010.

The post-doctoral associate will work as a member of the IPUMS-USA research project team and will play a lead role in the expansion of IPUMS-CPS. In addition to IPUMS project work, MPC post-doctoral associates are expected to participate in the intellectual life of the center, present research at workshops and scholarly conferences, and publish related research in academic journals. Post-doctoral associates should plan to pursue at least one research project using data from IPUMS-USA or IPUMS-CPS.

MPC post-doctoral appointments are for one year with renewal possible up to a total of three years, dependent upon funding and performance.

To obtain more information and download the full position announcement, please visit the Minnesota Population Center website at <http://www.pop.umn.edu/about-mpc/employment-opportunities/research-positions>.

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The 2010 Clifford C. Clogg Award for Early Career Achievement

The Clifford C. Clogg Award for Early Career Achievement is given biennially by the Population Association of America and the Population Research Institute of The Pennsylvania State University. The award commemorates the memory and creative accomplishments of Clifford C. Clogg to the fields of quantitative methods and labor force demography. Dr. Clogg made important contributions to census and survey design and data collection systems through his work with National Academy of Science panels, Population Association of America committees, and the U.S. Census Bureau. His scholarship included work on the analysis of rates, standardization methods, latent structure analysis, and the modeling of categorical data. Through his teaching at Penn State and numerous workshops worldwide, he left a legacy as a mentor to the disciplines of population studies and statistics. Prior to 2002, recipients were honored for innovative contributions to the design, collection, modeling, or analysis of population survey or census data.

Beginning in 2002, the terms of the award were changed. The Clifford C. Clogg Award now recognizes early career achievement in population studies and demography, broadly defined. It honors outstanding innovative scholarly achievements of a population professional who shall have attained his or her highest professional degree within the previous 20 years, 1989 to 2009. The recipient need not be a PAA member and can be honored for distinguished work in the United States or in other developed or developing nations.

Nominations should include a description of the candidate's important contributions to the population field and a copy of the nominee's vita. Self-nominations are welcome. Inquiries and letters of nomination should be directed to Stewart E. Tolnay, Chair, Clifford C. Clogg Award Committee, University of Washington, (tolnay@u.washington.edu) by December 1, 2009. The recipient will be chosen by the Committee, whose other members are Mark D. Hayward (University of Texas at Austin), Guillermina Jasso (New York University), Hans-Peter Kohler (University of Pennsylvania), and S. Philip Morgan, (Duke University), and Yu Xie (University of Michigan).

Dorothy S. Thomas Award

Pre- or postdoctoral students are invited to submit papers for the 2010 Dorothy S. Thomas Award competition. The Award has been established by the Population Association of America (PAA) in honor of Dorothy S. Thomas and is presented annually for the best graduate student paper on the interrelationships among social, economic and demographic variables. The Award consists of a cash prize and a certificate, presented at the PAA Annual Meeting in Dallas, TX, April 16, 2010.

Eligibility: The research must be undertaken while the author is a pre-doctoral student in an accredited graduate program. The paper must have both theoretical and empirical aspects. Two or more students may share the award for a collaborative study, but a paper jointly authored by a student and a member of the graduate faculty is not eligible. An individual is eligible for one year following completion of study. Published papers are acceptable. Recipients of the Ph.D. prior to December 1, 2008 and previous winners of the Award are not eligible.

Length: The paper should be journal length; 12,000 words (including main text, references, end/footnotes, and appendix text) and 10 tables and graphs (combined, including appendices). Papers that exceed this limit will not be considered.

Submission Procedures: The deadline for receipt of submission is January 5, 2010. The student should email the paper and a letter from their research advisor confirming eligibility to the Chair: Andrew D. Foster (Brown University), dorothy_thomas@pstc.brown.edu. Other members of the committee are Jennifer Barber (University of Michigan), Philip Cohen (University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill), Ann Meier (University of Minnesota), Emilio A. Parrado (University of Pennsylvania). The Committee reserves the right to withhold the Award if it decides that no suitable paper was submitted.

2010 Mindel C. Sheps Award

Nominations are invited for the 2010 Mindel C. Sheps Award for outstanding contributions to mathematical demography, demographic methodology, and the modeling and analysis of population data.

This biennial award is jointly sponsored by the PAA and the UNC School of Public Health. Individuals should be nominated on the basis of important contributions to knowledge either in the form of a single piece of work or a continuing record of high accomplishment. Nominations should be submitted via email by January 31, 2010, to Wolfgang Lutz, Chair, Sheps Award Committee, International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis; lutz@iiasa.ac.at. Other committee members are Lingxin Hao (Johns Hopkins University), Ted Mouw, (University of North Carolina), Samuel H. Preston (University of Pennsylvania), James D. Vaupel (Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research), Paul R. Voss (University of North Carolina), and Maxine Weinstein (Georgetown University).

PAA Early Achievement Award

We welcome nominations for the newly instituted PAA Early Achievement Award to be presented at the PAA Annual Meeting in 2010. The PAA Early Achievement Award recognizes the career of a promising scholar who is a member of PAA. The award will be given biennially to scholars who have made distinguished contributions to population research during the first ten years after receipt of the Ph.D. Such contributions may be original research published as articles or books, significant newly collected data, or a public policy achievement that broadens the impact of demography.

Nominations (self nominations are permitted) should be sent to Kathleen Mullan Harris, (harrisk@email.unc.edu) by January 5, 2010. The nomination should include the name of the nominee, a brief description of his or her contributions to the field, two letters of recommendation indicating the importance of the contributions, and a copy of the nominee's vitae.

IPUMS Research Award

The Minnesota Population Center is pleased to announce the second annual award competition for research using the MPC's microdata collection. Papers or publications submitted should utilize one or more of the IPUMS datasets for studying social, economic, and/or demographic processes.

Prizes will be awarded for:

- Best published work, and
- Best work by a graduate student, published or unpublished.

Deadline for nomination or submission: December 31, 2009. For more information on the awards, eligibility requirements, and submission procedures go to: <http://usa.ipums.org/usa/award.pdf>

OBITUARY

Amos Henry Hawley, Ph.D., whose 1950 book "Human Ecology" had an international effect on the field of sociology, died Monday August 31 2009 in Chapel Hill at the age of 98.

A Kenan Professor Emeritus at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Hawley subtitled his book "A Theory of Community Structure." He wove together previously under-appreciated ideas from the 1940s to revive the field of human ecology, which focuses on ways that populations use technology and social systems to leverage environmental resources, mainly through community and economic organizations.

Hawley's leadership in population studies and sociology was recognized by his peers, who elected him president of the Population Association of America (1971-72) and of the American Sociological Association (1977-78). His ca-

reer was divided between the University of Michigan, where he earned his doctorate in 1941 and taught for 25 years, and UNC, where he taught from 1966 until his retirement in 1976.

Hawley was inducted into the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, one of the highest honors in academia, and was a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population. He also wrote the 1971 book “Urban Society: An Ecological Approach” (Ronald Press) and co-wrote “Principles of Sociology” (Henry Holt, 1952).

Hawley traveled the world conducting population studies and urban research, advising governments in the United States and elsewhere. From 1960 to 1974, he was a member of the National Academy of Sciences advisory committee to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. He also was on an advisory committee for the 1960 United States Census and on other National Academy of Sciences committees and boards.

Memorial contributions may be made to a new Amos Hawley Memorial Fund, which will benefit graduate students in sociology. Donations may be mailed to the Arts and Sciences Foundation, Campus Box 6115, UNC, Chapel Hill, N.C. 27599-6115. Contributions also may be made online at <https://college.unc.edu/foundation>.

Excerpted from <http://uncnews.unc.edu/content/view/2829/73>

CONGRATULATIONS!

Guillermina Jasso (New York University), Douglas S. Massey (Princeton University), Mark R. Rosenzweig (Yale University), and James P. Smith (RAND) have won the 2009 Award for Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship in Population, given by the Population Section of the American Sociological Association, for their article, “From Illegal to Legal: Estimating Previous Illegal Experience among New Legal Immigrants to the United States,” which was published in International Migration Review in 2008.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

PAA would like to welcome 14 new members since June 2009. Current membership now stands at 2,810.

CONTRIBUTORS PAA THANKS YOU!

A complete list of contributors is printed in the PAA Annual Meeting Final Program. Names listed in this issue of PAA Affairs include new donors and those individuals who have advanced to a new donor category June 1 through August 11, 2009. The categories are:

Patron	\$5,000 or more
Founder	\$1,000 - \$4,999
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Sponsor	\$ 250 - \$ 499
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