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EDUCATION

- 2011 **Doctor of Philosophy, Social Work**
The Ohio State University
Graduate Minor: Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies
Study Abroad: Jagiellonian University, Kraków, Poland
- 2007 **Master of Arts, Public Policy & Management**
The Ohio State University
- 2006 **Master of Social Work**
The Ohio State University
Concentration: Social Administration & Health
Study Abroad: University of Madras, Chennai, India
- 2004 **Bachelor of Arts, Women's Studies**
The Ohio State University
Concentration: Political Contexts & Social Change
- 2004 **Bachelor of Arts, Psychology**
The Ohio State University

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2022-Present **Director, Master of Social Work Program**
University of Utah College of Social Work
Salt Lake City, UT
- 2022-Present **Associate Professor**
University of Utah College of Social Work
Salt Lake City, UT
- 2022-Present **Faculty Affiliate**
Consortium for Families and Health Research, University of Utah
Salt Lake City, UT
- 2022 **Visiting Scholar**
Leiden University Institute of Criminal Law and Criminology
Leiden, Netherlands
- 2021-2022 **Research Fellow**
Utah Women & Leadership Project, Utah State University

	Logan, UT
2021	Adjunct Faculty University of Utah College of Social Work Salt Lake City, UT
2018-2019	Visiting Scholar University of Amsterdam Research Centre for Gender and Sexuality Amsterdam, Netherlands
2018	Associate Professor University of Utah College of Social Work Salt Lake City, UT
2017-2018	Faculty Affiliate Center for Research on Migration & Refugee Integration University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
2014-2018	Faculty Affiliate Asia Center, University of Utah Salt Lake City, UT
2011-2018	Assistant Professor University of Utah College of Social Work Salt Lake City, UT
2010-2011	Project Coordinator The Ohio State University College of Social Work Columbus, OH
2008-2011	Graduate Student Lecturer The Ohio State University College of Social Work Columbus, OH
2006-2010	Graduate Research Associate The Ohio State University College of Social Work Columbus, OH

RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS

Gender-based violence	Social welfare and social policy
Sexual and reproductive health and rights	Gender and sexuality
Intimate labor (e.g., sex work, assisted reproduction)	Macro and global social work
Human trafficking	Qualitative research methods

PUBLICATIONS

* Indicates student author at time of collaboration

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

1. **Gezinski, L.B.**, O'Connor, J., Voth Schrag, R.J., & Wood, L. (Under Review). Intimate partner violence and academic challenges among college students: The role of campus belonging, safety, and health-related service utilization. *Psychology of Violence*.

2. *McMillan, I.F., *Brienzo, M.J., **Gezinski, L.B.**, Kaniuka., A., Bowling, J., *Willard, J., *Yoder, A., *Post., A., Reinken, M., Walker, C., Ortiz, C., & Mennicke, A. (Under Review). Technology-facilitated abuse among college students: Prevalence and consequences by gender and sexual identity. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*.
3. **Gezinski, L.B.**, *Gonzalez-Pons, K., & *Rogers, M. (2023). "Praying does not stop his fist from hitting my face": Religion and intimate partner violence from the perspective of survivors and service providers. *Journal of Family Issues*, 44(9), 2504–2524.
4. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.**, *Casassa, K., & *Kaloga, M. (2023). "We were not earning enough, so we started this job": Exploring the lived experiences of female sex workers in Kathmandu. *The International Journal of Community and Social Development*, 5(2), 203-217.
5. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2022). "It's kind of hit and miss with them": Police response to intimate partner violence in a mandatory arrest state. *Journal of Family Violence*, 37(1), 99-111.
6. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Gonzalez-Pons, K.M. (2022). Legal barriers and re-victimization for survivors of intimate partner violence navigating courts. *Women & Criminal Justice*, 32(5), 454-466.
7. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Gonzalez-Pons, K.M. (2022). Sex trafficking and technology: A systematic review of recruitment and exploitation. *Journal of Human Trafficking*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/23322705.2022.2034378>
8. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2021). (De)criminalization of survivors of domestic minor sex trafficking: A social work call to action. *Social Work*, 66(3), 236-244.
9. **Gezinski, L.B.**, *Carlsen, B., & Hawkins, C. (2021). Motherhood and assisted reproduction in a religious context: Genes, stigma and supports in Utah, United States. *Health and Social Care in the Community*, 29(6), 1738-1746.
10. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Gonzalez-Pons, K. (2021). Unlocking the door to safety and stability: Housing barriers for survivors of intimate partner violence. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, 36(17-18), 8338-8357.
11. **Gezinski, L.B.**, *Gonzalez-Pons, K., & *Rogers, M. (2021). Substance use as a coping mechanism for survivors of intimate partner violence: Implications for safety and service accessibility. *Violence Against Women*, 27(2), 108-123.
12. *Reese, S.E., *Riquino, M.R., *Molloy, J., *Nguyen, V., Smid, M., Tenort, B., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2021). Experiences of nursing professionals working with women diagnosed with opioid use disorder and their newborns: Burnout and the need for support. *Advances in Neonatal Care*, 21(1), 32-40.
13. *Beaujolais, B., *Kaloga, M., Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, Kadambari, P., & Maskey, K. (2020). Client-perpetrated violence toward female sex workers in Kathmandu. *Violence Against Women*, 26(2), 249-267.
14. Fukushima, A., *Gonzalez-Pons, K., **Gezinski, L.**, & Clark, L. (2020). Multiplicity of stigma: Cultural barriers in anti-trafficking response. *International Journal of Human Rights in*

Healthcare, 13(2), 125-142.

15. *Gonzalez-Pons, K.M., **Gezinski, L.**, *Morzenti, H., *Hendrix, E., & Graves, S. (2020). Exploring the relationship between domestic minor sex trafficking myths, victim identification, and service provision. *Child Abuse & Neglect*, 100, 104093.
16. Huber-Krum, S., Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.** (2020). "A condom is compulsory": A qualitative study of condom use and negotiation strategies among female sex workers in Nepal. *Women & Health*, 60(8), 872-886.
17. *Levitt, A., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2020). Compassion fatigue and resiliency factors in animal shelter workers. *Society & Animals*, 28(5-6), 633-650.
18. *Kaloga, M., Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *McCloskey, R. (2019). Health concerns and access to services: Female sex workers' experiences in Mumbai, India. *World Medical & Health Policy*, 11(2), 148-162.
19. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., *Huber, S., & *Levitt, A. (2018). Commissioning parents' experiences with international surrogacy: A qualitative study. *Health & Social Work*, 43(3), 175-184.
20. *Huber, S., Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2018). Exploring Indian surrogates' perceptions of the ban on international surrogacy. *Affilia: Feminist Inquiry in Social Work*, 33(1), 69-84.
21. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., *Levitt, A., & *Ghaffarian, R. (2017). "We want to offer you peace of mind": Marketing of transnational commercial surrogacy services to intended parents. *Health Marketing Quarterly*, 34(4), 302-314.
22. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Huber, S. (2017). Exploring the physical and emotional stress of a surrogate pregnancy among transnational Indian surrogates. *International Social Work*, 60(6), 1433-1442.
23. Rothman, E., Baldwin, S., Stoklosa, H., Chisolm-Straker, M., Price, R., Atkinson, H., ... (2017). Public health research priorities to address US human trafficking [editorial]. *American Journal of Public Health*, 107(7), 1045-1047.¹
24. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., *Carter, J., & *White, M. (2016). Exploring motivations, awareness of side effects, and attitudes among potential egg donors at time of orientation. *Health & Social Work*, 41(2), 75-83.
25. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., *Levitt, A., & *Ghaffarian, R. (2016). "Total girlfriend experience": Examining marketplace mythologies on sex tourism websites. *Culture, Health & Sexuality*, 18(7), 785-798.
26. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., *White, M., & *Kaloga, M. (2016). "I may not know you but I know you'll make great parents": An analysis of egg donor profiles. *International Journal of Child Health and Human Development*, 9(2), 283-294.

¹ Group authored by members of HEAL Research Committee.

27. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Kaloga, M. (2016). "Even God does not want me": A qualitative study of health issues and access to health care among sex-trafficked women and girls in India. *International Public Health Journal*, 8(2), 283-294.
28. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2014). Examining the relationship between race, ethnicity, foreign-born status and social capital among women on public assistance. *Social Indicators Research*, 115(1), 9-21.
29. Karandikar, S., Frost, C., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2014). Patriarchy and gender-based violence: Experiences of female sex workers in India. *International Journal of Social Work*, 1(1), 1-14.
30. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, *Carter, J.R., & *Kaloga, M. (2014). Economic necessity or noble cause? A qualitative study exploring motivations for gestational surrogacy in Gujarat, India. *Affilia: Feminist Inquiry in Social Work*, 29(2), 219-231.
31. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Karandikar, S. (2013). Exploring needs of sex workers from Kamathipura red-light area of Mumbai, India. *Journal of Social Service Research*, 39(4), 552-561.
32. Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2013). Intimate partner violence and HIV risk among female sex workers of Mumbai, India. *Journal of Ethnic & Cultural Diversity in Social Work*, 22(2), 112-128.
33. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Meshelemiah, J. (2013). A qualitative examination of women involved in prostitution in Mumbai, India: The role of family and acquaintances. *International Social Work*, 56(4), 496-515.
34. *Carter, J. R., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Karandikar, S. (2012). A comprehensive review of reproductive egg donation web sites. *Journal of Consumer Health on the Internet*, 16(1), 53-65.
35. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2012). The Global Gag Rule: Impacts of conservative ideology on women's health. *International Social Work*, 55(6), 837-849.
36. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., & *Carter, J.R. (2012). The use of emotional imagery and language in egg donation websites. *Journal of Consumer Health on the Internet*, 16(4), 390-402.
37. Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2012). "These girls gave me AIDS. Why should I use condoms?" Clients of sex workers in Kamathipura express their attitudes about HIV. *Journal of HIV/AIDS & Social Services*, 11(2), 140-151.
38. Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2012). "Without us, sex workers will die like weeds": Male clients' perceptions of gender-based violence among female sex workers of Mumbai, India. *Indian Journal of Gender Studies*, 19(3), 351-371.
39. Williamson, C., Karandikar-Chheda, S., Barrows, J., Smouse, T., Kelly, G., Swartz, P., ... **Gezinski, L.**, & Dieffenderfer, T. (2010). Report on the prevalence of human trafficking in Ohio to Attorney General Richard Cordray. *Trends in Organized Crime*, 13, 192-218.
40. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2009). Addressing sexual minority issues in social work education: A curriculum framework. *Advances in Social Work*, 10(1), 103-113.

41. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2008). Application of conflict theory to welfare policy. *Perspectives on Social Work*, 7(1), 18-20.

Book Chapters

42. Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2017). Exploring the daily challenges of female sex workers to negotiate safe sex in Mumbai, India: What can social workers do? In M. Henrickson, D. Chipanta, V. Lynch, H. Muñoz Sanchez, V. Nadkarni, T. Semigina, & V. Sewpaul (Eds.), *Getting to zero: Global social work responds to HIV*. Geneva: UNAIDS.
43. Franchek-Roa, K., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2016). Social health. In K.B. Digre & C.J. Frost (Eds.), *The 7 domains of health: Multidisciplinary considerations of women's health in the 21st century* (pp. 147-166). Dubuque, IA: Kendall Hunt Publishers.
44. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Kaloga, M. (2015). Health care among sex-trafficked women and girls in India. In B.D. Friedman & J. Merrick. (Eds.), *Public health, social work and health inequalities*. New York: Nova Science Publishers, Inc.
45. Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2013). False promises of the big city: Understanding globalization and gender oppression among people living on the streets of Kamathipura red-light area in Mumbai, India. In J. Finn, S. Karandikar, & T. Perry. (Eds.), *Gender oppression and globalization: Challenges for social work*. Alexandria, VA: CSWE Press.

Reports & Monographs

46. Fukushima, A.I., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Boley, E. (2018). *Violence Against Women Community Needs Assessment: Report, July 2018*. San Francisco, CA: Department on the Status of Women.
47. Fukushima, A.I., *Gonzalez-Pons, K., O'Connor, A., Clark, L., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2018). *Assessing the Needs for Survivors of Human Trafficking in Salt Lake City: A White Paper*. Salt Lake City, UT: College of Social Work, University of Utah.
48. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2017). *Utah Statewide Domestic Violence Needs Assessment 2016-2017*. Salt Lake City, UT: College of Social Work, University of Utah.
49. Anderson-Butcher, D.A., Iachini, A.L., Wade-Mdivanian, R.L., **Gezinski, L.**, & Gibson, A. (2013). *The Ohio - Quality Assessment Rubric Guide*. Columbus, OH: Community and Youth Collaborative Institute, College of Social Work, The Ohio State University.
50. Williamson, C., Karandikar-Chheda, S., Barrows, J., Smouse, T., Kelly, G., Swartz, P., ... **Gezinski, L.**, & Dieffenderfer, T. (2010). *Ohio Trafficking in Persons Study Commission Research and Analysis Sub-Committee Report on the Prevalence of Human Trafficking in Ohio to Attorney General Richard Cordray*. Columbus, OH: Ohio Attorney General's Office.
51. Anderson-Butcher, D., **Gezinski, L.B.**, Wade-Mdivanian, R.L., & Iachini, A.L. (2008). *21st Century Community Learning Centers Ohio Quality Assessment Rubric Statewide Report 2007-2008*. Columbus, OH: Ohio State University.
52. Anderson-Butcher, D.A., Iachini, A.L., Wade-Mdivanian, R.L., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2007). *Ohio Quality Assessment Rubric (O-QAR) Workbook*. Columbus, OH: Ohio State University Research Foundation.

Research Snapshots & Briefs

53. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Caress, M., Christensen, M., & Madsen, S.R. (2022, April). Human trafficking among Utah girls and women. Utah Women & Leadership Project, Utah State University.

Reviews

54. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2011). 'Expressions of Drunkenness (Four Hundred Rabbits). A. Fox & M. MacAvoy', *Journal of Social Work Practice in the Addictions*, 11(2), 194.

GRANTS EXPERIENCE

- 2023-2024 *Fostering Mental and Physical Health Among LGBTQ+ Mormons and Their Families*. 1U4U Innovation Funding. Role: Co-Investigator. PI: Diamond. \$30,000. Purpose: To identify evidence-based strategies for fostering the mental and physical health of LGBTQ+ members of the LDS Church.
- 2017-2018 *Violence Against Women Community Needs Assessment*. San Francisco Department on the Status of Women. Role: Co-Investigator. PI: Fukushima. \$88,864.86. Purpose: To identify awareness, availability, accessibility, barriers, and gaps of services for survivors of human trafficking, domestic violence, and sexual assault in the county and city of San Francisco.
- 2017 *Assessing Needs and Gaps in Coordinated Response to Human Trafficking*. Salt Lake City Mayor's Office, Salt Lake City Council, & Salt Lake County District Attorney's Office. Role: Co-Investigator. PI: O'Connor. \$30,000. Purpose: To understand the extent to which assets and resources are available to combat human trafficking in Salt Lake City.
- 2015-2016 *Does Gender-Based Violence Contribute to STI Transmission Among Sex Workers in Kathmandu, Nepal?* University Research Committee, University of Utah. Role: Principal Investigator. \$5,939. Purpose: To examine the relationship between gender-based violence and STI transmission among sex workers in post-earthquake Nepal.
- 2015-2016 *Is There a Sex Trafficking Problem in Salt Lake County? Perceptions of Criminal Justice Professionals*. University of Utah College of Social Work. Role: Principal Investigator. \$9,915. Purpose: To identify the prevalence of sex trafficking in Salt Lake County, determine the demographic profile of sex-trafficked victims/survivors, define gaps, and provide recommendations for better identification and intervention.
- 2014-2015 *Exploring Experiences of Sex Work and Sex Trafficking Among Sex Workers in Kathmandu, Nepal*. Asia Center, University of Utah. Role: Principal Investigator. \$1,000. Purpose: To examine sex workers' process of entry, experiences of violence, and health-related problems in Kathmandu, Nepal.
- 2014-2015 *Engaging Field Instructors to Improve Student Learning in Macro Practice & Diversity*. University Teaching Committee, University of Utah. Role: Co-Investigator. PI: Mehrotra. \$3,080. Purpose: To assess and address the links and gaps between field education and classroom learning in macro practice and diversity, and center the development of strategies to enhance field and

classroom-based teaching and learning for students and field instructors in these curricular domains.

- 2010-2011 *Project RISE: Reentry Inventory of Service Engagement Following Incarceration* Ohio Department of Public Safety. Role: Key Personnel. PI: Begun. \$104,000 with \$21,000 OSU CSW match. Purpose: To identify the extent of service needs anticipated and experienced by people preparing for and following community reentry; barriers to meeting service needs; gendered differences in reentry experiences; and differences with release from jails, prisons, or community based correctional facilities.
- 2006-2008 *Comprehensive System of Learning Supports in 21st Century Community Learning Centers in Ohio*. Ohio Department of Education. Role: Key Personnel. PI: Anderson-Butcher. \$652,938 (Year 1) & \$649,997 (Year 2). Purpose: To engage in research and program evaluation through the development of the Ohio-Quality Assessment Rubric (O-QAR), technical and expert assistance for program and school administrators, and professional development of school administrators and staff.
- 2005-2006 *Ohio Comprehensive Assessment and Planning Model Interim Solution Pilot Evaluation Project*. Ohio Department of Jobs and Family Services. Role: Key Personnel. PI: Cash. \$1,200,000. Purpose: To identify and evaluate child welfare caseworkers' decision making regarding the promotion of children's safety, permanence, and well-being.

PRESENTATIONS

* Indicates student author

Peer-Reviewed Presentations (International)

1. **Gezinski, L.B.**, O'Connor, J., Voth Schrag, R., & Wood, L. (2024, April). Campus-Level Protective Factors, Health-Related Service Utilization, and Academic Challenges Among College Student Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence. Paper Presentation at the Joint World Conference on Social Work, Education, and Social Development. Panama City, Republic of Panama. (Accepted)
2. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, Casassa, K., & Kaloga, M. (2024, April). Pathways to Sex Work: Lived Experiences of Female Sex Workers in Nepal. Paper Presentation at the Joint World Conference on Social Work, Education, and Social Development. Panama City, Republic of Panama. (Accepted)
3. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Gonzalez-Pons, K. (2021, July). Social Media and Sex Trafficking: A Systematic Review of Recruitment and Exploitation. Paper Presentation at the International Consortium for Social Development. Johannesburg, South Africa. (Virtual due to Covid-19)
4. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Gonzalez-Pons, K. (2018, July). Treating Trauma: Barriers to Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Services for Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence in the United States. Paper Presentation at the Joint World Conference on Social Work, Education and Social Development. Dublin, Ireland.
5. **Gezinski, L.B.**, *Gonzalez-Pons, K., & *Bassarrear, J. (2018, July). Criminal Justice Professionals' Perceptions of Sex Trafficking: Implications for Identification in the United States. Paper Presentation at the Joint World Conference on Social Work, Education and

Social Development. Dublin, Ireland.

6. *Gonzalez-Pons, K., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2018, July). Law and Disorder: Barriers to Justice for Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence in the United States. Paper Presentation at the Joint World Conference on Social Work, Education and Social Development. Dublin, Ireland.
7. Karandikar, S., *Beaujolaïs, B., *Kaloga, M., & **Gezinski, L.** (2018, July). Client-Perpetrated Violence in the Context of Sex Work: Exploring the Experiences of Female Sex Workers in Kathmandu. Paper Presentation at the Joint World Conference on Social Work, Education and Social Development. Dublin, Ireland.
8. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., *Kaloga, M., Kadambari, P., & Maskey, L. (2017, July). Gender-Based Violence and Sexual Health Among Female Sex Workers in the Context of Earthquakes and Trade Embargo in Kathmandu. Paper Presentation at the International Consortium for Social Development. Zagreb, Croatia.
9. Karandikar, S., *Huber, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2017, July). Exploring Surrogate Mothers' Perceptions About the Ban on International Gestational Surrogacy in India. Paper Presentation at the International Consortium for Social Development. Zagreb, Croatia.
10. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Karandikar, S. (2016, June). "I'm Changing Their Lives": Transnational Surrogacy from the Perspective of Commissioning Parents. Paper Presentation at the World Conference on Social Work, Education and Social Development 2016. Seoul, South Korea.
11. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Kaloga, M. (2016, June). Exploring the Everyday Stressors Among Surrogate Mothers in India. Paper Presentation at the World Conference on Social Work, Education and Social Development 2016. Seoul, South Korea.
12. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., *Ghaffarian, R., & *Kaloga, M. (2014, July). "Angels in Paradise": A Content Analysis of Sex Tourism Websites. Poster Presentation at the Joint World Conference on Social Work, Education and Social Development. Melbourne, Australia.
13. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, *Carter, J., & *Kaloga, M. (2014, July). "Not a Prostitute, Just a Surrogate Mother": Motivations and Experiences of Surrogate Mothers in India. Paper Presentation at the Joint World Conference on Social Work, Education and Social Development. Melbourne, Australia.
14. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Karandikar, S. (2013, June). "Trapped in the Brick Cages": Entry and Experiences of Girl Children Trafficked into Sex Work in Mumbai, India. Paper Presentation at the International Social Work Conference on Children and Youth. Phnom Penh, Cambodia.
15. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Karandikar, S. (2012, July). "Violence is There All the Time": Gender-Based Violence and Female Sex Workers from the Perspective of Clients in Mumbai, India. Paper Presentation at the World Conference on Social Work and Social Development. Stockholm, Sweden.
16. Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2012, July). Stories from the Margin: Exploring

Globalization and Gender Oppression Among People Living in Kamathipura Red-Light Area of Mumbai, India. Paper Presentation at the World Conference on Social Work and Social Development. Stockholm, Sweden.

17. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Carter, J.R. (2012, June). Motivations for Becoming an Egg Donor: A Content Analysis of Egg Donor Profiles. Paper Presentation at the International Conference on Social Sciences. Honolulu, HI.
18. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Karandikar, S. (2011, September). Exploring the Trajectory of Violence in the Lives of Female Sex Workers of Mumbai, India. Paper Presentation at the International Human Trafficking, Prostitution and Sex Work Conference. Toledo, OH.
19. Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2010, August). Exploring the Relationship Between Intimate Partner Violence and HIV/AIDS Risks Among Female Sex Workers of Mumbai, India. Paper Presentation at the National Seminar on Social Work and HIV/AIDS. Kerala, India.
20. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Meshelemiah, J. (2010, August). Sold to Sex Work: Experiences of Victims of Sex Trafficking from Mumbai. Paper Presentation at the International Conference on Development and Equity for a Global Society: Emerging Concerns for Social Work. Chennai, India.

Peer-Reviewed Presentations (National)

21. **Gezinski, L.B.**, O'Connor, J., Voth Schrag, R., & Wood, L. (2024, January). Campus Belonging and Campus Safety Mediate the Relationship Between Intimate Partner Violence and Academic Challenges Among College Students. Paper Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research: Washington, DC.
22. Mennicke, A., **Gezinski, L.B.**, McMillan, I.F., Brienzo, M.J., Kaniuka, A., Bowling, J., Willard, J., Yoder, A., Post, A., Reinken, M., Walker, C., & Ortiz, C. (2024, January). Prevalence and Consequences of Technology-facilitated Abuse Among College Students by Gender and Sexual Identity. Poster Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research: Washington, DC.
23. Willey-Sthapit, C., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Storer, H. (2023, April). Solidarity in Programs That Serve People With Lived Experiences of Gender-based Violence: A Qualitative Scoping Review. Paper Presentation at ResilienceCon: Nashville, TN.
24. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., Murshid, N.S., & Willey-Sthapit, C. (2023, January). Towards Transnational Feminist Theory and Methodologies in Social Work Research. Roundtable Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research: Phoenix, AZ.
25. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2022, January). Police Response to Intimate Partner Violence in a Mandatory Arrest State: Perspectives of Survivors and Service Providers. Poster Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research: Washington, DC.
26. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Gonzalez-Pons, K. (2022, January). Anti-Trafficking Policing of the Internet: Is There Evidence for FOSTA-SESTA? Poster Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research: Washington, DC.
27. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Gonzalez-Pons, K. (2021, January). Survivors of Intimate Partner

Violence Face Housing Instability in a Housing First State. Poster Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. (Virtual due to Covid-19)

28. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Gonzalez-Pons, K. (2019, January). "Defendant Trumps Victim Rights": Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence Face Difficulty When Navigating Courts. Paper Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. San Francisco, CA.
29. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Gonzalez-Pons, K. (2019, January). Faith First, Family First: (Lacking) Religious Response to Intimate Partner Violence. Poster Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. San Francisco, CA.
30. Karandikar, S., *Huber, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2019, January). Condom Negotiation Strategies Among Female Sex Workers in Nepal: Use, Strategies, and Consequences. Paper Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. San Francisco, CA.
31. *Priddy, S., *Nguyen, V., *Riquino, M., *Molloy, J., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2019, January). Serving Families During the Opioid Epidemic: A Phenomenological Study. Paper Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. San Francisco, CA.
32. **Gezinski, L.B.**, *Gonzalez-Pons, K., & Oxborrow, J. (2018, November). "I Stayed High So I Didn't Have to Feel": Substance Use and Functioning Among Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence. Poster Presentation at the American Public Health Association. San Diego, CA.
33. *Huber, S., Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2018, January). Examining the Impact of the Ban on International Surrogacy on the Livelihood of Surrogate Mothers in India. Poster Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. Washington, DC.
34. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Mengo, C. (2018, January). The History of Intimate Partner Violence in the Lives of Street-based Female Sex Workers of Mumbai, India. Poster Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. Washington, DC.
35. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., *Kaloga, M., Kadambari, P., & Maskey, K. (2017, October). Sexual Health Among Female Sex Workers in Post-earthquake Kathmandu. Paper Presentation at the American Public Health Association. Atlanta, GA.
36. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Oxborrow, J. (2017, September). Substance Abuse as a Barrier to Intimate Partner Violence Service Provision: A Statewide Needs Assessment. Paper Presentation at the National Conference on Health and Domestic Violence. San Francisco, CA.
37. *Kaloga, M., Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Beaujoulais, B. (2017, September). Violence Across the Lifespan: Narratives from Female Sex Workers in Kathmandu, Nepal. Poster Presentation at the National Conference on Health and Domestic Violence. San Francisco, CA.
38. Kukke, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, O'Neill, S., De Lisser, R., Machtinger, E., Packard, G., & Thompson, L. (2017, September). Thinking about Trauma, Opioid/Substance Use and DSV: Exploring Trauma-Informed Strategies to Support Survivor Health, Well-being and Safety. Pre-Conference Institute at the National Conference on Health and Domestic Violence, San Francisco, CA.

39. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., *Huber, S.A., & *Levitt, A. (2017, January). Why Do Individuals Seek Surrogacy Abroad? Motivations and Experiences of Intended Parents in Transnational Surrogacy Arrangements. Poster Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. New Orleans, LA.
40. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Kaloga, M. (2016, August). "There Was a Red-light Area Here - Now It's McDonalds and a Shopping Mall": Globalization and Changing Trends of Sex Work in Mumbai India. Paper Presentation at the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Seattle, WA.
41. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, *Huber, S., & *Kaloga, M. (2016, April). The Economic and Social Effects of International Surrogacy on Surrogate Women. Paper Presentation at the Population Association of America. Washington, DC.
42. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Kaloga, M. (2015, November). A Qualitative Study on Health Problems and Access to Health Care Among Female Victims of Sex Trafficking in Mumbai, India. Poster Presentation at the American Public Health Association. Chicago, IL.
43. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Kaloga, M. (2015, October). Qualitative Research on Experiences and Motivations of Surrogate Mothers in India. Paper Presentation at the Council on Social Work Education. Denver, CO.
44. Mehrotra, G., **Gezinski, L.B.**, Tecele, A., Gringeri, C., & Castillo, J. (2015, October). Supporting Field Instructors' Integration of Macro Practice and Diversity/Social Justice into Practicum. Discussion Group at the Council on Social Work Education. Denver, CO.
45. **Gezinski, L.B.**, Karandikar, S., & *Carter, J. (2014, November). "Just Another Form of Giving Back": Motivations, Awareness, and Attitudes of Potential Oocyte Donors at Orientation. Paper Presentation at the American Public Health Association. New Orleans, LA.
46. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, *Carter, J., & *Kaloga, M. (2014, November). Examination of the Motivations, Supports, and Stigma Experienced by Gestational Surrogates in Gujarat, India. Paper Presentation at the American Public Health Association. New Orleans, LA.
47. Mehrotra, G.R., & **Gezinski, L.B.**, Gringeri, C., Castillo, J., & Tecele, A. (2014, October). Exploring Field Instructors' Perspectives on Macro Practice and Diversity in Social Work. Paper Presentation at the Council on Social Work Education. Tampa, FL.
48. Karandikar, S., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2013, March). Exploring Health Histories of Women Trafficked into Sex Work in Mumbai, India. Paper Presentation at the Association for Women in Psychology. Salt Lake City, UT.
49. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Karandikar, S. (2012, January). Exploring the Needs of Sex Workers in Kamathipura, Mumbai, India. Paper Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. Washington, DC.
50. Begun, A., Early, T., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & *Sielski, C. (2012, January). Project RISE: Reentry Inventory of Service Engagement Following Incarceration. Paper Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. Washington, DC.

51. *Carter, J.R., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Karandikar, S. (2011, October). "Angels Like You": A Content Analysis of Reproductive Egg Donation Websites. Paper Presentation at the Council on Social Work Education. Atlanta, GA.
52. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Kim, R. (2011, January). Personal and Professional Values of MSW Students: The Impact of Sex and Marriage Attitudes on Perceptions of Welfare Mothers. Paper Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. Tampa, FL.
53. Karandikar, S., **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Meshelemiah, J. (2011, January). One-Way Ticket to a Red-Light Area: Experiences of Sex Trafficking Victims from Mumbai, India. Paper Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. Tampa, FL.
54. Lee, W., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2011, January). Determinants of Welfare Leaving: The Significance of Educational Attainment. Poster Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. Tampa, FL.
55. **Gezinski, L.B.**, & Kim, R. (2010, May). Sex, Marriage, and Welfare Mothers: Personal and Professional Values of Master of Social Work Students. Poster Presentation at the National Symposium on Doctoral Research in Social Work. Columbus, OH.
56. Anderson-Butcher, D., Bean, J., Iachini, A., Ball, A., & **Gezinski, L.** (2009, January). Measuring School-Wide Needs While Simultaneously Measuring Student Level Outcomes. Paper Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research. New Orleans, LA.
57. **Gezinski, L.B.** (2008, November). Addressing Sexual Minority Issues in Social Work Education: A Curriculum Framework. Paper Presentation at the Council on Social Work Education. Philadelphia, PA.

Invited & Community Presentations (Selected)

Altink, S., Etchart, A., **Gezinski, L.B.**, Knox, S., & Meppelink, E. (2019, June). *Facing the Red Light: Facts and Fictions of Sex Work*. Panel presentation at WORM Rotterdam, The Netherlands.

Gezinski, L.B. (2019, April). *Sex Trafficking Recruitment and Exploitation on the Internet: A Profile of Empirical Research*. Presentation at University of Amsterdam Research Centre for Gender and Sexuality, The Netherlands.

Fukushima, A., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2018, March). *Domesticating Bodies, Domestic Spaces: Trafficking and the Intersection of Race and Gender*. Presentation at University of Utah Women's Week & Grand Rounds, Salt Lake City, UT.

*Jenson, R.N., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2018, March). *Sex Trafficking: The Invisible Neoliberal Motivation of Modern Slavery*. Poster presentation at Utah State Capitol, Salt Lake City, UT.

Fenn, K., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2017, October). *Filling the Gap: Trends and Approaches to Navigating Imposter Phenomenon*. Presentation at Women in Business, David Eccles School of Business, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT.

Gezinski, L.B. (2017, September). *What's Macro got to do with Social Work Practice? Bridging Field and Classroom Education for Macro Practice in Social Work*. Presentation at New Field Instructor Training, University of Utah College of Social Work, Salt Lake City, UT.

Gezinski, L.B. (2017, March). *Utah Domestic & Sexual Violence Needs Assessment: Survivor & Provider Findings*. Presentation at Utah Department of Human Services, Salt Lake City, UT.

Gezinski, L.B., Gruelle, K., Oxborrow, J., Parnell, B., & Tollefson, D. (2017, March). *Private Violence Film Screening*. Panel presentation at University of Utah College of Social Work, Salt Lake City, UT.

Gezinski, L.B. (2016, December). *Utah Domestic Violence Needs Assessment: Preliminary Findings*. Presentation at Utah Domestic Violence Coalition Statewide Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT.

Fenn, K., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2016, November). *Solidarity: Support and Conversations Around Gendered Experiences in Male-Dominated Fields*. Presentation at University of Utah Women in Physics and Astronomy Club, Salt Lake City, UT.

Gezinski, L.B. (2016, August). *Discussion Panel with Utah Domestic Violence Coalition*. Panel presentation at Mestizo Institute of Culture & Arts, Salt Lake City, UT.

*Morgan, C., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2016, January). *Sex Trafficking in Utah: Perceptions of Criminal Justice Professionals*. Poster presentation at Utah State Capitol, Salt Lake City, UT.

*Zamantakis, A., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2015, March). *Invisible Bodies: Queer+ and Trans+ Youth in the Juvenile Legal System*. Poster presentation at Undergraduate Research Symposium, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT.

*Zamantakis, A., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2015, January). *Queers+ in Handcuffs: Queer+ and Trans+ Youth in the Juvenile Legal System*. Poster presentation at Utah State Capitol, Salt Lake City, UT.

*Hyde, K., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2014, April). *Bhutanese Refugee Women's Lived Reproductive Health Experience in Salt Lake City, Utah*. Poster presentation at Undergraduate Research Symposium, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT.

Baumer, J., **Gezinski, L.B.**, Larsen, N., Maxfield, F., & Rabin, M. (2012, September). *Half the Sky Film Screening*. Panel presentation at Utah Museum of Contemporary Art for KUED Channel 7, Salt Lake City, UT.

Gezinski, L.B. (2011, November). *Utah Food Stamp Challenge*. Panel presentation at University of Utah College of Social Work, Salt Lake City, UT.

Gezinski, L.B., & Kim, R. (2010, October). *Sex, Marriage, and Welfare Mothers: Personal and Professional Values of Master of Social Work Students*. Poster presentation at National Association of Social Workers, Ohio Chapter Annual Conference, Columbus, OH.

Anderson-Butcher, D., Fauver, W., Iachini, A., Wade-Mdivanian, R., & **Gezinski, L.B.** (2008, February). *Using the Ohio Quality Assessment Rubric (O-QAR) for Strategic Planning*. Presentation at the 21st Century Tools for Success Series Conference, Columbus, OH.

TEACHING

University of Utah

(Average Instructor Score: 5.79 on 6-point scale with 6 representing 'excellent')

- Social Justice, Human Rights, & Macro Social Work Practice I *(MSW; Co-Created)*
- Social Justice, Human Rights, & Macro Social Work Practice II *(MSW; Co-Created)*
- Social Work and Human Trafficking *(MSW-Online; Created Course)*
- Advanced Policy in Public Services *(MSW)*
- Social Welfare and Poverty: Policies and Programs *(MSW)*
- Social Work in Organizations and Communities *(MSW)*
- Social Work and Human Trafficking *(BSW-Online; Created Course)*
- Social Diversity and Cultural Understanding *(BSW-Online)*
- Social Work Research & Evaluation *(BSW-Online)*

Independent Studies Supervised

- 2018 Domestic Violence *(1 MSW Student)*
- 2017 Community Based Participatory Research *(1 PhD Student)*
- 2016 Environmental Racism: Flint Engagement Project *(11 MSW Students)*
- 2016 Domestic Violence *(1 MSW Student)*
- 2016 Domestic Violence *(1 MSW Student)*
- 2016 Compassion Fatigue *(1 MSW Student)*
- 2014 Gender Issues - Peer Mentors *(9 MSW Students)*

Guest Lecturer

Advanced Practice – Perspectives in Global Social Work *(MSW)*
Human Trafficking Overview for Social Work Students. (2017, October)

Advanced Practice – Perspectives in Global Social Work *(MSW)*
Sex Trafficking: Global Social Work Overview. (2016, October)

Interdisciplinary Graduate Seminar on Gender and Sexuality *(Graduate)*
Commodification of Women's Bodies. (2016, February)

Health, Society, and Policy Honors Course *(Undergraduate)*
Overview of Sex Trafficking in Mumbai: Current Issues and Implications. (2013, April)

The Ohio State University

- Problems, Policies, and Programs in Social Welfare I (*BSSW, Sole Instructor*)
- Problems, Policies, and Programs in Social Welfare II (*BSSW, Sole Instructor*)
- Statistics: Summer Refresher (*MSW-Online, Sole Instructor*)
- Policy: Summer Refresher (*MSW-Online, Sole Instructor*)
- International Social Work (*BSSW, MSW, PhD, Teaching Assistant*)
- Individual Needs and Societal Responses (*BSSW, Teaching Assistant*)

STUDENT ADVISING AND MENTORSHIP

PhD Dissertation Committees

2022-Present Bobby Younce, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2022-Present Abigail Anderson, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2017-2023 Karla Aguila Arroyo, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2017-2020 Sarah Priddy, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2017-2019 Ujal Ibrahim, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2012-2014 Kathleen Galvin, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2012-2014 Erik Rolstad, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2012-2014 Amanda West, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2012-2013 Heidi Brocious, College of Social Work, University of Utah

PhD Dissertation External Reviewer

2017 Monique Huysamen, Department of Psychology, University of Cape Town

PhD Qualifying Exam Committees

2017 Sarah Priddy, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2016-2017 Ujal Ibrahim, College of Social Work, University of Utah

Undergraduate Honors Thesis Advisor

2014-2015 Alithia Zamantakis, Department of Sociology & Gender Studies Program, University of Utah

2015 Nisha Kavalam, College of Social Work, University of Utah

2013-2014 Katie Hyde, College of Social Work, University of Utah

Undergraduate Research Opportunities Project (UROP) Faculty Sponsor

2017	Robin Jenson, Department of Economics, University of Utah
2017	Brialyn Hassett, College of Social Work, University of Utah
2015-2016	Christie Morgan, College of Social Work, University of Utah
2015	MacKenzie Bray, Department of Health Promotion and Education, University of Utah
2014-2015	Alithia Zamantakis, Department of Sociology & Gender Studies Program, University of Utah
2013-2014	Katie Hyde, College of Social Work, University of Utah

Community Engaged Scholars Integrative Service Project Faculty Sponsor

2013-2014	Isaiah Johnson, College of Social Work, University of Utah
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SERVICE

Professional Service

2022-Present	Global Association of Human Trafficking Scholars: Translational Workgroup Member
2023	Society for Social Work and Research: Abstract Reviewer
2022	International Health, American Public Health Association: Abstract Reviewer
2022	Women's Caucus, American Public Health Association: Abstract Reviewer
2022	Family Violence Prevention Caucus, American Public Health Association: Abstract Reviewer
2018-2021	Council on the Role and Status of Women in Social Work Education, Council on Social Work Education: Member
2021	International Health, American Public Health Association: Abstract Reviewer
2021	Women's Caucus, American Public Health Association: Abstract Reviewer
2019	Family Violence Prevention Caucus, American Public Health Association: Abstract Reviewer
2019	Women's Caucus, American Public Health Association: Abstract Reviewer
2018	Human Rights Forum, American Public Health Association: Abstract Reviewer
2018	International Health, American Public Health Association: Abstract Reviewer
2016-2018	HEAL (Health, Education, Advocacy, Linkage) Trafficking Research Working Group: Member

2015 Raised over \$6,500 in Crowdfunding for Nepal School of Social Work
Earthquake Relief: Fundraiser & Consultant

Editorial Service

2014-2017 *Journal of Social Work Education*: Consulting Editor

2014-2017 *Journal of Ethnic & Cultural Diversity in Social Work*: Editorial Board Member

Ad-Hoc Reviewer

Affilia: Feminist Inquiry in Social Work

Anti-Trafficking Review

Asia Pacific Journal of Social Work and Development

The British Journal of Social Work

Children and Youth Services Review

Criminology, Criminal Justice, Law & Society

Culture, Health & Sexuality

Feminist Economics

Global Public Health

Indian Journal of Gender Studies

International Social Work

Journal of Ethnic & Cultural Diversity in Social Work

Journal of Family Violence

Journal of Human Trafficking

Journal of Poverty

Journal of Social Work Education

Journal of Sociology

Journal of Women, Politics, & Policy

Preventive Medicine

Psychology, Crime and Law

Qualitative Health Research

Sexuality Research and Social Policy

Social Indicators Research

Social Science & Medicine

Urban Studies

Utah Women's Health Review

Violence Against Women

Violence & Gender

Violence and Victims

Women & Health

Women's Studies International Forum

University Service

2018 National Prize for Best Social Science Master Thesis in Gender and Sexuality
Studies Evaluation Committee, University of Amsterdam

2017-2018 Graduate Certificate in *Leadership, Justice, and Community Practice*,
University of Utah: Co-Creator & Faculty Advisor

2011-2016 Social Soup Lecture Series Committee, University of Utah (*Co-Chair 2012-2015*)

2015 Be a Witness against Racial Violence and Injustice: Co-Organizer

- 2012-2015 Community Engaged Scholars Advisory Committee, University of Utah
- 2013-2014 LGBTQ+ and Human Rights Alternative Spring Break in San Francisco, University of Utah: Faculty Leader. Mentee: Alithia Zamantakis
- 2013-2014 Society for Empowering Women Worldwide, University of Utah: Faculty Advisor
- 2013-2014 Center for Learning Abroad Scholarship Selection Committee, University of Utah
- 2012-2013 LGBTQ+ and Human Rights Alternative Spring Break in San Francisco, University of Utah: Faculty Leader. Mentee: Christy Hughes

College Service

- 2023-Present Chair, College Awards Committee, University of Utah
- 2023-Present PhD Advisory Committee, University of Utah
- 2022-Present Chair, MSW Advisory Committee, University of Utah
- 2022-Present Chair, MSW Admissions Committee, University of Utah
- 2022-Present Chair, MSW Program Reaffirmation for Accreditation (2022 EPAS)
- 2022-Present BSW Advisory Committee, University of Utah
- 2022-Present Faculty Appointments Advisory Committee, University of Utah
- 2022-Present Practicum Advisory Committee, University of Utah
- 2022-Present College Council, University of Utah
- 2022-2023 MSW Practicum Faculty Search Committee, University of Utah
- 2018 MSW Practicum Faculty Search Committee, University of Utah
- 2018 College Awards Committee, University of Utah
- 2016-2018 Chair, Academic Appeals & Student Review Committee, University of Utah
- 2014-2018 Global Social Work Committee, University of Utah
- 2011-2018 MSW Macro Sequence Committee, University of Utah
- 2011-2018 Faculty Appointments Advisory Committee, University of Utah
- 2011-2018 College Council
- 2016-2017 Dean Search Committee, University of Utah
- 2014-2017 Tenure-Track Faculty Search Committee, University of Utah

- 2015-2016 Initiative for Transformative Social Work Planning Committee, University of Utah
- 2013-2016 MSW Advisory Committee, University of Utah
- 2014 College Scholarships Committee, University of Utah
- 2013 College Awards Committee, University of Utah
- 2011-2013 MSW Curriculum Revision, Diversity and Social Justice Subcommittee, University of Utah
- 2011-2013 MSW Curriculum Revision, Macro Social Work Subcommittee, University of Utah
- 2010 National Symposium on Doctoral Research in Social Work: Registration Volunteer, The Ohio State University
- 2009 National Symposium on Doctoral Research in Social Work: Volunteer Coordinator, The Ohio State University
- 2009 National Symposium on Doctoral Research in Social Work: Abstract Reviewer The Ohio State University
- 2008-2009 Doctoral Student Organization in Social Work: Treasurer, The Ohio State University

Community Service

- 2017-2018 Utah Trafficking in Persons Medical Subcommittee: Member
- 2016-2018 Salt Lake County Democratic Delegate, Salt Lake City Precinct 101
- 2015-2018 Board of Directors, Utah Domestic Violence Coalition
- 2015-2018 Research & Grants Consultant, Utah Domestic Violence Coalition
- 2012-2013 Salt Lake City YWCA, Volunteer
- 2009-2010 Trafficking in Persons Study Commission: Research and Analysis Sub-Committee, Columbus, Ohio: Research Assistant
- 2005 Women’s Fund of Central Ohio: Grant Reader & Evaluator

HONORS AND AWARDS (Selected)

- 2016 McPhee Award for Faculty Excellence in Teaching, College of Social Work, University of Utah
- 2014 Committed Faculty Mentor Award, Community Engaged Scholars Program, University of Utah
- 2014 Outstanding Faculty Teaching Award Nominee, University of Utah (Nominated by MSW Graduating Class)

2011	Edward J. Ray Travel Award for Scholarship and Service, The Ohio State University
2010	Erlen Endowment Fund for Doctoral Student Excellence, College of Social Work, The Ohio State University
2010	First Place Award, Student Poster Presentation at the National Symposium on Doctoral Research in Social Work
2007	The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi
2007	Presidential Management Fellowship Nominee
2005	C.C. Stillman Fellowship in Community Organization
2004	Triota, Upsilon Chapter (Women's Studies National Honor Society)
2002	National Society of Collegiate Scholars

MEDIA COVERAGE (Selected)

Eurasia Review. India: Surrogacy (regulation) bill 2019 from a feminist perspective - analysis.
<https://www.eurasiareview.com/27012020-india-surrogacy-regulation-bill-2019-from-a-feminist-perspective-analysis/>

KSL. Advocates encourage tackling taboo of domestic violence, normalizing conversations.
<https://www.ksl.com/article/50555848/advocates-encourage-tackling-taboo-of-domestic-violence-normalizing-conversations->

Deseret News. Human trafficking isn't just a problem elsewhere. It's happening in urban, rural Utah, report says.
<https://www.deseret.com/utah/2022/4/6/23013304/human-trafficking-isnt-problem-elsewhere-happening-in-urban-rural-utah-massage-parlor>

KSL TV. Utah can do more to prevent human trafficking and help survivors.
<https://ksltv.com/489078/report-utah-can-do-more-to-prevent-human-trafficking-and-help-survivors/>

St. George News. Utah girls, women not immune to human trafficking.
<https://www.stgeorgeutah.com/news/archive/2022/05/05/prc-report-utah-girls-women-not-immune-to-human-trafficking/#.Y9BvQezMKWh>

KSL. Human trafficking isn't just a problem elsewhere. It's happening in urban, rural Utah, report says.
<https://www.ksl.com/article/50383026/human-trafficking-isnt-just-a-problem-elsewhere-its-happening-in-urban-rural-utah-report-says>

KSL News Radio. Utah State University program researches human trafficking in Utah.
<https://kslnewsradio.com/1967884/utah-state-university-program-researches-human-trafficking-in-utah/>

KVNU. Utah girls and women not immune to human trafficking, USU UWLP reports. <https://kvnutalk.com/utah-girls-and-women-not-immune-to-human-trafficking-usu-uwlp-reports-cache-valley-daily/>

City Weekly. Click mates: For some cyber sex workers, the industry delivers both empowerment and the promise of wealth. <https://www.cityweekly.net/utah/click-mates/Content?oid=3404672>

BMJ. Mothers who turn to surrogacy to support their families face ostracism, study shows. <https://www.bmj.com/content/348/bmj.g3257.full.pdf+html>

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

2022-2023	College of Social Work Management Training Course, University of Utah
2015	Leadership Program for Faculty and Director Staff, University of Utah
2015	Building Teams of Trust, Collaboration, and Results, University of Utah
2015	Negotiation and Conflict Resolution, University of Utah
2015	Managing Performance Collaboratively, University of Utah

LICENSURE

Licensed Social Worker (S 0700949), State of Ohio (2008-2010; Not Renewed)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS (Past & Current)

Society for Social Work and Research
Council on Social Work Education
American Public Health Association (Women's Caucus)
American College Health Association
LGBTQ Caucus of Social Work Students and Faculty
Global Association of Human Trafficking Scholars (Senior Research Scholar Member)