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## Education

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- 2014 (exp.)      Dual-Title PhD in Sociology and Gerontology  
Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana  
*Dissertation Title:* Financial Strain and the Health of Black, White, and Hispanic Older Adults: Did the Great Recession Affect Physical Health?  
*Committee:* Kenneth F. Ferraro (Chair), Daniel K. Mroczek, Sarah A. Mustillo, and J. Jill Suitor
- 2010              M.S. in Sociology  
Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana
- 2008              B.A. in Sociology and Psychology, *maxima cum laude*  
Minor: Gender Studies  
Loras College, Dubuque, Iowa

## Research and Teaching Interests

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Medical Sociology; Aging and the Life Course; Social Stratification; Race and Ethnicity; Quantitative Methods

## Fellowships and Grants

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- 2013-2014      Bilsland Dissertation Fellowship, Purdue University Graduate School
- 2013              Robert L. Eichhorn Fellowship in Medical Sociology, Department of Sociology, Purdue University
- 2013              Purdue Graduate Student Government Travel Grant
- 2010-2011      National Institute on Aging Predoctoral Fellowship (T32AG025671-02), Center on Aging and the Life Course, Purdue University

## Honors and Awards

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- 2013              Funding awarded to attend the RAND Summer Institute, RAND Corporation
- 2012              Publication named Editor's Choice by the *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*

2011	Section on Aging and the Life Course Graduate Student Paper Award (co-author), American Sociological Association
2011	Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award (co-winner), Department of Sociology, Purdue University
2010	Departmental Nomination, College of Liberal Arts Distinguished Master's Thesis Award, Purdue University
2009	<i>Golden Key Honor Society</i> (Purdue Chapter)
2008	Named to the <i>Provost's Top 20</i> by Loras College (the 20 graduates with the 20 highest GPAs)
2006	<i>Delta Epsilon Sigma</i> , National Honors Society (Loras Chapter)
2006	<i>Psi Chi Honor Society</i> (Loras Chapter)
2007	Martin P. Corrigan Scholarship, Loras College
2004-2008	St. Joseph Award, Loras College

## Publications

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Ferraro, Kenneth F. and **Lindsay R. Wilkinson**. Forthcoming. "Alternative Measures of Self-Rated Health for Predicting Mortality Among Older People: Is Past or Future Orientation More Important?" *The Gerontologist*.

Schafer, Markus H., **Lindsay R. Wilkinson**, and Kenneth F. Ferraro. 2013. "Childhood (Mis)fortune, Educational Attainment, and Adult Health: Contingent Benefits of a College Degree?" *Social Forces* 91:1007-1034.

\*2011 Graduate Student Paper Award, Section on Aging and the Life Course, American Sociological Association; 2011 Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award, Department of Sociology, Purdue University

**Wilkinson, Lindsay R.**, Tetyana P. Shippee, and Kenneth F. Ferraro. 2012. "Does Occupational Mobility Influence Health among Working Women? Comparing Objective and Subjective Measures of Work Trajectories." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 53:432-447.

Shippee, Tetyana P., **Lindsay R. Wilkinson**, and Kenneth F. Ferraro. 2012. "Accumulated Financial Strain and Women's Health over Three Decades." *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences* 67:585-594.

\*Named Editor's Choice by the *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*

Ferraro, Kenneth F. and **Lindsay R. Wilkinson**. 2012. "Age, Aging, and Mental Health." In Carol S. Aneshensel, Jo C. Phelan, and Alex Bierman (Eds.), *Handbook of the Sociology of Mental Health*, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition. New York: Springer.

Shippee, Tetyana P., **Lindsay Rinaldo**, and Kenneth F. Ferraro. 2012. "Mortality Risk among Black and White Working Women: The Role of Perceived Work Trajectories." *Journal of Aging and Health* 24:141-167.

**Rinaldo, Lindsay** and Kenneth F. Ferraro. 2012. "Inequality, Health." In George Ritzer (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Globalization*. Hoboken, New Jersey: Wiley-Blackwell.

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## Manuscripts Under Review

**Wilkinson, Lindsay R.**, Kenneth F. Ferraro, and Sarah A. Mustillo. "Household Wealth in Middle and Later Life: Examining the Life Course Timing of Women's Health Limitations." Revise and resubmit at *Social Forces*.

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## Manuscripts In Progress

Shippee, Tetyana P., Markus H. Schafer, **Lindsay R. Wilkinson**, and Nathan D. Shippee. "Long-Term Effects of Age Discrimination on Mental Health: The Role of Perceived Financial Hardship."

**Wilkinson, Lindsay R.**, Kenneth F. Ferraro, and Sarah A. Mustillo. "Do Health Limitations Raise the Risk of Poverty? Trajectories of Disadvantage among Black and White Women."

Mustillo, Sarah A., **Lindsay R. Wilkinson**, and Kenneth F. Ferraro. "Women's Health and Poverty Risk over the Life Course: Role of Family Lineage?"

Taylor-Watson, Kadari, **Lindsay R. Wilkinson**, and Kenneth F. Ferraro. "Do Inter-Racial and Intra-Racial Discrimination Raise the Risk of Hypertension?"

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## Research and Teaching Experience

### *Research Assistant*

2012-2013 Sarah A. Mustillo and Kenneth F. Ferraro, Purdue University

2008-2012 Kenneth F. Ferraro, Purdue University

### *Graduate Instructor*

2012-2013 Sociology 382: Introduction to Statistics, Purdue University (three semesters)

### *Teaching Assistant*

2009 Sociology 324: Criminology, Scott Desmond, Purdue University

2008 Sociology 100: Introduction to Sociology, Steven Hillis, Purdue University

2007 Psychology 121: Developmental Psychology, Lisa Grinde, Loras College

### *Guest Lectures*

2012 Lecture on Socioeconomic Status and Health. Sociology 576: Health and Aging in Social Context, Kenneth F. Ferraro, Purdue University

2011 Lecture on Elder Abuse. Sociology 350: Social Psychology and Marriage, Kimber Hendrix, Purdue University

## Selected Presentations

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- 2013 “Women’s Health and Poverty Risk over the Life Course: Role of Family Lineage?” (with Sarah A. Mustillo and Kenneth F. Ferraro). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY.
- “Alternative Measures of Health Ratings for Predicting Mortality: Is Past or Future Orientation More Important?” (with Kenneth F. Ferraro). Presented at the IAGG World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics, Seoul, Korea.
- 2012 “Do Inter-Racial and Intra-Racial Discrimination Raise the Risk of Hypertension?” (with Kadari Taylor-Watson and Kenneth F. Ferraro). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, November, San Diego, CA.
- “Do Health Limitations Raise the Risk of Poverty? Women’s Entries into Poverty over 36 Years” (with Kenneth F. Ferraro and Sarah A. Mustillo). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Denver, CO.
- 2011 “Childhood Conditions, Educational Attainment, and Adult Health: Who Benefits the Most from College” (with Markus H. Schafer). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, November, Boston, MA.
- “Does Health Influence Women’s Wealth? Examining the Onset and Duration of Health Limitations over the Life Course” (with Kenneth F. Ferraro). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV.
- “Long-Term Effects of Age Discrimination on Mental Health: The Role of Perceived Financial Hardship” (with Tetyana P. Shippee, Markus H. Schafer, and Nathan D. Shippee). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV.
- “Accumulated Financial Strain and Women’s Health over Three Decades” (with Tetyana P. Shippee and Kenneth F. Ferraro). Presented at the International Symposium on Successful Aging, Seoul, Korea.
- 2010 “Health Consequences of Women’s Socioeconomic Status over Three Decades: Testing Cumulative Inequality Theory” (with Tetyana P. Shippee and Kenneth F. Ferraro). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, November, New Orleans, LA.
- 2009 “Health Consequences of Women’s Occupational Mobility over Three Decades: Is Mobility Harmful, Even if Upward?” (with Tetyana P. Shippee and Kenneth F. Ferraro). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, November, Atlanta, GA.
- “Cumulative Inequality and Working Women’s Mortality: Do Perceived Work Trajectories Get under the Skin?” (with Tetyana P. Shippee and Kenneth F. Ferraro). Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, August, San Francisco, CA.

## University and Departmental Service

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2013-current	Grant Review and Allocation Committee, Purdue Graduate Student Government
2012-2013	Steering Committee, Center on Aging and the Life Course, Purdue University
2013	Judge, Undergraduate Research Poster Symposium, Purdue University
2011	Co-Mentor, Summer Research Opportunity Program (SROP) for Minority Students, Purdue University
2009-2011	Graduate Student Representative, Department of Sociology Graduate Committee, Purdue University
2009-2010	Elected Officer, Sociology Graduate Student Organization, Purdue University
2008-2009	Elected Cohort Representative, Sociology Graduate Student Organization, Purdue University
2005-2006	Undergraduate Assistant, Department of Sociology, Loras College

## Professional Service

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Reviewer for: *American Sociological Review*, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*, *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, *The Gerontologist*, *Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting Abstracts*

2012-current	Ad-Hoc Committee on Mentoring and Professional Development, Section on Aging and the Life Course, American Sociological Association
2012-current	Elected Student Representative, Section on Aging and the Life Course Council, American Sociological Association
2012	Behavioral and Social Sciences (BSS) Program Committee, Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting
2012	Conference Co-Discussant for "New Frontiers in Social Gerontology: Exploring Gerontological Theory Within and Across Disciplines." Presenters: Dawn Carr, Victor Marshall, Vern Bengtson, Donald Lloyd, and Toni Calasanti. Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting
2012	Conference Session Chair for "Discovery Exchange: Transitions in Work and Retirement." Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting

## Additional Skills and Training

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### *Research Methods and Data*

2013	User Workshop on the HRS Family of Data Sets. RAND Summer Institute, RAND Corporation
2013	Examining the Health and Retirement Study (five-day) Workshop. Summer Institute in Survey Research Techniques, University of Michigan

- 2011 Introduction to Growth Modeling in Mplus Workshop. Sarah A. Mustillo. Department of Sociology, Purdue University
- 2010 Seeing the Forest through the Trees: Dealing with Missing Data in Quantitative Analyses. Sarah A. Mustillo. Department of Human Development and Family Studies, Purdue University
- 2010 ICPSR Multilevel and Mixed Models (five-day) Workshop. Roberto Gutierrez, StataCorp LP. ICPSR Summer Program, University of Michigan
- 2010 Dyadic Data Analysis Workshop. Alan Acock, Niall Bolger, and Richard Gonzalez. Center for Families, Purdue University

### *Professional Development*

- 2013 Mini-Medical School for Social Scientists and the Demography, Economics, Psychology, and Epidemiology of Aging Workshop. RAND Summer Institute, RAND Corporation
- 2013 Mentoring and Being Mentored Workshop. Cyndi Lynch. Purdue University Graduate School
- 2012 Grant and Proposal Writing Workshop. Peter E. Dunn. Purdue University Graduate School
- 2011 Research Integrity Workshop. Peter E. Dunn. Purdue University Graduate School
- 2010 Authorship and Publication in the Life Sciences Workshop. Eric Barker. Purdue University Graduate School

## **Software and Technical Skills**

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Statistical software: Stata, Mplus, SPSS, and SAS

Statistical methods: linear regression, categorical data analysis, event history analysis, growth curve modeling, clustered observations, propensity score analysis, and multiple imputation

Management and analysis of the following datasets: *National Longitudinal Survey of Mature Women (NLS-MW)*, *National Longitudinal Survey of Young Women (NLW-YW)*, *Midlife Development in the United States (MIDUS)*, *Health and Retirement Study (HRS)*

## **Professional Affiliations**

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American Sociological Association

Section on Aging and the Life Course

Section on Medical Sociology

Section on Mental Health

Gerontological Society of America

## References

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