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**Education**

Ph.D.

University of Michigan

Social Work & Sociology

Ann Arbor, MI. (1997)

M.A.

University of Michigan

Sociology, Field of Specialization: Health & Aging

Ann Arbor, MI. (1996)

M.S.W.

University of Michigan

Field of Specialization: Policy

Ann Arbor, MI. (1990)

B.A.

Oberlin College

Psychology

Oberlin, OH. (1987)

**Employment History**

August 2014-Present

Wayne State University

School of Social Work

Director, PhD Program

January 2013-May 2013

Wayne State University

School of Social Work

Acting Director, Center for Social Work Research

August 2012-Present

Wayne State University

School of Social Work

Associate Professor

Fall 2008-Winter 2015

Wayne State University

School of Social Work

Coordinator, Gerontology Certificate Program

Fall 2008-Winter 2015

Fall 2006-July 2012

Wayne State University

School of Social Work

Assistant Professor

Fall 1999-Fall 2006

VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System

Center for Clinical Outcomes Research

Research Investigator

1997-1999

VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System

Center for Clinical Outcomes Research

Postdoctoral Fellowship

Fall 1999-Winter 2000

University of Michigan

School of Social Work

Adjunct Professor

1995

Survey on Racism and Health

Detroit Area Study

Teaching Assistant

1995

University of Michigan

Department of Sociology

Teaching Assistant, Health Care Reform, Issues and Prospects

**Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles**

1. Ankuda, C.K., Guetterman, T.,Haefner, J. Kersting, Kaileen, Fonger, E., Paletta, M., & **Hopp, F.P.** (Accepted for Publication) "What Matters Most?   A mixed methods study of critical aspects of a home-based palliative program." *American Journal of Hospice and Palliative Medicine.*
2. Attaallah, S., Klymko, K., & Hopp, F.P. (2017). Self-Care Among Older
Adults With Heart Failure. *Gerontology & Geriatric Medicine,* 1-10.
3. **Hopp, F.P.,** Zalenski, R.J., Waselewsky, D., Burn, J., Camp, J., Welch, R.D., & Levy, P. (2016). Results of a hospital based palliative- care intervention for patients with an acute exacerbation of heart failure. *Journal of Cardiac Failure,* [22(12),](http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/journal/10719164/22/12) 1033–1036.
4. **Hopp, F.P.,** Camp, J.K., & Perry, T. (2015). Addressing heart failure challenges through illness-informed social work. *Health & Social Work*, *40*(3), 201-208.
5. Nelson-Becker, H.,Ai, L. A., **Hopp, F.P.,** McCormick, T. R., Schlueter, J. O., & Camp, J. K. (2015). Spirituality and religion in end-of-life care ethics: The challenge of interfaith and cross-generational matters. *The British Journal of Social Work, 45 (1),* 104-119.
6. **Hopp, F.P.,** Trzcinski, E., Roth, R., Deremo, D., Fonger, E., Chiv, S., & Paletta, M. (2014). Cost analysis of a novel interdisciplinary model for advanced illness management. *American Journal of Hospice and Palliative Medicine, 32*(3): 350-356.
7. **Hopp, F.P.,** Marsack, C., Camp, J.K., & Thomas, S. (2014). Go to the hospital or stay at home? A qualitative study of expected hospital decision making among African Americans with advanced heart failure. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 57*, 4-23.
8. Martin, F., Waites, C., **Hopp, F.P.,** Agius, E., & Sobeck, J. (2013). Enhancing aging services through evidence-based health promotion: A training for service providers. Journal of Evidence-Based Social Work, 10, 482-493.
9. McCormick, T.R., **Hopp, F.P,** Nelson-Becker, H., Schlueter, J.O., Ai, A.L, & Camp, J. K. (2013)*.* Ethical and spiritual concerns near the end of life. *Journal of Religion, Spirituality, and Aging, 24*, 301-313.
10. Ai, A.L., **Hopp, F.P.,** Tice, T.N., & Koenig, H.G. (2013). Existential relatedness in light of eudaemonic well-being and religious coping among middle-aged and older cardiac patients. *Journal of Health Psychology, 18,* 368 - 382.
11. **Hopp, F.P**., Thornton, N., Martin, L., Zalenski, R. (2012). Life disruption, life continuation: Contrasting themes in the lives of African-American Elders with advanced heart failure. *Social Work in Health Care, 51,* 149-72.
12. Lowery, J.; **Hopp, F.P.,** Subramanian, U., Wiitala, W., Welsh, D., Larkin, A.; Stemmer, K., Zak, C., Vaitkevicius, P. (2012). Evaluation of a nurse practitioner disease management model for chronic heart failure: A multi-site implementation study. *Congestive Heart Failure, 18,* 64-71. Retrieved from <http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1751-7133.2011.00228.x/abstract>
13. Thornton, N. & **Hopp, F.P.** (2011). ‘So I just took over’: African-American daughters caregiving for parents with heart failure. *Families in Society*, *92,* 211-217.
14. Keith, RE., **Hopp, FP**, Subramanian, U, Wiitala, W. & Lowery, J.C. (2010). An Exploration of the association between fidelity of implementation and intervention effectiveness. *Implementation Science, 5,* 1-11. Retrieved from <http://www.implementationscience.com/content/5/1/99>
15. **Hopp, F.P**., Thornton, N., & Martin, L. (2010). The lived experience of heart failure at the end of life: A systematic literature review. *Health and Social Work, 35*, 109-117.
16. **Hopp, F.P**., Hogan, M. (2009). Community-based tele-health systems for persons with diabetes: Development of an outcomes model. *Social Work in Health Care, 48,*134-153.
17. **Hopp, F.P.,** Thornton, N. (2008). An old woman and her case worker: Accommodation and resistance in the face of serious illness. *Journal of Aging, Humanities and the Arts.* Special Issue: Historical perspectives on old women’s struggle for “Security” in old age, [*2*](http://www.informaworld.com/smpp/title~content%3Dt762319447~db%3Dall~tab%3Dissueslist~branches%3D2#v2)*,* 229 – 237.
18. Subramanian, U., **Hopp, F.P**., Mitchinson, A., Lowery, J. (2008). Impact of provider self-management education, patient self-efficacy, and health status on patient adherence in heart failure in a Veterans Administration population. *Congestive Heart Failure, 1,* 6-11.
19. **Hopp, FP**, Hogan, MM, Woodbridge, PA & Lowery, JC. (2007). The Use of telehealth for diabetes management: A qualitative study of clinician perceptions. *Implementation Science 2*(14), 1-23.Retrieved from<http://www.implementationscience.com/content/2/1/14>
20. Duffy, S.A., Copeland, L.A., **Hopp, F.P**., & Zalenski, R.J. (2007). Diagnostic classifications and resource utilization of decedents served by the Department of Veterans Affairs*.* *Journal of Palliative Medicine, 10,* 1137-1145.
21. **Hopp, F.P**., Whitten, P., Subramanian, U., Woodbridge, P., Mackert, M., & Lowery J. (2006). Perspectives from the Veterans Health Administration about opportunities and barriers in telemedicine. *Journal of Telemedicine and Telecare, 12,* 404-409.
22. **Hopp, F.P.,** Woodbridge, P., Subramanian, U., Copeland, L., Smith, D., & Lowery, J. (2006). Outcomes associated with a home care telehealth intervention*. Telemedicine Journal & E-Health*, *12,* 297-307.
23. Ai, A.L., **Hopp, F.P.,** & Sherer, M. (2006) Getting affairs in order: Influences of social support and religious coping on end-of-life planning among open-heart surgerypatients. *Journal of Social Work in End-of-Life and Palliative Care*, *2,* 71-94.
24. Subramanian, U., **Hopp, F.P.,** Lowery, J., Woodbridge, P., & Smith, D. (2004).Research in home-care telemedicine: Challenges in patient recruitment. *Telemedicine Journal & E-Health, 10,155*-61.
25. **Hopp, F.P.** (2000). Preferences for surrogate decision-makers, informal communication, and advance directives among community-dwelling elderly: Results from a National study*. The Gerontologist,* *40*, 449-457.
26. **Hopp, F.P.** & Duffy, S. (2000). Racial variations in end-of-life care. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society, 48*, 658-663.
27. **Hopp, F.P.** (1999). Patterns and predictors of formal and informal care among elderly persons living in board and care homes. *The Gerontologist*, *39*, 167-176.

**Book Chapters**

**Hopp, F.P.** & Thornton, N. (2011). The multiple roles of social case workers in the Great Depression. In R. Ray, & T. Calisanti (Eds.*), Nobody's burden:  lessons from the Great Depression on the struggle for old-age security.* (125-148).Lanham, MD: Lexington Books.

**Hopp, F.P.** (2009). Fine, Michael D. *A caring society? Care and the dilemmas of human service in the 21st century* [Book Review]*. Anthropology and Aging Quarterly, 30 (1),* 16-17.

**Encyclopedia Entry**

**Hopp, F.P.,** Popkin, S.M., & Zalenski, R. J. (2016). Palliative Care. In *Encyclopedia of Adulthood and Aging.*

**Non Peer-Reviewed Publications**

Hopp, F.P., Lowery, J, & Woodbridge, P. (2003).Home telemedicine and the VA workforce: Potential and challenges*. VA Health Services Research and Development Service Forum*, June 2003.

**Grants Submitted**

**Hopp, F.P.** & Betts, M. (Co-Principal Investigators). Advanced Illness Navigator Intervention for Culturally Sensitive Advanced Care. Michigan Health Endowment.

Amount Requested: $306,962 (not funded).

Benkert, R. (Principal Investigator), **Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Investigator/Director of Evaluation). Southeast Michigan Geriatric Workforce Enhancement Program (SEMI-GWEP), Wayne State University School of Nursing, 2015. Amount Requested: $700,000 (not funded).

**Grants Awarded**

**Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Principal Investigator). Research on Naturally Occurring Retirement Communities (NORCS) For Older Adults. Detroit Area Agency on Aging, 2015. Award Amount: $6,712.

**Hopp, F.P.** (Principal Investigator). Urban Aging and Health: Proposal for the 2014-2015 Social Work Research Enhancement Program (SWREP), Wayne State University School of Social Work, 2014. *Award Amount: $15,059*

**Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Principal Investigator)**.** Evaluation of the @HOMe Support Program. Blue Cross/Blue Shield Foundation (subcontract through Hospice of Michigan), 2010. *Total Award Amount: $89,646. WSU Subcontract Amount: $41,144.*

Anwar Najor-Durack (Principal Investigator), **Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Investigator). Hartford Practicum Partnership for Aging Education (HPPAE). John A. Hartford Foundation, 2008. *Award Amount: $65,000.*

**Hopp, F.P.** (Principal Investigator), Barriers and Facilitators to Advanced Heart Failure Care in Urban Areas*.* John A. Hartford Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Program. 2007. *Award Amount: $100,000.*

Zalenski, R. (Principal Investigator), **Hopp, F.P. (Director of Evaluation**), “Compassionate Allies: Advocates for Those Living with Advanced Illness. Community Foundation of Southeastern Michigan, 2008. Award Amount: $ 99,000.

Zalenski, R. (Principal Investigator), **Hopp, F.P. (Co-Investigator**), Palliative Care Consultation for Hospitalized Patients with Severe Heart Failure: A Randomized Trial.Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Michigan Foundation, 2006. *Award Amount: $139,434.*

**Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Principal Investigator). Evaluation of a Nurse Practitioner Palliative Care Program. Veterans Administration Health Services Research and Development Grant #CHI-03-007. 2006 to 2009, *Award Amount:* $845,990.

**Hopp, F.P.**(Co-Principal Investigator). Formative Evaluation of Monitoring and Messaging Devices for Diabetes Patients. Health Services Research and Development Quality Enhancement Research Initiative Grant # QLP 41-503, 2005. *Award Amount: $45,265.*

**Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Principal Investigator),VISN 11 Tele-Health Initiative. Veterans Integrated Service Network 11 Grant # XVA 41-014, 2004. *Award Amount*: *$40,000.*

**Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Principal Investigator), AssessingPerceptions of End-of-Life Care in Advanced Heart Failure*.* Health Services Research and Development Locally Initiated Project. 2004. *Award Amount: $1,600.*

**Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Principal Investigator),Opportunities and Barriers in Tele-Health. VA Health Services Research and Development Grant #LIP 41-101., 2004. *Award Amount: $5,740.*

**Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Principal Investigator). An Evaluation of Home-Based Telemedicine Services. VA Health Services Research and Development #2000-015 2001. *Award Amount: $313,012.*

Lowery, J. (Principal Investigator), **Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Investigator), Evaluation of an Integrated Nurse Case Management Model for Congestive Heart Failure. VA Health Services Research and Development, 2001. *Award Amount: $592,023.*

**Hopp, F.P.** (Co-Principal Investigator). Advanced Care Planning in the VA Outpatient Clinic. VA Ann Arbor Healthcare System, Health Systems Research and Development Locally Initiated Project (LIP 41-090), 1999.

**Research Contracts**

**Hopp, F.P. (Principal Investigator).** Assessing Needs for an Ethnic Older Adult Day Care Program: A Feasibility Study. Arab Community Center for Economic and Social Services (ACCESS), Dearborn, Michigan, 2013, *Award Amount: $5,695.*

**Hopp, F.P.** (Project Coordinator). Detroit Home Based Primary Care Demonstration Project.” VA Undersecretary for Health Telemedicine Demonstration Project. (Clinical Services Grant), 2001, *Award Amount: $71,616.*

**National/Regional Refereed Presentations**

**Hopp, F.,** Perry, T., Najor-­Durack, A., Waites, C., Keys, F. Urban Aging and Health: Creating a Gerontology Affinity Group. Presented to Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Meeting, October 2015.

**Hopp, F.,** Perry, T., Waites, C., Kluz, C., Keys, F., Najor-­Durack, A., Rorai, V. Meeting the Grand Challenge of Health Equity By Promoting Urban Aging and Health: Development of an Affinity Group Research Model. Presented to Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), January 2016.

**Hopp, F.,** Perry, T., Waites, C., Kluz, C., Najor-­Durack, A., Keys, F. Enhancing Urban Health and Community Engagement in Geriatric Social Work: The Role of Aging Affinity Groups Session Presented to Gerontological Society of America, November 2015.

**Hopp, F.** Mendez, J., Ajrouch, K., Darwish Talab, A. Cassady, C., & Jendry, A. (2015). Linking Arab Elders to Community Support through Culturally Relevant Services: The Potential Role of Adult Day Programs. Presented to International Migration Interest Group, Gerontological Society of America, November 2015.

**Hopp, F.P.,** Mendez, J., Ajrouch, K., Talab, A.D., Cassady, C. & Jendry, A. (2014). Arab Elders: Diverse Community Perspectives on Adult Day Programming. Presented at the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, November, 2014.

**Hopp, F.P.,** Weisz, A. & Brown, S.(2014).Diversifying the PhD pathway: Strategies at an urban research university. Paper accepted at Council on Social Work Education Annual Meeting (APM), Tampa, FL October, 2014.

**Hopp, F.P.,** Camp, J. & Perry, T. (2014). Social worker’s role in heart failure: Helping those with chronic illness at the end of life. Presented at the Social Work Hospice & Palliative Care Network (SWHPN) General Assembly, San Diego, CA. Retrieved from <http://swhpn.org/2014/wp-content/uploads/2014/02/Hopp_SWHPN-2014_FINAL-2-15-2014.pdf>

**Hopp,** F.P. (2014). The Wayne State University Ph.D. in social work with a dual-title in gerontology: Promoting doctoral-level interprofessional Competencies. Presented at the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education (AGHE) Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.

Mendez, J., **Hopp, F.P.,** Ajrouch, K., Talab, A., Cassady, K., & Jendry, A. (2014). Assessing needs for an adult day care center for ethnic elders:
Education in a community care setting. Presented at the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education (AGHE) Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.

**Hopp, F.P.** & Thomas, S.A. (2012, May). *Living with diabetes: Keeping the balance and maintaining family harmony.* Paper presented at the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation Conference: Diabetes Today and Tomorrow, Livonia, MI.

**Hopp, F.P**., Nelson-Becker, H., McCormick, T.R., & Ai, A.L*.*(2012, November). *Life meaning among persons with serious illness and their caregivers.*Presentedat the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F.P**., Nelson-Becker, H., McCormick, T.R., Ai, A.L., Camp, J.K., Schlueter, J.O., & Osueke, S. (2011, November). *Ethical matters related to spirituality & end of life care with older adults: Guidance for health care professionals.* Presentedat the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F.P.,** Camp, J.K. (2011, November). *Barriers and facilitators to heart failure care: The role of health care social workers.* Presented as part of paper session entitled Health Care Assessment and Practice (**Hopp, F.P., session leader**) at the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F.P**., Thornton, N. (2010, November). *Urban elders and their caregivers: Meaning making in the context of advanced heart failure.* Paper presented as part of symposium entitled *Making Meaning through the Transitions of Care at Life's End* at the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F.P**., Thornton, N., Snider, S., Deveaux, C., Waselewski, D., Vaitkevicius, P., & Zalenski, R. (2010, May). *Go to the hospital or stay at home? Context and choices among African Americans with heart failure in urban areas.* Paper presented as part of a symposium entitled *Enhancing Cultural Competence in End-of-life Treatment: From Evidence to Practice---Addressing Spiritual, Existential, and Ethical Concerns of Patients and Beyond* at the American Geriatrics Society Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F.** & Thornton, N. (2009, November). *Social case work, burdenhood, and the challenges of healthy aging in the Great Depression: The story of Mrs. Lovell.* Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F.,** Thornton, N. & Martin, L. (2009, November*). Serious illness and the search for meaning among African American elders with advanced heart failure.* Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F.** (2008, November). *Race and quality of life among persons with advanced heart failure.*Presented at Symposium entitled *Existential Issues and Outcomes of Patients Coping with Severe Cardiac Conditions.* Gerontological Society of America Meeting.

**Hopp, F.P.** (2008, July). *Racial differences in perceived quality of life among persons with advanced heart failure*. Presented at the International Congress of Psychology.

**Hopp, F.P.** (2007, October). *Barriers and facilitators to advanced heart failure care in urban areas.* Presented at the Hartford Geriatric Faculty Scholars Program Research Institute.

**Hopp, F.P.** & Ai, A. (2006, November). *Getting affairs in order: Influences of social support and religious coping on end-of-life planning among open-heart surgery patients.* Presented at the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F**.**P.** (2005, April).[*Opportunities and barriers in home telehealth: Perspectives from the Veterans Health Administration*](http://www.americantelemed.org/news/2005_presentations/t1a4.Hopp.ppt)*.* Presented at the American Telemedicine Association Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F.P.,** Lowery, J., & Woodbridge, P. (2005, April).[*A randomized trial of VA home tele-health: Study outcomes*](http://www.americantelemed.org/news/2005_presentations/w1a4.Hopp.ppt)**.** Presented at the American Telemedicine Association Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F.P.,** Lowery, J., & Woodbridge, P. (2005, February). *Opportunities and barriers in tele-health.* Presented at HSR&D Annual Meeting.

**Hopp, F. P** & Vaitkevicius, P. (2004, May). *Veterans with heart failure: The relationship between CHF symptoms and depression.* Presented at the American Geriatrics Society Meeting.

**Hopp, F.P**, Lowery, J., Subramanian, U. & Woodbridge, P. (2003, May). *Challenges in home telemedicine recruitment.* Presented at the American Geriatrics Society Meeting.

**Hopp, F.P.,** Lowery, J., Subramanian, U. & Woodbridge, P. (2001, May). *Targeting home care patients for tele-home health care services.* Presented at the American Telemedicine Association Annual Meeting.

**Local/Regional Presentations**

**Hopp, F.** Chronic Disease and End of Life Care: Past and Future. Presented to Researchers of Biobehavioral Health in Urban Settings Today (Robust), Wayne State University, February 2, 2016.

**Hopp, F.,** Perry, T., Kluz, C., Najor-­Durack, A., Waites, C., , Keys, F. Enhancing Urban Health and Community Engagement Geriatric Social Work: The Role of Aging Affinity Groups. Presentation to Researchers of Biobehavioral Health in Urban Settings Today (Robust) Fall Symposium, Wayne State University, October 9, 2015.

**Hopp, F.P.** & Camp, J. (2013, March).*Social workers in health care settings: New research findings.* Wayne State University Institute of Gerontology Research Symposium.

**Hopp. F.P.** & Popkin, S. (2013, March & September). *Death, dying, and caregiving: How social workers can help.* Wayne State University School of Social Work Office of Continuing Education and Professional Development.

**Hopp, F.P**., & Camp, J. (2011, October). *Chronic Illness and heart failure: A multi-disciplinary perspective.* Wayne State University School of Nursing Center for Health Research Brown Bag Series.

Ray, R., Jankowski, T. & **Hopp, F.P.** (2011, September). *Toward more progressive elder care: Lessons from the City of Detroit in the Great Depression.* Presentation to the Hannan Foundation, Detroit, Michigan.

**Hopp, F.P.** (2011, September). *Social Work for people with heart failure: Roles, challenges, & opportunities.* Presentation to Jewish Senior Life of Metropolitan Detroit.

**Hopp, F.P.** & Camp, J. (2011, September). Analyzing Data Using ATLAS-TI : *Barriers & Facilitators to Heart Failure Care in Urban Areas: The Role of Social Workers.* Presented at Wayne State University School of Social Work.

**Hopp, F.P.** (2009, September). *Detroit social workers and the Great Depression: The past is present.* Symposium presented at the 75th Anniversary Celebration Symposium: Wayne State University School of Social Work.

**Hopp, F.P.** (2009, April). *Healthcare decision-making: The perspective of Sinai Grace patients with advanced heart failure.*Presented at Sinai Grace Hospital. Presentation at National Healthcare Decisions Day, Sinai Grace Hospital.

**Hopp, F.P.** & Thornton, N. (2009, March 24). *An old woman and her case worker: Accommodation and resistance in the face of serious illness.* Presented at lecture entitled *Nobody’s Burden: Narratives of the Great Depression in Detroit.* Center for Lifelong Learning for Active Adults, Harper Woods, Michigan.

**Hopp, F.P** (2008, October). *Barriers and facilitators to advanced heart failure care in urban areas.* Presented at the Institute of Gerontology Symposium.

**Hopp, F.P.** (2008, May). *Chronic care in an urban environment: The perspective of older adults with heart failure.* Presented at Sinai Grace Hospital Heil Symposium.

**Hopp, F.P.** (2007, September). *Tele-health and end of life care: Implications for home care programs.* Invited presentation to Visiting Nurses of Southeast Michigan.

**Hopp, F.P.** (2007). *Racial Differences in Perceived Quality of Life among Persons with Advanced Heart Failure.* Presented at the John D. Dingell VAMC (Detroit) Research Week Poster Session.

**Teaching Experience**

Research Methods, BSW, MSW, PhD

 Social Welfare, BSW, MSW

 Social Statistics and Data Analysis, PhD

**Professional Affiliations**

Gerontological Society of America

Association for Gerontology & Higher Education (AGHE)

Association for Gerontology Education in Social Work (AGE-SW)

Society for Social Work Research

**Service to the Profession and Civic Community**

Wayne State University Proposal for a Dual Title PhD Program in Gerontology. Program proposal lead writer/collaborator.

Coordinator, Wayne State University Gerontology Certificate Program, Co-Coordinator, 2007-2008, Coordinator, 2008-2015.

Chair, Nominations and Elections Committee, Wayne State University School of Social Work, 2010-2013

Member, Curriculum Committee, Wayne State University School of Social Work, 2011-Present

Member, Academic Services Team, September 2012-Present

Member, Faculty Research Advisory Committee, September 2011-Present

Editorial Board Member, *The Gerontologist,* 2012-Present.

Member, Awards Committee, Group to Advance Doctoral Education (GADE), 2015-Present

Member, Website Committee, Group to Advance Doctoral Education (GADE), 2015-Present

Ad Hoc Reviewer, Veterans Health Administration Rehabilitation Research Program, Geriatrics Panel, August 2007.

Ad Hoc Reviewer, Sociological Forum, Annals of Internal Medicine, The Gerontologist, Journal of Cross Cultural Gerontology, Journal of General Internal Medicine, Journal of Health and Social Behavior, American Journal of Managed Care, Medical Care, Telemedicine Journal and E-Health, 2001 to Present.

**Honors, Awards & Fellowships**

 **John A. Hartford Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholar**, 2007-2009.

**Wayne State University Graduate Research Assistant Competition** Fiscal Year 2008 Awardee, 2007.

 **Rackham Graduate School Dissertation Thesis Grant**, 1994.

**National Institute on Aging Research Fellowship**, Ruth Dunkle, Principal Investigator, 1991-1996.