## **CARA MARGHERIO**

### Curriculum Vitae

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#### **EDUCATION**

2015 Ph.D., Sociology, University of Washington

Minor: Social Statistics, Graduate Certificate: Demographic Methods

2009 M.A., Sociology, University of Washington

B.Phil., Sociology and B.S., Psychology, University of Pittsburgh

Minor: Fine Arts, Certificate: Women's Studies

### **PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS**

2018- Assistant Director, Center for Evaluation & Research for STEM Equity,

University of Washington

2015-2018 Senior Research Associate, Center for Evaluation & Research for STEM Equity

(formerly Center for Workforce Development), University of Washington

2010-2014 Research Assistant, Center for Workforce Development, University of

Washington

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion; Intersectionality; Qualitative Methods; Feminist Theory; Institutional Change; Organizations

# **PUBLICATIONS**

**IOURNAL ARTICLES** 

- López, C. M., Margherio, C., Abraham, L., and Fenghali-Bostwick, C. (2018). Gender Disparities in Faculty Rank: Factors that Affect Advancement of Women Scientists at Academic Medical Centers. *Social Sciences*, 7(4), 62. DOI:10.3390/socsci7040062
- Yen, J. W., Horner-Devine, M. C., Margherio, C., & Mizumori, S. J. (2017). The BRAINS Program: Transforming Career Development to Advance Diversity and Equity in Neuroscience. *Neuron*, 94(3), 426-430. DOI: 10.1016/j.neuron.2017.03.049
- Horner-Devine, M. C., Yen, J. W., Mody-Pan, P. N., Margherio, C., & Forde, S. (2016). Beyond Traditional Scientific Training: The Importance of Community and Empowerment for Women in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology. *Frontiers in Ecology and Evolution*, *4*, 119. DOI: 10.3389/fevo.2016.00119

Margherio, C., Horner-Devine, M. C., Mizumori, S. J., & Yen, J. W. (2016). Learning to Thrive: Building Diverse Scientists' Access to Community and Resources through the BRAINS Program. *CBE-Life Sciences Education*, *15*(3), ar49. DOI: 10.1187/cbe.16-01-0058

# MANUSCRIPTS IN SUBMISSION

- Yen, J. W., Riskin, E. A., Margherio, C., Spyridakis, J. H., Carrigan, C., and Cauce, A. M. Promoting Gender Diversity in STEM Faculty through Leadership Development: From local leadership workshops to the online LEAD-it-Yourself! toolkit. Under review at Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion: An International Journal.
- Doten-Snitker, K., Margherio, C., Litzler, E., Williams, J., and Ingram, E. Developing a Shared Vision for Change: Moving toward Inclusive Empowerment. Under review at Journal of Higher Education.
- Margherio, C., Litzler, E., and Fenghali-Bostwick, C. Using a Social Ecological Model Framework for Advancing the Careers of Women in Science in Academic Medical Centers. Under review at The Lancet.

#### MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION

- Margherio, C., M. C. Horner-Devine, S. J.Y. Mizumori, and J. W. Yen. Accessing Community Cultural Wealth through Counterspaces in a Professional Development Program. In preparation.
- Carrigan, C., S. Kwak, J. Yen, J. Ivy, M. C. Horner-Devine, C. Margherio, C. Grant, and E. Riskin. Building and Breaching Boundaries: An Intersectional Coherent Group Approach to Advancing Women Faculty in Engineering. In preparation.
- Burgstahler, S., S. Cheryn, J. Lorah, C. Margherio, P. Mody-Pan, E. Riskin, and J. Yen. The UW Campus Climate Survey: An Instrument to Compare Climate between Student Groups and Departments. In preparation.

## WEB-BASED PUBLICATIONS

Horner-Devine, M. C., Margherio, C., Mizumori, S. J.Y., and Yen, J. W. (2017). Peer Mentoring Circles: A strategy for thriving in science. Web blog post. BioMed Central blog. BioMed Central, 18 May 2017.

http://blogs.biomedcentral.com/bmcblog/2017/05/18/peer-mentoring-circles-a-strategy-for-thriving-in-science/

# PRESENTATIONS AND POSTERS

Margherio, C., Doten-Snitker, K., Williams, J., Litzler, E., and Ingram, E. (2018). Forming Strategic Partnerships: New Results from the Revolutionizing Engineering and Computer Science Departments Participatory Action Research. To be presented at the annual meeting the American Society for Engineering Education, Salt Lake City, UT, June 2018.

- Ingram, E., Litzler, E. Williams, J., Margherio, C., and Doten-Snitker, K. (2018). The Researcher/Practitioner Strategic Partnership: Linking Theory and Practice for Change in Engineering and Computer Science Education. To be presented at the annual meeting the American Society for Engineering Education, Salt Lake City, UT, June 2018.
- Carrigan, C., Kwak, S., Yen, J.Y., Riskin, E., Horner-Devine, M.C., Margherio, C., Ivy, J., and Grant, C. (2018). Building and Breaching Boundaries: An Intersectional Coherent Group Approach to Advancing Women Faculty in Engineering. To be presented at the annual meeting the American Society for Engineering Education, Salt Lake City, UT, June 2018.
- Affolter, E., Margherio, C., and Litzler, E. (2018). Being Well-Meaning is Not Enough!
  Understanding and Dismantling White Privilege to Advance Equity Pedagogy and Practice. To be presented at the Collaborative Network for Engineering and Computing Diversity (CoNECD) Conference, Washington, D.C., May 2018.
- Litzler, E., Margherio, C., Doten-Snitker, K., Ingram, E., and Williams, J. (2018). Strategies for Building Shared Vision. To be presented at the Collaborative Network for Engineering and Computing Diversity (CoNECD) Conference, Washington D.C., May 2018.
- Williams, J., Litzler, E., Ingram, E., and Margherio, C. (2017). Learning to Make Change by Revolutionizing Departments: Initial Team Experiences in the Revolutionizing Engineering and Computer Science Departments Participatory Action Research Project (REDPAR). Poster presented at the annual meeting the World Engineering Education Forum, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, November 2017. Awarded Bronze Medal at the 4<sup>th</sup> International Innovative Practices in Higher Education Expo.
- Margherio, C. and Williams, J. (2017). Building Strategic Partnerships. Presented at the NSF Engineering Education and Centers Grantees Conference, Arlington, VA, October 2017.
- Margherio, C., Litzler, E., and Doten-Snitker, K. (2017). Developing a Shared Vision for Change: New Results from the Revolutionizing Engineering Departments
  Participatory Action Research. Presented at the annual meeting the American Society for Engineering Education, Columbus, OH, June 2017.
- Ingram, E., Williams, J., Litzler, E., and Margherio, C. (2017). Learning to Make Change by Revolutionizing Departments: Initial Team Experiences. Poster presented at the annual meeting the American Society for Engineering Education, Columbus, OH, June 2017.
- London, J., Berger, E., Margherio, C., Litzler, E., and Branstad, J. (2017). The RED Teams as Institutional Mentors: Advice from the First Year of the "Revolution". Presented at

- the annual meeting the American Society for Engineering Education, Columbus, OH, June 2017.
- Margherio, C., Mizumori, S. J.Y., Horner-Devine, M. C., and Yen, J. W. (2017). Strengthening Access to Community Cultural Wealth through a Professional Development Program Counterspace. Presented at the 9<sup>th</sup> Conference on Understanding Interventions that Broaden Participation in Science Careers, San Antonio, TX, March 4, 2017.
- Mizumori, S. J.Y., Horner-Devine, M. C., Margherio, C., and Yen, J. W. (2016). BRAINS-Broadening the Representation of Academic Investigators in Neuroscience. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Neuroscience, San Diego, CA, November 12, 2016.
- Litzler, E. and Margherio, C. (2016). Research Results on the Process of Beginning Academic Change. Presented at the 2016 WEPAN Change Leader Forum, Broomfield, CO, June 16, 2016.
- Margherio, C. (2016). Re-centering Female Agency While Investigating Premarital Fertility: A Case Study in Agincourt, South Africa. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington, DC, April 1, 2016.
- Margherio, C. (2014). HIV/AIDS and the Breakdown of Marriage in Rural South Africa. Presented at the annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Boston, MA. May 1, 2014.

# INVITED, CAMPUS, AND DEPARTMENTAL TALKS

- Affolter, E. and Margherio, C. (2018). Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in the College of the Environment: Challenges and Possibilities for Change. Presented at the Atmospheric Sciences Colloquium, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. February 9, 2018.
- Margherio, C. (2017). Qualitative Methods. Guest Speaker at Modes of Inquiry: Interdisciplinary Research Design, Prescott College Online, November 14, 2017.
- Margherio, C. (2014). Identity, Race, and Power: Ethical Considerations in Conducting Fieldwork Abroad. Presented to the Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology Proseminar, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. May 9, 2014.
- Margherio, C. (2014). HIV/AIDS and the Breakdown of Marriage in Rural South Africa. Presented at the Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology Seminar, University of Washington, Seattle, WA. April 25, 2014.

## GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

2016 Creating National Leadership Cohorts for Making Academic Change Happen.
Collaborative grant with Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology. National Science
Foundation RFE #1649379. \$249,806. Co-PI

- 2015 Preparing Engineering Faculty to Make Academic Change Happen. Collaborative grant with Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology. National Science Foundation EAGER #1540042. \$216,454. Co-PI
- 2012 Fritz/Boeing Fellowship for International Research and Study, University of Washington
- 2011 Honorable Mention, Ford Foundation Doctoral Fellowship
- 2008 Fellow, Center for Studies in Demography and Ecology, University of Washington
- 2005 American Sociological Association Honors Program
- 2005 Women's Studies Undergraduate Paper Prize, University of Pittsburgh
- 2005 Undergraduate Social Action Award, Sociologists for Women in Society
- 2004 United States Steel Foundation Arts and Sciences Research Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh
- 2002 Brackenridge Research Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh
- 2000 University Honors College Full Tuition Scholarship, University of Pittsburgh

#### **RESEARCH POSITIONS**

2007-2009	Research Assistant to Dr. Kevin Mihata, Sociology Department, University of
	Washington (Study of Undergraduate Learning)

- 2003 Research Assistant to Dr. Kathleen Blee, Sociology Department, University of Pittsburgh
- 2001 Research Assistant to Dr. Franklin Toker, History of Art and Architecture Department, University of Pittsburgh

## **TEACHING POSITIONS**

University of Washington, Teaching Assistant National Social Movements Race Relations Social Psychology Social Problems

*University of Pittsburgh, Teaching Assistant* College Algebra

# **SERVICE**

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2018 -	Reviewer for American Evaluation Association Annual Conference, Feminist
	Issues in Evaluation and Qualitative Methods tracks
2018 -	Reviewer for American Society for Engineering Education Annual Conference
2017 -	Ad hoc reviewer for International Journal of STEM Education
2015 -	Ad hoc reviewer for Journal of Women and Minorities in Science and
	Engineering
2011 - 2013	Ad hoc reviewer for Demography
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2012 – 2013 Graduate Student Representative, Diversity Council, University of Washington

2012 - 2013	Diversity Committee, Sociology Graduate Student Association, University of
	Washington
2008 – 2009	Volunteer Coordinator, Sociology Graduate Student Association, University of
	Washington
1997 – 2006	Volunteer Staff, Kentucky Work Week Organization
2004 - 2006	Steering Committee, Women's Studies Program, University of Pittsburgh
2004 - 2005	Executive Committee, Alternative Spring Break, University of Pittsburgh
2001 – 2005	Participant, Alternative Spring Break, University of Pittsburgh
2002 - 2005	Clinic Escort, Planned Parenthood of Western Pennsylvania
2003 – 2005	Volunteer Staff, N.A.R.A.L. Pittsburgh

# PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Evaluation Association American Society for Engineering Education