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**Curriculum Vitae**

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**CURRENT POSITIONS**

2018 Executive Director, USC Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging  
2017 Interim Executive Director, USC Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging  
2015-present Senior Scientist, USC Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging  
2002-present Associate Professor of Social Work, with joint appointment in the Leonard Davis School of Gerontology, University of Southern California  
1995-02 Assistant Professor of the Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work with joint appointment in the Leonard Davis School of Gerontology, University of Southern California

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**AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

Behavioral health services and translational research; sociobehavioral treatments for adult and late-life psychiatric disorders; sociocultural adaptations of interventions and recruitment strategies; aging and disability in collaborative care models; methodological approaches and health disparities; stress and coping; evidence-based depression treatments and implementation; Alzheimer's disease and associated dementias; family caregiving; comparative international research; social and geriatric epidemiology; social work practice; human behavior and the social environment; and workforce development.

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**EDUCATION**

1995	PhD	School of Social Work	University of Southern California
1989	MPA	School of Public Administration	University of Southern California
1982	MSW	School of Social Work	University of Southern California
1979	BSW	Department of Social Work	California State University, Los Angeles

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**HONORS, AWARDS, APPOINTMENTS**

2017-2019 Appointed Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine, Committee on Functional Assessment for Adults with Disabilities.  
2015-16 Appointed Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine, Committee on Family Caregiving for Older Adults  
2015-16 Appointed Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies of the National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine, Committee to Evaluate the Social Security Administration's Capability Determination Process for Adult Beneficiaries  
2014 Civic Engagement Award, Team Award, University of Southern California  
2013 Excellence in Teaching, Rainbow Alliance Student Caucus, USC School of Social Work  
2012-present Fellow, Gerontological Society of America, Social Research, Policy and Practice Section  
2012-present Expert, Caregiving Advisory Panel, AARP  
2012 Older Adult Advocacy Award, California Elder Mental Health and Aging Coalition

- 2011-12 Appointed Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies, Committee on the Mental Health Workforce for Geriatric Populations, Consensus Study
- 2011 Mentoring Award, Council on Social Work Education, Council on the Role and Status of Women in Social Work Education
- 2011 Summer Biomarker Institute: Cells to Society (C2S): The Center on Social Disparities and Health at the Institute for Policy Research, Northwestern University
- 2011 Social Worker Award, AltaMed Health Services Corp., Los Angeles
- 2010 Aging Achievement Award, National Association of Area Agencies on Aging for "The State of Aging and Health among Latino Elders Initiative"
- 2010 CIBER Global Immersion Program, School of Education, University of Southern California
- 2009 Mellon Mentoring Award for Graduate Student Mentoring, University of Southern California
- 2008 Workshop on Longitudinal Analysis of Aging Research. Centro Centroamericano de Población. San José, Costa Rica
- 2008 Fellow, Summer Training Workshop on African American Aging Research, Program for Research on Black Americans, Michigan Center for Urban African American Aging Research, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
- 2004 Public Service Award, California Representative, National Puerto Rican Day Parade Association
- 2003-05 Scholar Award, The John A. Hartford Foundation Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Program in conjunction with the Gerontological Society of America
- 2002 Summer Training for Randomized Clinical Trials Involving Behavioral Interventions Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research, National Institutes of Health
- 2001 Summer Research Institute in Geriatric Psychiatry, National Institute on Aging
- 2000 SHARE Leadership Award, Community Leader, SmithKline Beecham and the University of Pennsylvania Institute on Aging
- 2000 Institute on Ethnic Disparities in Mental Health, National Institute of Mental Health
- 2000 Hutto Patterson Foundation Distinguished Faculty Award
- 1997 Summer Institute on Aging Research, National Institute on Aging
- 1997 Faculty Leadership Development Program Summer Institute. University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center
- 1997 Support Group Leader Recognition Award, Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles
- 1996 Rhoda G. Sarnat Junior Faculty Endowment, USC School of Social Work
- 1993-94 Minority Predoctoral Leadership Development Program in Aging, National Institute on Aging and the Gerontological Society of America
- 1993-95 Minority Graduate Research Supplement Grant, National Institute on Aging
- 1993 Public Service Award, Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles
- 1992-93 Women in Management Award, University of Southern California
- 1989-92 Minority Clinical Fellowship Award, Council of Social Work Education
- 1989-90 National Fellowship/Mentorship Program Award, American Society on Aging
- 1989-90 Management Intern Fellowship Award, National Hispanic Council on Aging
- 1988 Richard W. John Award in Public Private Partnership, University of Southern California
- 1987 Employee of the Year Honoree, County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health

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## **ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH POSITIONS**

### ***Academic Positions***

- 2002-present Associate Professor, USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work
- 1995-02 Assistant Professor, USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work
- 1993-95 Lecturer, School of Social Welfare, University of California, Los Angeles

### ***Research Positions***

- 1993-95 Research Associate, Older Mexican Americans, Social Supports and Health Services Utilization, funded by the National Institute on Aging. School of Social Welfare, University of California, Los Angeles

- 1993-94 Research Consultant, Pasadena's Oldest and Newest Residents: The Latino Elderly. Human Services Department, City of Pasadena, CA
- 1992 Research Assistant, Ethnography of Smoking in Ethnic Minority Older Adult Populations. Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, University of California, Berkeley

### **Clinical**

- 2002 Clinical Consultant, W.I.S.E. Senior Services, Santa Monica, CA
- 1994-1993 Psychiatric Social Worker II, San Antonio Mental Health Center, LA County Department of Mental Health
- 1993-94 Mentoring Consultant, El Portal Latino Alzheimer's Project, Los Angeles Alzheimer's Association
- 1992-1993 Consultant/Coordinator, Project REBOUND, Senior Health and Peer Counseling, Los Angeles
- 1985-present Licensed Psychotherapist and Consultant, Private Practice. CA BBS No. LCS11268 Master Trainer, National Network of PST Clinicians, Trainers, & Researchers, AIMS Center, Univ. of Washington, Seattle, Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, and IMPACT Master Trainer, Chronic Disease Self-Management Program, Stanford University-Patient Education Center
- 1985-2003 Psychotherapeutic Consultant, AltaMed Health Services, Los Angeles
- 1984-2002 Support Group Leader, Los Angeles Alzheimer's Association
- 1982-1984 Clinical Social Worker, El Centro Human Services Association, Los Angeles

### **RESEARCH GRANTS**

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#### **Grants**

- 2017 **Principal Investigator**, A Program for Families Caring for a Loved One with Dementia (Savvy Caregiver Program). 12-2602-3600. Research Council, USC Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work, Los Angeles, CA. (\$15,000)
- 2017-2018 **Co-Investigator**, Fitting Local EMS Response to Multi-Need Older Adults through a Community-Engaged Process. UL1TR001855. Research Council, Southern California Clinical and Translational Science Institute (SC CTSI) CA. (PIs: William Vega/Ellen F. Olshansky). (\$38,800)
- 2017-2018 **Co-Investigator**, Harmonizing US Datasets to Enhance the Study of Cognitive Health in Older Minority Populations, Research Council (12-2602-3600). USC Suzanne Dworak- Peck School of Social Work, Los Angeles, CA. (PI: Donald Lloyd). (\$15,000)
- 2015-2018 **Principal Investigator**, Caregiving to Diverse Families in Los Angeles County, California Community Foundation (CCFI). 53-5600-1612. Los Angeles, CA (\$100,000)
- 2014-2018 **Principal Investigator**, Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI), AD-1403-13904, Programa Esperanza (Project Hope). Addressing Disparities. (\$1.5 million)
- 2014-2015 **Principal Investigator**, Southern California Clinical and Translational Science Institute (SC CTSI). Office of Research Development. 5UL1TR000130. Bringing Evidence-Based Programs to Historically Underrepresented Older Minorities. University of Southern California. (\$50,000 with \$50,000 match from the USC School of Social Work)
- 2014-2016 **Principal Investigator**, Project Site. Improving the Health of Older Adults Using Integrated Networks for Medical Care and Social Services. 53-5600-9100. Partners in Care Foundation in conjunction with the Administration of Community Living, and the John A. Hartford Foundation, Los Angeles. (PI: W. June Simmons). (\$80,000)
- 2013-2016 **Co-Investigator**, A Helping Hand to Activate Patient-Centered Depression Care among Low-Income Patients. AD-1304-7364. Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI). Los Angeles, CA. (PI: Kathleen Ell). (\$1,295,708)
- 2013-2014 **Co-Investigator**, and Director of the Professional Development and Training Core (PDTC), Hartford Academic Center of Excellence in Geriatric Social Work. 2012-0156. Los Angeles, CA (PI: Karen D. Lincoln). (\$140,000)
- 2012-2013 **Co-Investigator**, An Examination of Treatment-Relevant Patient Characteristics in the USC ADRC Data Set. 5P50AG005142-28. USC Alzheimer Disease Research Center. (PI: William A. Vega). (\$50,000)

- 2011-2013 **Principal Investigator**, PST.Net: A Pilot Study of Teletherapy Depression Treatment for Older Adults. 1226013502. The USC Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging, University of Southern California, Los Angeles. (\$30,000)
- 2010-2011 **Principal Investigator**, Testing of a Frailty Diagnostic Measure for Low-Income, Medically-Ill Older Adults with Depression. UL1RR031986. The Los Angeles Basin Clinical and Translational Science Institute (CTSI), Office of Research Development, University of Southern California. (\$39,996)
- 2009-2012 **Principal Investigator**, Enhanced Geriatric Depression Treatment in Adult Day Health Care. 5R21MH080624. National Institute of Mental Health. (\$452,442)
- 2009-2011 **Co-Investigator**, Risk and Protective Factors for Depression Among Racial Groups. 5R01MH084963. National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH). (\$). (PI: Karen Lincoln). (\$823,807)
- 2009-2010 **Principal Investigator**, Paths to Wellness for African Americans in Adult Day Care. 12-2602-4500. The Larson Endowment for Innovative Research, USC Hamovitch Research Center, USC School of Social Work. (\$39,996)
- 2004-2005 **Principal Investigator**, Depression and Cardiovascular-Related Mortality Among Older Mexican Americans: A Prospective Community-Based Study. APP-05-00736. The Larson Endowment for Innovative Research, The Hamovitch Research Center, USC School of Social Work. (\$39,998)
- 2004-2005 **Co-Investigator**, Multifaceted Oncology Depression Program (MODP). 5R01CA105269. National Cancer Institute. (P.I.: Kathleen R. Eil, USC School of Social Work). (\$1,056,966)
- 2003-2005 **Principal Investigator**, The Sociocultural Stress and Coping Model for Mental Health Outcomes among Older Latinos in Long Term Care: Contributors to and Mediators of Depression in a U.S.-Born and Immigrant Sample. UPIRB 03-11-268. John A. Hartford Foundation and the Gerontological Society of America. (\$100,000)
- 2003-2005 **Principal Investigator**, An Empirical Study of the Relationship between Immigrant Status, Religious Coping, and Psychological Well Being in a Community Sample of Older Latinos. USC Center for Religion and Civic Culture, Small Grants for Individual Faculty, Pew Charitable Trusts. (\$2,500)
- 2002-2005 **Principal Investigator**, The Experience of Depression in Older Latinos. Minority Investigator Research Supplement. R24MH61700. National Institute of Mental Health (Project HOPE-D, P.I.: Kathleen R. Eil, USC School of Social Work)
- 2002-2005 **Co-Investigator**, Multifaceted Home Care Depression Program (Project HOPE-D). 5R21MH061700. National Institute of Mental Health. (P.I.: Kathleen R. Eil, USC School of Social Work). (\$1,642,035)
- 2002-2004 **Co-Investigator**, Multifaceted Oncology Depression Program (IMPAACT). 5R01CA94827. National Cancer Institute. (P.I.: Kathleen R. Eil, USC School of Social Work). (\$1,905,386)
- 2000-2003 **Principal Investigator**, Assisting Family Caregivers of Persons Aging with a Disability. LARE1891-00-09. National Institute of Disability Rehabilitation and Research. (\$85,974)
- 1998-2005 **Principal Investigator**, Correlates of Depression in Middle-Aged and Older Latinos. Faculty-Initiated Research Fund. USC School of Social Work. (\$5,000)
- 1998-2000 **Principal Investigator**, Dementia Care Networks Research Study. Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles
- 1996-1998 **Principal Investigator**, El Portal Latino Alzheimer's Research Project. 90AZ2365. Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles, and the Health Resources and Services Administration
- 1996-1997 **Principal Investigator**, Rhoda G. Sarnat Junior Faculty Endowment. USC School of Social Work

### **Research Collaborations**

- 2017 **Consultant**, Latino Caregiver Needs Assessment: Report to SBSS and AARP-2017
- 2016-18 **Affiliate**, USC Center on Elder Mistreatment (PI: Laura Mosqueda)
- 2016-2017 **Evaluator**, Regional Implementation and Evaluation of *Savvy Caregiver Express*. Alzheimer's of Greater Los Angeles (AlzGLA), the Inland Empire, and Ventura County. (PI: Debra Cherry)

- 2014-2019 **Consultant**, Unidas Por La Vida: A Healthy Lifestyle Intervention for High-Risk Latina Dyads. Department of Medicine; Department of Psychology and Social Behavior University of California, Irvine. National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (Co-PI: Dara Sorkin, and Karen Rook)
- 2014-2017 **Chair**, Data Safety Monitoring Board (DSMB), Calmer Life: Treating Worry among Older Adults in Underserved, Low-Income, Minority Communities. Patient-Centered Outcomes Institute (PCORI). (PI: Melinda Stanley)
- 2014-15 **Consultant**, National Expert Advisory Panel, Exploring the Effects of Parental Deportation on U.S. Citizen Children. NIH Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health & Human Development. (PI: Luis Zayas)
- 2013-2015 **Collaborator**, How College Affects Latinas' Career Decision-Making Process: A Psychosociocultural Approach. (PI: Michelle Castellanos). USC Rossier School of Education
- 2011 **Consultant**, Mental Health Training and Consultation for Faith-Based Providers in Service Area 6, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health
- 2010-2011 **Collaborator**, Minority Aging Survey, Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging, School of Social Work, University of Southern California
- 2010 **Consultant**, Partners in Care Foundation. Adult Day Health Care Disenrollment Study. Report to AltaMed Health Services Corp. Burbank, CA
- 2009-2013 **Consultant**, SALUD: Improving Hispanic Elders' Health. San Ysidro Health Center, County of San Diego, UCSD School of Medicine, (PI: Gregg Aarons)
- 2008-2012 **Member**, Data Safety Monitoring Board (DSMB), Elders with Depression (CARE-D) Study (PI: Patricia Areán)
- 2007-2008 **Consultant**, A Pilot Randomized, Controlled Trial to Study Depression-Specific Treatments for Patients Seeking Care within a Public Emergency Department. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, and Department of Psychiatry and the Behavioral Sciences, Keck School of Medicine (PI: Sarita Mohanty)
- 2007-2013 **Consultant**, Evaluation of Interpreter Training Programs for Mental Health Settings, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health
- 2006-2008 **Consultant**, Improving Depression Care for Older Minority Adults in Public Sector Care. National Institute on Aging, UCLA Resource Center for Minority Aging (RCMAR Subcontract), and Department of Psychiatry and the Behavioral Sciences, Keck School of Medicine (PI: Isabel Lagomasino)
- 1993-2015 **Consultant**, Hispanic Established Populations for Epidemiologic Studies of the Elderly (H-EPESE). National Institute of Aging. (PI: Kyriakos S. Markides)

## **SCIENTIFIC REVIEW ACTIVITIES**

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- 2017 Reviewer, Aging with Mental Illness: How older Californians are faring in the Public Mental Health Delivery System. UCLA Center for Health Policy Research
- 2017 Reviewer (invited), Implementation Science for the Prevention and Treatment of Mental and/or Substance Use Disorders in Low- and Middle-Income Countries (U01), National Institute of Mental Health, and National Institute of Drug Abuse
- 2015 Reviewer (invited), Global Mental Health - Scaling Up Mental Health Interventions in Low- and Middle-Income Countries (U19), National Institute of Mental Health
- 2015 Reviewer (invited), Special Emphasis Panel, Scientific Review Group, National Institute of Minority Health and Health Disparities
- 2015 Reviewer (invited), Health Disparities and Equity Promotion Study Section, National Institutes of Health
- 2013 Reviewer (invited), Standing Committee on Mental Health Services, National Institute of Mental Health
- 2012 Reviewer, Grand Challenges, National Institute of Mental Health
- 2012 Expert Reviewer, Scientific Advisory Committee Evidence-Based Programs, Chinese Cochrane Center (ChiCC), International Cochrane Collaboration
- 2010-2013 Grant Reviewer, The Los Angeles Basin Clinical and Translational Science Institute (CTSI), Office of Research Development, University of Southern California

2000	Reviewer, Grant prospectus, Israel Science Foundation
1997	Reviewer, Special Review Committee, Alzheimer's Disease Centers, National Institute of Aging
1987	Reviewer, Grant Review Committee, Older Americans Act Programs, Administration on Aging

**PUBLICATIONS** (\*indicates authors who were advisees/mentees)

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**Peer-Reviewed Publications**

1. Fuentes, D., & **Aranda, M.P.** (under review). Disclosing Psychiatric Diagnosis to Close Others among Older Latin@s: A Cultural Framework
2. Ell, K., **Aranda, M.P.**, Wu, S., \*Oh, H., Lee, P-J, & Guterman, J. (2017). Promotora assisted depression and self-care management among predominantly Latinos with concurrent chronic illness: Safety net care system clinical trial results. *Contemporary Clinical Trials*. doi.org/10.1016/j.cct.2015.11.012
3. \*Nguyen, A., Chatters, L., Taylor, R.J., **Aranda, M.P.**, Lincoln, K., & Thomas, C.S., (2017). Discrimination, serious psychological distress, and church-based emotional support among African American men across the life span. *Journals of Gerontology: Social Sciences*. <https://doi.org/10.1093/geronb/gbx083>
4. \*Camacho, D., Estrada, E., Lagomasino, I.T., **Aranda, M.P.**, & Green, J. (2017). Descriptions of depression and depression treatment in older Hispanic immigrants in a geriatric collaborative care program. *Aging and Mental Health*, <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/13607863.2017.1332159>
5. Birkenmaier, J. M., **Aranda, M. P.**, Appelbaum, P. S., & Norman, M. (2017). For their financial benefit: Determination of financial capability for adult beneficiaries of Social Security Disability. *Social Work*, 62(3), 271-273
6. \*Hansen, M.C., Fuentes, D., & **Aranda, M.P.** (2017). Re-engagement into Care: The Role of social support on service use for recurrent episodes of mental health distress among primary Care patients. *The Journal of Behavioral Health Services & Research*, 1-15. doi: 10.1007/s11414-016-9545-4
7. Ell, K., **Aranda, M.P.**, Wu, S., Oh, H., Lee, P-J, & Guterman, J. (2016). Promotora assisted depression care among predominately Hispanic patients with concurrent chronic illness: Public care system clinical trial design. *Contemporary Clinical Trials*, 46, 39-47. doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.cct.2015.11.012>
8. Schulz, R., Eden, J. (Eds.), & Committee on Family Caregiving for Older Adults. (2016). Families Caring for an Aging America. The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, Medicine. The National Academies Press. Washington, DC. doi: 10.17226/23606
9. Appelbaum, P.S., Spicer, C.M., Valliere, F.R. (Eds.), & the Committee to Evaluate the Social Security Administration's Capability Determination Process for Adult Beneficiaries. (2016). Informing Social Security's Process for Financial Capability Determination. The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, Medicine. The National Academies Press. Washington, DC. doi" 10.17226/21922
10. \*Helu-Fernandez, P. & **Aranda, M.P.** (2016). Psychosocial approaches addressing sexual health and intimate relationships among patients with serious mental illness. *Sexual Medicine Review*, 4, 26-35. doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.sxmr.2015.10.010>

11. \*Hays, K., & **Aranda, M.P.** (2015). Outcomes of faith-based mental health interventions with African Americans: A systematic review of the literature. *Research on Social Work Practice*.doi: 10.1177/1049731515569356
12. **Aranda, M.P.**, \*López Ortega, M. & Gutiérrez Robledo, L.M. (2015). Prevalence and determinants of falls among older adults in México: Findings from the Mexican National Health and Nutrition Survey. In W.A. Vega et al. (Ed.), *Challenges of Latino Aging America in the Americas*. NY: Springer
13. **Aranda, M.P.** (2015). Social work practice with older Latinos in the United States: A Mental Health Perspective. In B. Berkman & D. Kaplan (Eds.), *Handbook of Social Work in Health and Aging (Second Edition)*. New York: Oxford University Press
14. Chadiha, L.A., Rozario, P.A., **Aranda, M.P.**, & Fielding, A.S. (2015). Older African Americans and other black populations. In B. Berkman & D. Kaplan (Eds.), *Handbook of Social Work in Health and Aging (Second Edition)*. New York: Oxford University Press
15. Reilly, J.M., **Aranda, M.P.**, Gidan-Segal, F., Halle, A., Han, P.P., & Harris, H. (2014). Assessment of Student's Inter-Professional Education (IPE) Training for Team-Based Care: Does Inter-Professional Education (IPE) Training Change Students Knowledge and Attitudes. *Home Health Care Services Quarterly*, 33(4), 1-15. doi:10.1080/01621424.2014.968502
16. Chadiha, L.A., **Aranda, M.P.**, Biegel, D.E., & Chang, C-W. (2014). The Importance of Mentoring Faculty Members of Color in Schools of Social Work. *Journal of Teaching in Social Work*, 34(4), 351-362. doi: 10.1080/08841233.2014.937891
17. \*Siantz, E., & **Aranda, M.P.** (2014). Chronic Disease Self-Management Interventions for Adults with Serious Mental illness: A Systematic Review of the Literature. *General Hospital Psychiatry*, 36, 233-244. doi:10.1016/j.genhosppsych.2014.01.014
18. **Aranda, M.P.** (2013). Depression-related disparities among older, Low-acculturated US Latinos. *Special report series on Treatment along the Life Cycle. Psychiatric Times*, September 11, 2013
19. \*Hansen, M.C., & **Aranda, M.P.** (2012). Sociocultural influences on mental health service use by Latino older adults: Exploring the mediating and moderating role of social support. *Social Science and Medicine*, 75(12), 2134-2142. doi:10.1016/j.socscimed.2012.06.029
20. Eden, J., Maslow, K., Le, M., & Blazer, D. (Eds.), & the Committee on the Mental Health Workforce for Geriatric Populations. (2012). Board on Health Care Services. *The mental health and substance use workforce for older adults. In whose hands?* Institute of Medicine of the National Academies. Washington, DC. doi: 10.17226/13400
21. Fuentes, D. & **Aranda, M.P.** (2012). Interventions for depression among racial and ethnic minority older adults: A systematic review of the literature across 20 years. *American Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*, 20(11), 915-931. doi: 10.1097/JGP.0b013e31825d091a
22. Villa, V.M., Wallace, S.P., Bagdasaryan, S., **Aranda, M.P.** (2012). Hispanic baby boomers: Health inequities likely to persist in old age. *The Gerontologist*, 52(2), 166-176. doi: 10.1093/geront/gns002
23. **Aranda, M.P.**, & Lincoln, K. (2011). Financial strain, negative interaction, coping styles and mental health among low-income Latinos. *Journal of Race and Social Problems*, 3, 280-297. doi: 10.1007/s12552-011-9060-4
24. Woodward, A.T., Taylor, R.J., Bullard, K.M., **Aranda, M.P.**, Lincoln, K.D., & Chatters, L. (2012). Prevalence of Lifetime DSM-IV affective disorders among older African Americans, Black

Caribbeans, Latinos, Asians and Non-Hispanic Whites. *International Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*, 8, 816-27. doi: 10.1002/gps.2790

25. **Aranda, M.P.**, Chae, D.H., Lincoln, K.D., Taylor, R.J., Woodward, A.T., & Chatters, L.M. (2011). Demographic Correlates of DSM-IV Major Depressive Disorder among Older African American Americans, Black Caribbeans, and Non-Hispanic Whites: Results from the National Survey of American Life. *International Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*, 27(9), 940-7. doi: 10.1002/gps.2805
26. **Aranda, M.P.**, Ray, L.A., Soham, A.S., Ottenbacher, K.J., & Markides, K.S. (2011). The protective effect of neighborhood composition on increasing frailty among older Mexican Americans. *Journal of Aging and Health*, 23(7), 1189–1217. doi: 10.1177/0898264311421961
27. Leung, A.Y.M.L., Chi, I., & **Aranda, M.P.** (2011). Introduction: Long term care needs in Hong Kong. *Home Health Care Services Quarterly*, 30, 115-118. doi: 10.1080/01621424.2011.599309
28. Leung, A.Y.M.L., Chi, I., & **Aranda, M.P.** (2011). Introduction: Long term care needs in Hong Kong. *Home Health Care Services Quarterly*, 30, 115-118. doi: 10.1080/01621424.2011.599309
29. Ell, K., **Aranda, M.P.**, Xie, B., Juan, P-J., Chou, C-P. (2010). Collaborative depression treatment in older and younger adults with physical illness: Pooled analysis of three randomized clinical trials. *American Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*, 18(6), 520-530. doi: 10.1097/JGP.0b013e3181cc0350
30. \*Guo, M., **Aranda, M.P.**, & Silverstein, M. (2009). The impact of the out-migration on the intergenerational support and psychological well-being of older people in China. *Ageing and Society*, 29, 1-20. doi: 10.1017/S0144686X0900871X
31. Ortiz, L., & **Aranda, M.P.** (2009). Guest editorial for special issue on Intervention Outcome Research with Latinos: Social work's contributions. *Research on Social Work Practice*, 19(2), 149-151. doi: 10.1177/1049731508329390
32. Huynh-Hohnbaum, A-L.T., Villa, V.M., **Aranda, M.P.**, & Lambrinos, J. (2008). Evaluating a multi-component caregiver intervention: A pilot study. *Home Health Care Services Quarterly*, 27(4), 399-325. doi: 10.1080/01621420802589777
33. **Aranda, M.P.** (2008). The relationship between religious involvement and psychological well-being: A social justice perspective. *Health and Social Work*, 33(1), 9-21. doi: 10.1093/hsw/33.1.9
34. Jani, J., Ortiz, L., & **Aranda, M.P.** (2009). Latino outcome studies in social work: A review of the literature. *Journal of Social Work Practice*, 19(2), 179-194. doi: 10.1177/1049731508315974
35. Ell, K., Unützer, **Aranda, M.**, Gibbs, N.E., Lee, P.J., & Xie. B. (2007). Managing depression in home health care: A randomized clinical trial. *Home Health Care Services Quarterly*, 26(3), 81-104. doi: 10.1300/J027v26n03\_05
36. **Aranda, M.P.**, & Morano, C. (2007). Psychoeducational strategies for Latino caregivers. In C.B. Cox (Ed.), *Dementia and Social Work Practice: Research and Interventions* (pp. 189-204). New York: Springer Publishing
37. \*Li, Y., **Aranda, M.P.**, & Chi, I. (2007). Health and life satisfaction of ethnic minority older adults in mainland China: Effects of financial strain. *International Journal of Aging and Human Development*, 64(4), 361-379. doi: 10.2190/9053-2G67-4X22-1211
38. **Aranda, M.P.** (2006). Social work with older Latinos: A mental health perspective. In B. Berkman (Ed.), *Handbook of Social Work in Aging*. New York: Oxford University Press



39. Chadiha, L.A., Brown, E., & **Aranda, M.P.** (2006). Older African Americans and Other Black Populations. In B. Berkman (Eds.), *Handbook of Social Work in Aging*. New York: Oxford University Press
40. Ell, K.R., Unutzer, R., **Aranda, M.P.**, Sanchez, K. & Lee, P.J. (2005). Routine PHQ-9 depression screening in home health care: Depression prevalence, clinical and treatment characteristics. *Home Health Care Services Quarterly*, 24(4), 1-19. doi: 10.1300/J027v24n04\_01
41. Allery, A.J., **Aranda, M.P.** et al. (2004). Alzheimer's disease and communities of color. In K. Whitfield (Ed.), *Closing the Gap: Improving the Health of Minority Elders in the New Millennium* (pp.81-86). Allen Press: Washington, DC
42. Angel, R., Angel, J., **Aranda, M.P.**, Miles, T.P. (2004). "Can the Family Still Cope? Social Support and Health as Determinants of Nursing Home Use in the Older Mexican origin Population" *Journal of Aging and Health*, 16(3), 338-354. doi: 10.1177/0898264304264203
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- 2013 **Aranda, M.P.** Preliminary Results of a Depression Care Program for Older Latinos with Depression. 19th Annual Latino Behavioral Health Latino Conference. September, 2013
- 2013 **Aranda, M.P.** The Mental Health and Substance Use Workforce for Older Adults: In Whose Hands? Findings and Recommendations of the 2012 Institute of Medicine Report. Hearing on Aging and Mental Health: A Toolkit for Workforce Development. Public testimony provided to the California State Assembly, Aging and Long Term Care Committee. Sacramento, CA. May 2013
- 2013 **Aranda, M.P.** The Mental Health and Substance Use Workforce for Older Adults: In Whose Hands? Findings and Recommendations of the 2012 Institute of Medicine Report -- Committee on the Mental Health Workforce for Geriatric Populations. California Council on Gerontology and Geriatrics 33rd Annual Meeting. Los Angeles, CA. April 2013
- 2013 **Aranda, M.P.** (Chair). Symposium on Methods to Improve Reach and Adoption of Empirically-Supported Depression Assessments and Provider Training in Community-Based Settings. Screening and clinical assessments of limited English-speaking geriatric patients with major depression: Programa Mano Amiga. American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry Annual Meeting. Los Angeles, CA. March 2013
- 2013 **Aranda, M.P.** Symposium on the Mental Health and Substance Use Workforce for Older Adults: Racial, ethnic and sociocultural implications of the IOM report: In Whose Hands? 2013 Aging in America Conference. Chicago, IL. March 2013
- 2013 **Aranda, M.P.** The Mental Health and Substance Use Workforce for Older Adults: In Whose Hands? Findings and Recommendations of the 2012 Institute of Medicine Report. Legislative staff briefing. California State Assembly, Aging and Long Term Care Committee. Sacramento, CA. March 2013
- 2013 **Aranda, M.P.** Addressing intersectionality in clinical research. Symposium on intersectionality: Theorizing health inequalities by race/ethnicity, gender, income, and age. 65th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Boston, MA. November 2012
- 2013 **Aranda, M.P.** Symposium on the Mental Health and Substance Use Workforce for Older Adults: Racial, ethnic and sociocultural implications of the IOM report: In Whose Hands? 65th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Boston, MA. November 2012
- 2013 **Aranda, M.P.** The Mental Health & Substance Use Workforce for Older Adults: In Whose Hands? California Commission on Aging. Long Beach, CA. November 2012
- 2012 **Aranda, M.P.** Overview: Institute of Medicine Report on the Mental Health Geriatric Workforce for Geriatric Populations. Geriatric Behavioral Health Workforce Policy Forum. California Geriatric Education Center, and the California Council on Gerontology & Geriatrics. Sacramento, CA. October 2012

- 2011 Fuentes, D., & **Aranda, M.P.** Depression Interventions among Minority Older Adults: A Systematic Review across 20 Years. 64th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Boston, MA. November 2011
- 2011 **Aranda, M.P.** Symposium. Training of Non-Graduate Interventionists in the Provision of Psychosocial Care to Depressed Latino Consumers. 2011 Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatrists. San Antonio, TX. March 2011
- 2011 Villa, V.M., Wallace, S.P., **Aranda, M.P.**, & Bagdasaryan, S. Health Disparities, Access & Aging: Using the California Health Interview Survey (CHIS). Center for Health Policy Research, University of California, Los Angeles. February 2011
- 2010 **Aranda, M.P.**, Ray, L.A., Soham, A.S., Ottenbacher, K.J., & Markides, K.S. The Protective Effect of Neighborhood Composition on Increasing Frailty among Older Mexican Americans. 63th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. New Orleans, LA. November 2010
- 2009 **Aranda, M.P.**, & Chadiha, L. Cultural Sensitivity Issues in Mentoring Relationships. John A Hartford Foundation Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Program. Annual Orientation Institute, Washington, DC. October 2009
- 2008 Guo, M., **Aranda, M.P.**, & Silverstein, M. The Impact of Out-Migration on the Intergenerational Support and Psychological Well-Being of Older People in China. CSWE 54th Annual Program Meeting. Philadelphia, PA. October 2008
- 2008 **Aranda, M.P.** Community Based-Education Curricula Development in Evidence-Based Practice: Models and Teaching Tools in the Management of Depression. Evidence-Based Health Promotion for Older Adults: Competencies, Content, and Curricula. Conference sponsored by SAGE/CGEC. University of California, (Los Angeles), Oxnard, CA. September 2009
- 2008 **Aranda, M.P.** Sociocultural Adaptations of PST for Disadvantaged Populations. Prevention Research Centers-Healthy Aging Research Network (PRC-HAN) Research to Practice Symposium: Effective Programs to Treat Depression in Older Adults – Implementation Strategies. Atlanta, GA. May 2008
- 2007 **Aranda, M.P.** Plenary Speaker. Mental Health: Focus on Hispanic Aging. National Hispanic Council on Aging, Annual Conference, Dallas, TX, November 2007
- 2007 **Aranda, M.P.**, & Chadiha, L. Determinants of Health Service Utilization among African American Female Caregivers: Testing the Anderson Model. 60th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. San Francisco, CA. November 2007
- 2007 Parker-Dominguez, T. et al. Starting from Scratch: Top to Bottom Overhaul of an HBSE Curriculum. Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program Meeting. San Francisco, CA. October 2007
- 2007 Trejo, L. et al. Informal Care of the Frail Elderly: Policy and Practices to Support Family Caregivers, Supporting Latino Caregiving Families: The El Portal Latino Alzheimer's Project – A Dementia Care Network. The George Washington University National Health Policy Forum, Washington, DC, September 2007
- 2005 **Aranda, M.P.** Older Latinos and Mental Health. National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials, California Policy Institute On Health, Mental Health and Substance Abuse, February 2005
- 2005 Villagrana, M., & **Aranda, M.P.** A Conceptual Model of Mental Health Service Use for Latino Children in Foster Care. Council on Social Work Education, Annual Program Meeting. New York, NY. February 2005
- 2005 **Aranda, M.P.** (Discussant). (Abstract accepted). Symposium: The Sociocultural Stress and Coping Model: The Impact of Culture on Caregiving Outcomes among Diverse Caregiving Samples. Presented at the 58th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Orlando, FL. November 2005
- 2005 **Aranda, M.P.** (Discussant). (Abstract accepted). Symposium: Caregiving Experiences and Outcomes: A Multi-Method Approach to Understanding Cultural Differences and Similarities. Presented at the 58th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Orlando, FL. November, 2005
- 2005 Hansen, M., **Aranda, M.P.**, & Eil, K. Sociocultural Adaptations of Depression Treatment for Latino Older Adults. START-MH Conference, University of California, San Diego. La Jolla, CA. August 2005

- 2004 **Aranda, M.P.** Cultural Competency in Working with Latino Caregivers. Joint Conference of the American Society on Aging & the National Council on Aging, San Francisco, CA
- 2004 **Aranda, M.P.** Using In-Depth Interviews to Understand the Nature and Course of Depression in Older Adults with Chronic Illness. Poster session. Family Research Consortium IV, First Annual Summer Research Institute, NIMH, San Juan, Puerto Rico
- 2004 **Aranda, M.P.** Preliminary Results: The Sociocultural Stress & Coping Model for Mental Health Outcomes among Older Latinos in Long Term Care. 2004 Scholars Institute, John A. Hartford Faculty Scholars Program, Washington, DC
- 2004 **Aranda, M.P.** Latino Mental Health: A Systematic Literature Review. Latino Behavioral Health Institute 10th Annual Conference, Universal City, CA
- 2003 **Aranda, M.P.** Sociocultural Adaptations to Depression Care for Low-Income Latinas with Cancer. The 131st Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, San Francisco, CA
- 2003 **Aranda, M.P.** The Sociocultural Stress and Coping Model for Mental Health Outcomes among Older Latinos in Long Term Care. 2003 Scholars Institute, John A. Hartford Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Program. Washington, DC
- 2003 **Aranda, M.P.** The Longitudinal Results of the Course of Depression in a Sample of Spousal Caregivers: Dementia Caregiving and the Cessation of Care. Caregiver Symposium. 7th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC
- 2002 **Aranda, M.P.** Outreach and Care for People in Different Ethnic Groups: What's Different? What's the Same? American Society on Aging Annual Conference, Denver, CO
- 2002 **Aranda, M.P.** U.S. Latinos: Values and Beliefs. National Alzheimer's Association, Chicago, IL
- 2002 **Aranda, M.P.** The Many Faces of Dementia: Individualized Approaches to Care. The Latino Perspective. The Alzheimer's Association and the American Society on Aging. Preconference Special Program of the 2nd Annual Joint Conference of the National Council on Aging and the American Society on Aging. Denver, CO
- 2002 **Aranda, M.P.** (Plenary speaker). Buscando Luminarias: Self-Care for the Caregiver. 8th Biennial National Conference of the National Hispanic Council on Aging. Luminarias: Paths to Well-Being. San Diego, CA
- 2001 **Aranda, M.P.** Results of a Psychoeducational Group Intervention for Family Members of Persons Aging with a Disability. 54th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Chicago, IL
- 2001 **Aranda, M.P.** Ethnic and Gender Differences in Distress among Anglo-American, African-American, Japanese-American and Mexican-American Spousal Caregivers of Persons with Dementia. 54th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Chicago, IL
- 2001 **Aranda, M.P.** Older Latinos and Mental Health Disparities. 47th Annual Program Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education. Dallas, TX
- 2000 **Aranda, M.P.** Gender Differences in stress, social support, and coping as predictors of depression in Mexican Americans. Latino Behavioral Health Institute 5th Annual Conference, Los Angeles, CA
- 2000 **Aranda, M.P.,** Sobel, E., Lee, P.J., Markides, K., & Chiriboga, D. Sociocultural, health, and psychosocial resources as moderators of the relationship of stress to depressive symptoms among older Mexican Americans. Poster session presented at the 53rd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Washington, D.C
- 2000 **Aranda, M.P.,** Kemp, B., Adams, B., Ettelson, D., Robles, J., & Esparza, Y. Assisting family caregivers of persons aging with a disability. Poster session presented at the 53rd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Washington, D.C
- 2000 **Aranda, M.P.** Identification and Assessment of Effective Services and Interventions. Conference on the Contextual World of People with Alzheimer's Disease: Social and Behavioral Perspectives. National Alzheimer's Association. Chicago, IL
- 2000 **Aranda, M.P.** Researching Disability and Diversity: Listening to the Voices of Latino Older Adults. The New Paradigm on Disability: Research Issues and Approaches. National Institute of Disability Rehabilitation and Research. Bethesda, Md
- 1998 **Aranda, M.P.** Factors Which Influence the Institutionalization of Hispanic Individuals with Dementia. American Society on Aging 44th Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA
- 1998 **Aranda, M.P.** Bridging the Gap Between Dementia Practice and Research. American Society on Aging 44th Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA

- 1998 **Aranda, M.P.** Informed Choices in Developing Caregiver Assistance Programs. American Society on Aging 44th Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA
- 1996 **Aranda, M.P.** Hispanic Health and Aging: Research Results From Four Federally Funded Projects. Gerontological Society of America 49th Annual Scientific Meeting. Washington, DC
- 1996 **Aranda, M.P.** Ethnogerontology: From Theory to Culturally Competent Practice. American Society on Aging 42nd Annual Meeting. Anaheim, CA
- 1996 **Aranda, M.P.** Economic and Health Security for Latino Alzheimer's Caregivers. Gerontological Society of America 49th Annual Scientific Meeting. Washington, DC
- 1996 **Aranda, M.P.** Activity-Based Programming: Implementing Culturally Diverse Activity Programming. 5th National Alzheimer's Disease Education Conference. Chicago, IL
- 1995 **Aranda, M.P.** Culture-Friendly Program Activities for Ethnically Diverse Populations. 4th Annual National Alzheimer's Disease Education Conference. Chicago, IL
- 1994 **Aranda, M.P.** Assessment: Adaptations for Use with Diverse Populations. 3rd Annual National Alzheimer's Disease Education Conference. Chicago, IL
- 1995 **Aranda, M.P.** Families and the Latino Elderly: A Clinical/Cultural Perspective. 1st Annual Latino Behavioral Institute, Universal City, CA
- 1993 **Aranda, M.P.** Caregiver Research: Practical Insights for Overcoming Barriers to Service Use. 2nd Annual National Alzheimer's Disease Conference. Chicago, IL
- 1993 **Aranda, M.P.** Family Issues, Family Dynamics: Cultural and Psychological Concerns. 2nd Annual National Alzheimer's Disease Education Conference. Chicago, IL
- 1992 **Aranda, M.P.** Family Issues: Making the Relationships Work for You. 1st Annual National Alzheimer's Association Annual Educational Conference, Chicago, IL
- 1992 **Aranda, M.P.** Effective Training Methods for Teaching Hispanic Staff, Patients, and Family Members. 1st Annual National Alzheimer's Disease Education Conference. Chicago, IL
- 1991 **Aranda, M.P.** Providing Bilingual/Bicultural Mental Health Services to the Latino Elderly. 1st Annual Mental Health and Aging Conference. Department of Mental Health, State of Washington. Bellevue, WA
- 1991 **Aranda, M.P.** Developing Culturally-Relevant Informational and Educational Tools for the Spanish-Speaking Community. American Society on Aging 37th Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA
- 1990 **Aranda, M.P.** Outreach to Multicultural Communities: A Hispanic Focus Group. Alzheimer's Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL
- 1990 **Aranda, M.P.** Ethnicity and Caregiving. American Society on Aging 36th Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA
- 1989 **Aranda, M.P.** (Keynote speaker). The Impact of Alzheimer's Disease on the Latino Family: Developing Family Support Groups and Outreach Programs for the Latino Community. Training Program for the Alzheimer's Association. Detroit, MI
- 1989 **Aranda, M.P.** (Keynote speaker). ¿Qué es la Enfermedad de Alzheimer? (What is Alzheimer's Disease?). First Spanish-Speaking Educational Conference on Alzheimer's Disease. Alzheimer's Association. Dallas, TX

### **Local**

- 2016 **Aranda, M.P.** Bringing Evidence-Based Programs to Historically Underrepresented Older Minorities. Healthy Aging Initiative for Los Angeles County, Los Angeles, CA. March 22, 2016
- 2016 **Aranda, M.P.** Family Caregiver Well-Being: Implications for Providers. Geriatric Care in the Primary Care Setting Conference, L.A. Care Health Plan, Alhambra, CA. August 2016
- 2014 **Aranda, M.P.** Evidence-Based Interventions for Healthy Aging. Community Dialogue on Health Aging: Emerging Issues. Los Angeles Alliance for Community Health and Aging, and the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health, Los Angeles, CA. April 2014
- 2012 **Aranda, M.P.** Problem-Solving Therapy for Late Life. Clinician Training and Case Supervision—Older Adult Programs. Heritage Clinic- CFAR, Pasadena, CA. May 2011
- 2012 **Aranda, M.P.** Problem-Solving Therapy for Late Life. Clinician Training and Case Supervision—Older Adult Programs. Jewish Family Services. Los Angeles, CA. April 2011
- 2011 **Aranda, M.P.** Sociocultural Adaptations to Problem Solving Treatment: Latino Older Adult Perspective. County of Los Angeles, Department of Mental Health, Older Adult System of Care, Prevention and Early Intervention (PEI) Services to Older Adults: Cultural Competency Perspectives. Los Angeles, CA. June 2011

- 2011 **Aranda, M.P.** Problem Solving Training: Sociocultural Considerations. Depression Care-Management Adoption Technology (DCAT) Study. Department of Industrial Engineering, University of Southern California. Los Angeles, CA. March 2011
- 2011 **Aranda, M.P.** Problem Solving Treatment with Latino Older Adults with Major Depression Disorder: Training Series II. Programa Mano Amiga, USC School of Social Work. Los Angeles, CA. January-April 2011
- 2011 **Aranda, M.P.** Keynote Address. The Role of Social Work. Social Work Month Recognition Ceremony. AltaMed Health Services Corporation, Santa Fe Springs, CA. March 2011
- 2010 **Aranda, M.P.** Depression in Latino Older Adults. The Los Angeles County Mental Health Commission. Los Angeles, CA. June 2009
- 2009 **Aranda, M.P.** Problem Solving Treatment with Latino Older Adults with Major Depression Disorder: Training Series I. Programa Mano Amiga, USC School of Social Work. Los Angeles, CA. September-December 2009
- 2009 **Aranda, M.P.** Depression in Latino Older Adults. The Los Angeles County Mental Health Commission. Los Angeles, CA. June 2009
- 2009 **Aranda, M.P.** Depression in Latino Older Adults. Social Work Inservice. Los Angeles County, LAC+USC Health Care Network. Los Angeles, CA. May 2009
- 2007 **Aranda, M.P.** Spanish-Speaking Populations: Strategies for Service. Presented at The Many Faces of Dementia: The Journey from Science to Service, USC Alzheimer Disease Research Center. Los Angeles, CA. February 2007
- 2005 **Aranda, M.P.** The Relationship between Immigrant Status, Religious Attendance, Private Prayer and Psychological Well-Being in a Clinical Sample of Older U.S. Latinos. Conference on Religion and Social Justice for Immigrants. Center on Religion and Civic Culture, University of Southern California. February 2005
- 2003 **Aranda, M.P.** (Keynote Speaker): Stress, Social Support, and Depressive Symptoms among Mexican American Elderly. First Annual Meeting of the Latino Professional Network School of Social Work, University of Southern California, Orange County, CA
- 2002 **Aranda, M.P.** Life Stressors & Coping Strategies of Older Latinos: An Exploration of Gender Differences. Graduate and Professional Student Senate, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
- 2001 **Aranda, M.P.** Self-Care for the Caregiver. Assisting Family Caregivers of Persons Living Long-Term with a Disability. Rehabilitation and Research Training Centers for Persons Aging with a Disability, and Persons Living with a Spinal Cord Injury. Downey, CA
- 1999 **Aranda, M.P.** Ethnic Differences in Spousal Caregiver Stress. National Alzheimer's Disease 8th Annual National Alzheimer's Disease Education Conference. Long Beach, CA
- 1998 **Aranda, M.P.** Working with Latino Older Adults and Their Caregivers. California Geriatric Education Center, University of California, Los Angeles
- 1998 **Aranda, M.P.** Clinical Practice with Older Latinos. Department of Mental Health, Los Angeles County
- 1996 **Aranda, M.P.** Latino Aging and Mental Health. Latino Behavioral Health Institute 2nd Annual Conference. Long Beach, CA
- 1996 **Aranda, M.P.** Clinical Issues Among Hispanic Families Affected by Alzheimer's Disease: Does Spirituality Make a Difference? Visiting Nurse Association, Los Angeles. CA
- 1996 **Aranda, M.P.** Implications of Diversity of Social Work Practice and Gerontology. California Geriatric Education Center, and the Department of Social Welfare, UCLA. Los Angeles, CA
- 1996 **Aranda, M.P.** Cultural Variations in Caregiving. Impact on Support Groups. Alzheimer's Association. Los Angeles, CA
- 1995 **Aranda, M.P.** Culture and the Family Dynamics of Caregiving. Biennial Education Conference. Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles, CA
- 1993 **Aranda, M.P.** Latino Caregiving: What We Know and What We Don't Know - Dilemmas for the 90s. Biennial Education Conference. Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles, CA
- 1993 **Aranda, M.P.** Multicultural Aspects of Peer Counseling. Mental Health and Senior Peer Counseling. State of California. Asilomar, CA
- 1992 **Aranda, M.P.** Alzheimer's Disease and Its Impact on Low-Income, Minority Communities. Guest lecturer. Master's level course in Social Work and aging. University of Southern California. Los Angeles

- 1992 **Aranda, M.P.** Multicultural Issues, Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias: An Overview of the Literature. Speaker's Bureau Training, Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles
- 1991 **Aranda, M.P.** Evento Educativo Sobre la Enfermedad de Alzheimer. (Educational Movie and Program on Alzheimer's Disease). St. Emydius Event, Older Americans Public Awareness Month Series. Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health and the Alzheimer's Association
- 1991 **Aranda, M.P.** How to Provide Services More Effectively to Spanish-Speaking Underutilizers of Dementia-Care programs. Alzheimer's Association, Orange County Chapter. Education and Public Awareness Series
- 1991 **Aranda, M.P.** Serious and Persistent Mentally Ill Elderly: Affective disorders in the Elderly. LA County Department of Mental Health. Series on Applied Geriatric Mental Health
- 1991 **Aranda, M.P.** The Do's and Don'ts of Working with the Latino elderly. Didi Hirsch Community Mental Health Center. Geriatric Mental Health Seminar Series
- 1990 **Aranda, M.P.** "Cuidando a Nuestros Seres Queridos Incapacitados por Problemas de Memoria (Caring for Our Loved Ones Suffering from Dementia.)" Second Annual Hispanic Caregivers Conference. Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, Older Adult Task Force
- 1990 **Aranda, M.P.** Spirituality in the Treatment Process. Guest lecturer. Master's level course in "Spanish Skills for Cross-Cultural Practice." University of Southern California
- 1990 **Aranda, M.P.** Health Needs of the Minority Elderly. USC Pacific Geriatric Education Center/Visiting Nurse Association of Orange County Education Project. Orange, CA
- 1990 **Aranda, M.P.** Siempre Viva: A Video Presentation and Discussion of Alzheimer's Disease in the Latino Community. Seventh Annual State Conference. National Association of Social Workers. San Diego, CA
- 1990 **Aranda, M.P.** Psychosocial Issues in the Treatment of the Hispanic Elderly. Guest lecturer. Master's level course in Social Work and aging. University of Southern California. Los Angeles
- 1990 **Aranda, M.P.** (Keynote speaker). Nurturing the Root: The Meaning of Healing in the Lives of Ethnic Minority Older Adults and their Families. California Mental Health and Aging Conference. State Department of Mental Health. Carson, CA
- 1989 **Aranda, M.P.** Alzheimer's Disease in Minority Communities. Focus Group for the Hispanic Community Alzheimer's Disease Project, US Office of Technology Assessment. Los Angeles, CA
- 1988 **Aranda, M.P.** Testimony to the Select Committee on Aging, U.S. House of Representatives. In: Hearing on the Mental Health and the Elderly: Issues in Service Delivery to Asian American, Hispanics and Blacks. Los Angeles, CA

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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### **Courses Taught**

#### **USC**

#### **Doctoral Courses**

SW702 Explanatory Theories – Small Systems

SW743 Human Behavior in the Context of Social Environments: Behavioral and Social Science Theory and Research

#### **MSW Courses**

SW616 Clinical Practice with Older Adults (\*lead instructor; converted to virtual course)

SW680 Social Work Spanish for Culturally Competent Services (\*lead instructor; converted to virtual course)

SW599 Social Work with Latino Populations (SW628) (\*lead instructor and developer)

SW543 Social Work Practice I

SW503 Human Behavior and the Social Environment I (\*lead instructor, 2002-2007)

SW505 Human Behavior and the Social Environment II (\*lead instructor, 2002-2007)

SW590 Independent Study

#### **UCLA**

MSW course: Advanced Social Work Practice with Latino Families

#### **Postdoctoral Mentorships**

2016-17 Francisca (Then) Rodriguez, PhD., USC Roybal Institute on Aging

2015-16 Erica Lizano, PhD, Research Fellow, USC Roybal Institute on Aging

- 2014-15 Dahlia Fuentes, PhD, Research Fellow, USC Roybal Institute on Aging  
2012-13 Mariana López-Ortega, PhD, Postdoctoral Fellowship, USC Roybal Institute on Aging (primary advisor, William Vega, PhD)  
2011-12 Marissa C. Hansen, PhD, Postdoctoral Fellowship

### **Tutorials**

#### **SW790 – PhD Student Tutorials in Social Work / Doctoral Student Research**

Kexin Yu	May Guo
Mandong Mia Liu	Yawen Li
Paula Helu Fernández	Steve Wilson
Krystal Hays	Martha Ranney
Yura Lee	Mercedes Hernandez
Dahlia Fuentes	Armando Barragan
Marissa C. Hansen	Erica Lizano
Elizabeth Siantz	Amy He
Ling Xu	Michelle Castellanos
Brian Flores	

#### **SW599 – MSW Student Tutorials / Research Internships**

Beatrice Martinez	Christine Velasquez
David Camacho	José Reyes
Judy Muro	Jeannette Hilgert
Jessica Cruz	Kim Daughton

#### **Faculty Mentor Program, John A. Hartford Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars**

2008-10 Louise Quijano, PhD, (mentee) School of Social Work, Colorado State University

#### **Doctoral Committees** (in Social Work, unless otherwise indicated)

1. Member, David Camacho, qualifying examination committee, Columbia University School of Social Work, 2017
2. Member, Lizbeth Gaona, qualifying examination committee, December 2017
3. Member, Krystal Hays, qualifying examination committee, May 2015
4. Member, Barbara Blaylock (Health Economics Policy-USC Schaeffer Center), qualifying examination (June 2014), and dissertation committees (April 2015)
5. Member, Paula Helu Fernández, qualifying examination (February 2015); and dissertation committee (May 2017)
6. Member, Jeff Laguna (Gerontology), qualifying examination committee (February 2012), and dissertation committee (April 2014)
7. Member, Yura Lee, dissertation committee (May 2014)
8. Member, Dahlia Fuentes, qualifying examination (May 2010) and dissertation committee (March, 2014)
9. Member, Lina D'Orazio (Psychology), qualifying examination (December 2010) and dissertation committee (November 2010; June 2013)
10. Faculty Advisor, Marissa Hansen, Postdoctoral Training (2011-2012)
11. Faculty Mentor, Dahlia Fuentes, Pre-Doctoral Training (2010-2012)
12. Faculty Advisor, Elizabeth Siantz, doctoral student (2010-2012)
13. Member, Mercedes Hernandez, qualifying examination committee (May, 2012)
14. Member, Armando Barragan, qualifying examination committee (May, 2012)
15. Chair, Marissa Hansen, qualifying examination (Oct. 2007) and dissertation committee (May 2011)
16. Member, Kysa Christie (Psychology), qualifying examination (September 2009), dissertation committee (September 2011)

17. Member, Adria Navarro (Gerontology), qualifying examination /dissertation proposal (June 2010) and dissertation committee (April 2011)
18. Member, Ling Xu, qualifying examination (March 2010)
19. Member, Rodney Powell, (Sociology), dissertation proposal (May 2009) and dissertation committee (October 2010)
20. Member. Man (May) Guo, qualifying examination (Oct. 2008)
21. Member. Lu Zhou, qualifying examination (Sept. 2008)
22. Member, Amir Mirkiani (Education), dissertation committee (Nov. 2006)
23. Member, Yawen Li, qualifying examination (Sept. 2006)
24. Member, Elaine Pang, qualifying examination (2002)
25. Member, Steve Wilson, qualifying examination and dissertation committees (1999)
26. Chair, Martha Ranney, qualifying examination and dissertation committees (1998)

## **SERVICE**

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### ***Service to the University of Southern California, and the School of Social Work***

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| 2017-18 | Member, Tenured and Tenure-Track Faculty Affairs Committee   |
| 2016-18 | Member, SSW Faculty Council  |
| 2016-18 | Member, USC Research Committee   |
| 2016-17 | Member, USC Academic Senate  |
| 2016-17 | Chair, SSW Faculty Council   |
| 2013-14 | Member, SSW Vision and Structure Committee   |
| 2013-14 | Member, SSW Humanitarian Mission to the Philippines-Post Disaster Recovery   |
| 2012-15 | Chair, USC Telehealth Clinic, Faculty Oversight Committee  |
| 2012-15 | Member, USC Interprofessional Education Committee (IPG)  |
| 2012-15 | Member, USC Interprofessional Education Geriatric Committee (IPGC)   |
| 2012-14 | Member, SSW Curriculum Council, Chair (Chair, Spring 2013; 2013-14)  |
| 2012-13 | Member, SSW Practice Sequence  |
| 2011-13 | Member, Ad Hoc Committee, Integrative Seminar Review, SSW Curriculum Council   |
| 2010-12 | Member, Advisory Committee, SSW Asian/Pacific Islander Caucus and Alumni Scholarship Event   |
| 2009-15 | Member, USC Edward R. Roybal Annual Memorial Lecture Committee   |
| 2009-13 | Chair, Scientific Governing Board, USC Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging   |
| 2008-09 | Member, Expert Committee, Evercare® Study of Hispanic Family Caregiving in the U.S.: Findings from a National Study                            |
| 2007-08 | Member, SSW Faculty Council, Tenure Track Faculty Representative   |
| 2006-14 | Guest Member, USC School of Social Work, China Program   |
| 2006-07 | Chair, SSW Faculty Council and Member of the USC Academic Senate   |
| 2005-14 | Member, SSW Curriculum Council, Chair (2005-06; Spring 2013; 2013-14).   |
| 2005-13 | Member, SSW Faculty Development Committees   |
| 2004-10 | SSW Diversity Committee  |
| 2003-05 | Member, Working Group on Religion and Immigration (Interdisciplinary University-Wide Research Group), USC Center on Religion and Civic Culture |
| 2002-15 | Member, SSW Doctoral Program Committee   |
| 2002-14 | Faculty Liaison & Founding Member, SSW Latina/o Alumni Community Action Committee/Margarita Mendez and Juan Ramos Endowment                    |
| 2002-10 | Member, USC Hamovitch Research Center Advisory Committee   |
| 2002-04 | Member, SSW Curriculum Policy Review Committee   |
| 2002-04 | Member, SSW Cultural Immersion Program/Studies Committee   |
| 2002-03 | Member, University Faculty Search Liaison Committee  |
| 2002-03 | Member, SSW MSW Admissions Review Committee  |
| 2001-02 | Member, SSW All School Day Committee   |
| 2001-02 | Member, Faculty Council  |
| 1998-99 | Member, SSW Faculty Council  |
| 1998-15 | Chair, SSW Older Adult Subconcentration  |



1997 Member, SSW Dean Search Committee  
1996-97 Member, SSW Faculty Council  
1996-08 Member, SSW Faculty Search Committee  
1996-04 Advisor, Latino/a Social Work Caucus  
1995-18 Member, PhD Committee  
1995-06 Member, SSW Practice Sequence  
1995-09 Member, USC Human Behavior and the Social Environment Sequence, Chair (2001-2007)

**National / International Service**

2016-17 Member, Program Planning Committee, ICAA International Conference of Aging in the Americas  
2015-16 Member, Institute of Medicine, Committee to Evaluate the Study of Family Caregiving for Older Adults  
2015-16 Reviewer, Peer-Reviewed Scientific Proposals, Secretariat of the Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong  
2015-16 Member, Institute of Medicine, Committee to Evaluate the Social Security Administration's (SSA) Capability Determination Process for Adult Beneficiaries  
2015-16 Reviewer, Secretariat of the Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong  
2014-15 Co-Chair and Abstract Reviewer, Social Work Practice Cluster, SSWR 2015 Conference, Society of Social Work Research  
2012-15 Expert, Caregivers Advisory Board, AARP  
2012-15 Member, Global Research Network on Aging and Health (GRNAH)  
2012-15 Member, National Advisory Committee, International Conference of Aging in the Americas  
2012-15 Member, Chinese Cochrane Center (ChiCC), Scientific Advisory Committee  
2011-12 Member, Workgroup on Increasing Diverse Community Usage of TrialMatch®  
2010-15 Member, Expert Review Panel, Evidence-Based Interventions for Public Sector Mental Health Services, California Institute of Mental Health  
2009-2013 Member-at-Large (elected), Executive Committee  
2009 Contributor, NASW "Help Starts Here" Hispanic Heritage website  
2008-10 National Mentor, John A Hartford Foundation Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Program  
2007-10 Member, Council on Leadership Development, Council on Social Work Education  
2007-11 Member, Gerontological Society of America, Executive Committee  
2007-11 Member, Gerontological Society of America, Awards Committee  
2007-11 Member, Awards Committee, The Gerontological Society on Aging  
2007-10 Chair, Los Angeles Partnership for Evidenced-Based Solutions in Elder Health, Health Resources and Services Administration  
2007-10 Council on Leadership Development, Council on Social Work Education  
2005-10 Member, Social, Behavioral, and Diversity Research Workgroup of the Alzheimer's Association  
2005-07 Member, Red de Investigación del Envejecimiento en América Latina y el Caribe (REALCE) (Network for Research on Aging in Latin America and the Caribbean  
2004-05 Member, Performance Measures Advisory Committee, Mental Health Services Act (Prop 63), State Department of Mental Health  
2004-05 Member, National Committee on Women's Issues, National Association of Social Workers  
2003-04 Member, Ad Hoc Committee on Recruitment of Latino Faculty in Doctoral Level Programs  
2002-05 Member, National Advisory Committee, Institute for Geriatric Social Work  
2002-05 Member, National Alzheimer's Association Working Group on Medical and Scientific Affairs, Alzheimer's Association  
2001-04 Board of Directors, Council on Social Work Education  
• Member, Subcommittee on Affirmative Action  
2000-15 Member, Association of Latino Social Work Educators, affiliated with the Council on Social Work Education

1998-99 Mentor, National Ventures in Leadership, American Society of Aging  
1997-99 Member, Workgroup on Alzheimer's Disease Report Guidelines, State of California, Health and Human Services, Department of Aging  
1996-98 Member, Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorder's Advisory Committee, State of California, Health and Human Services, Department of Aging  
1996-03 Board Member, National Board of Advisors, Latino Center on Aging  
1996-00 Member, Multicultural Advisory Planning Council Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles Chapter  
1996 Member, Advisory Committee to Multicultural Aging Training and Networking Initiative, American Society on Aging  
1995-15 Member, Gerontological Society of America

- Social Research, Policy & Practice (SRPP) Section
- Task Force on Minority Issues

1995-00 Chairperson, El Portal Strategic Planning Workgroup, Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles Chapter  
1995 Co-Chair, Annual Education Conference, American Society on Aging  
1994-95 Co-Chair, National Alzheimer's Education Conference  
1991-96 Co-Chair, Education Services Committee, National Alzheimer's Association, Chicago, IL  
1990-99 Board of Directors, Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles Chapter  
1990-92 Chairperson, Multicultural Outreach Advisory Board, Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles Chapter

**State / Local Service**

2017-18 Member, Latino Caregiver Community Coalition, Los Angeles County  
2016-18 Board Member, St. Barnabas Senior Services (SBSS), Los Angeles County.  
2016-18 Member, Data Planning Group, Purposeful Aging Los Angeles, City of Los Angeles/County of Los Angeles  
2016 Reviewer, USC CTSI  
2014-17 Member, USC CTSI – UCLA CTSA Healthy Aging Initiative, Los Angeles County  
2013-14 Member, California Geriatric Behavioral Health Care Policy and Workforce Coalition  
2012-15 Member, Expert Panel, Selection of Evidence-Based Practices – Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health  
2008-09 Member, Mental Health Services Act-Prevention and Early Intervention Technical Work Group  
2007-09 Chair, City of Los Angeles, Department of Aging, Los Angeles Partnership for Evidenced-Based Solutions in Elder Health: Improving Care for Latino Elders. Hispanic Health Disparities Task Force  
2006-08 Member, Advisory Board, Gay and Lesbian Elder Housing, Los Angeles Gay and Lesbian Center, Los Angeles  
2006-08 Member, Older Adult Services Assessment and Outcome Workgroup, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health  
2005-13 Member, Los Angeles County Dept. of Mental Health, Older Adult Services Committee  
2005 Consultant, ALMA Family Services, 2005  
2003-05 Consultant, Latino Access Study, Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health  
2001-05 Member, California Puerto Rican Parade Association  
1999-04 Member, Geriatric Social Work Education Consortium (GSWEC), John A. Hartford Foundation Geriatric Social Work Initiative, Geriatric Social Work Practicum Partnership Programs, Curriculum Development Committee  
1997-02 Member, AltaMed Bioethics Committee, Senior BuenaCare Program  
1997 Chair, Advisory Committee to Enki Adult MHS/Margarita Mendez Plaza Children's Mental Health Services  
1996-97 Member, Advisory Committee to East Los Angeles Mental Health Services  
1992 Founding Member, El Portal Alzheimer's Disease Program, Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles Chapter  
1985-92 Founder, Grupo Siempre Viva Family Support Group (first Spanish-language support group for Spanish-speaking families affected by Alzheimer's disease)

## **MEDIA INTERVIEWS**

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2. A Q & A with Associate Professor María Aranda on depression among aging Latino populations  
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3. El Alzheimer se ensaña con los latinos. Alzheimer's unleashes unto the Latino community  
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4. Like at Home: Two doctors return to decrease depression and Alzheimer's  
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7. Study aims to help older Latinos with depression  
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9. Project tests efficacy of community liaisons in health care realm  
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10. Service access, disparities affect older Latino population with MI  
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13. Aranda honored for work with aging Latinos  
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14. Aranda joins AARP Caregiving Advisory Panel  
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15. Aranda warns congress of geriatric workforce crisis  
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16. Social Work deals in high-level talks with D.C. officials  
<http://news.usc.edu/44540/social-work-takes-part-in-high-level-talks-with-d-c-officials>
17. NASW co-sponsors IOM report briefing  
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18. Aranda named Gerontological Society of America fellow  
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22. Guarding the health of elder Latinos  
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## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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AARP  
American Society on Aging  
American Association of Hispanic Psychiatrists  
Association of Latino Social Work Educators  
Council on Social Work Education  
National Association of Social Workers  
Society for Social Work Research  
The Gerontological Society of America