#### **CURRICULUM VITAE**

## Steven R. Applewhite, PhD

#### **ACADEMIC**

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#### **EDUCATION**

The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) Education, 1977 Adult & Continuing Higher Education

Master of Social Work (MSW), 1974 Graduate School of Social Work Concentration: Community, Administration and Policy Development

# The University of Texas at Austin, 1971

Bachelor of Arts

Major: Sociology and Social Welfare

#### **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

Associate Professor, Graduate School of Social Work, University of Houston, 1992-Courses Taught: Confronting Oppression, Macro Practice, Issues in Aging, Multicultural Practice, Community Empowerment with People of Color.

Assistant Professor & Coordinator of Bilingual-Bicultural Project. School of Social Work, Arizona State University, Tempe, Az., 1985-1992.

Courses Taught: Initiating Community Change, Initiating Organizational Change, Macro Practice, Ethnic Minorities and Social Work; Aging and Social Policy, Human Behavior and the Social Environment, Ethnic and Cultural Variables in Social Work, Community Resources, Social Policy.

Acting Director/ Assistant Professor. Center for Chicano Aged, Graduate School of Social Work, The University of Texas at Arlington, 1984-1985

<u>Courses Taught</u>: Social Policy and the Aged, Human Services Administration and Planning I, Human Services Administration and Planning II.

Administrative duties: Conference planning, publishing, and grantwriting

Visiting Assistant Professor. Sociology Department, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, Sept.1984 - Dec.1984

**Course Taught**: Minority and Dominant Relations

Assistant Professor, School of Community Services, Center for Studies in Aging, University of North Texas, Denton, Texas. Sept 1979- August, 1983.

<u>Courses Taught</u>: Social Gerontology; Federal, State and Local Programs in Aging, Ethnic Factors in Service Planning and Delivery, Aging Programs and Services, Social Work and Aging, Retirement and Per-Retirement Planning.

<u>Admin.</u>: Implemented an academic advising, testing, evaluation, and counseling program for student athletes at UNT.

Director of Continuing Education. Genetics Center, University of North Texas Denton, Texas, Dec. 1977 - August, 1980.

Directed a statewide continuing education program in genetic screening and counseling for health and human service practitioners.

Course Taught: Genetics and Social Work (Department of Social Work)

Lecturer. Sienna Heights College, Department of Sociology and Social Work Adrian, Michigan. Sept 1977- Dec.1977

<u>Course taught</u>: Social Psychology; Sociology.

Field Services Specialist/Bilingual Coordinator. Program for Educational Opportunity Title IV Desegregation Center, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, May 1972 - Dec 1977

Technical assistance to Michigan school districts under court order to desegregate. Duties: a) conflict management and mediation, b) district needs assessment, c) human relations training, and d) curriculum development.

GED Instructor. Neighborhood Youth Corp., Austin, Texas, Jan 1973-Aug 1973

## **ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS**

### Books

Applewhite, S. (Ed.) (1988). <u>Hispanic elderly in transition: Theory, research, policy and practice</u>. New York: Greenwood Press.

Applewhite, S., Busbee, D. and Borgaonkar, D. (Eds.) (1981). <u>Genetic screening and counseling:</u>
<u>A multidisciplinary perspective</u>. Springfield, Ill: Charles C. Thomas.

### Refereed Journals

Applewhite, S. (1998). Culturally competent practice with elderly Latinos. <u>Journal of Gerontological Social Work 30</u>, (1/2), 1-15. Co-published simultaneously in <u>Latino</u>

- Elders and the Twenty-First Century: Issues and Challenges for Culturally Competent Research and Practice (ed. Melvin Delgado) The Haworth Press, Inc., 1998, pp.1-15.
- Applewhite, S. (1998) Coping and survival skills of homeless veterans. <u>Journal of Applied Social Sciences 23</u>, (1), 13-21.
- Applewhite, S. (1997). Homeless veterans: Perspectives on social service utilization. <u>Social Work</u> 42 (1), 19-30.
- Applewhite, S. (1997). Qualitative research in gerontology. <u>Journal of Educational Gerontology</u> 23 (1), 15-27.
- Applewhite, S. (1995). *Curanderismo*: Demystifying the health beliefs and practices of elderly Mexican-Americans. <u>Health and Social Work Journal</u>, 20 (4), 247-253. Co-published in <u>Multicultural Issues in Social Work</u> (eds: P. Ewalt, E.M. Freeman, S.A. Kirk, D.L. Poole). Washington DC: NASW Press, 1996, pp. 455-468.
- Daley, M.J., Wong, P., & Applewhite, S. (1992). Serving on the boards of mental health agencies: The experience of Mexican American community leaders. <u>Administration and Policy in Mental Health</u>, 19 (5), 355-365.
- Applewhite, S, Wong, P., & Daley, M.(1991). Service approaches and delivery issues in Hispanic agencies. <u>Administration and Policy in Mental Health</u>, <u>19</u>(1), 27-37.
- Wong, P., Applewhite, S. & Daley, M. (1990). Despotism to pluralism: The evolution of voluntary organizations in Chinese American communities. <u>Ethnic Groups</u>, <u>8</u>, 215-233.
- Daley, J M, Applewhite, S. & Jorquez, J. (1986). Community participation of the Chicano elderly: A model. <u>International Journal of Aging and Adult and Human Development 29</u>, 135-150.
- Varhely, S. & Applewhite, S. (1985). Recruitment and retention of minority students. <u>Journal of College Student Personnel</u>, 26, 77-78.

## **Book Chapters**

- Applewhite, S and Torres, C. (forthcoming). Rural older Latinos. In Kaye, L.W. and Butler, S. Gerontological social work practice in rural towns and communities. Haworth Press. To be co-published simultaneously in the <u>Journal of Gerontological Social Work</u>.
- Applewhite, S, and Torres, C. (forthcoming). Poverty and elderly Hispanics in the United States. Universidad Autonoma de Nuevo Leon, Departamento de Medecina Familiar, Monterrey, Mexico.
- Applewhite, S. and Daley, J M (1988). Cross-cultural understanding for social work practice with Hispanic elderly. In: S. Applewhite (Ed.), <u>Hispanic elderly in transition</u> (pp. 3-16). New York: Greenwood Press.
- Sotomayor, M. and Applewhite, S.(1988). The Hispanic elderly in the extended multigenerational family. In: S. Applewhite (Ed.), <u>Hispanic elderly in transition</u> (pp121-133). NY:Grenwood
- Paz, J. and Applewhite, S. (1988). Empowerment: Strengthening the natural support network of the Hispanic rural elderly. In: S. Applewhite (Ed.), <u>Hispanic elderly in transition</u> (pp.143-155). New York: Greenwood Press.
- Applewhite, S. (1982). Disadvantaged elderly. In: N. Ernest and H.R. Glazer-Waldman (Ed.), <u>The aged patient: A sourcebook for the allied health professional</u> (pp.65-83). Chicago, Ill: Year Book Medical Publishing.
- Fairchild, T.J. and Applewhite, S. (1982). Demographics of the minority aged. In: Aging, race

<u>and culture: Issues in long-term care</u> (pp.15-22). Washington, DC: American Association of Homes for the Aging.

# **Edited Monographs and Manuals**

- Lozano-Applewhite, S. and Ramirez de Arellano, A.B. (1992). <u>Brief bibliography:</u>
  <u>Hispanic/Latino gerontology</u>. Washington DC: Association for Gerontology in Higher Education.
- Maldonado, D. and Lozano-Applewhite, S. (Ed.)(1985). <u>Cross-cultural social work practice in aging: A Hispanic perspective</u> (Monograph). Arlington: The University of Texas, School of Social Work, Center for Chicano Aged.
- Maldonado, D. and Applewhite, S. (1986). <u>The Hispanic elderly: Empowerment through training</u> (Training Manual). Arlington: The University of Texas, School of Social Work, Center for Chicano Aged.

## **Book Reviews**

- Markides, K.S. and Manuel R Miranda (Eds.)(1998). <u>Minorities, Aging, and Health</u>, Thousand Oaks, CA.: SAGE. In <u>Sustainable Communities Review</u>, (Fall, 1998), 2(2), p.47.
- Parham, I.A. (Ed.) (1993). <u>Gerontological Social Work: An Annotated Bibliography</u>, Westport, CT: Greenwood Press. In <u>Contemporary Gerontology</u>, (Fall, 1994), 1(3), 94-95.
- \_\_\_\_\_. Reconceiving part-time work: New perspectives for older workers and women. In <u>International Journal of Aging and Human Development</u>, 25 (4), 323-324.

# Chapters in Proceedings, Monographs, and Technical Reports

- Applewhite, S. (1990). Cultural and ethnic diversity: Arizona's rainbow In: 1990 Arizona Governors Conference on Aging Issues Forum (pp. 45-48). Phoenix: AZ: Governors Advisory Council on Aging.
- Kastenbaum, R.J. and Applewhite, S.R. (1986). Special problems facing aging and the aged in Arizona. In: J.S. Hall, N.J.Cayers, D.L.Roepke, and T.M. Plese (Ed.), <u>Social Services in Arizona: Increasing Needs-Challenging Resources</u> (pp. 93-102). Tempe: Arizona State University, School of Public Affairs.
- Applewhite, S. (1985). The Hispanic elderly in the U.S. In: M. Guevarra, P. Arias, & L. Larson (Ed.), <u>Developing cultural competence: Awareness, integration, sensitivity and competence</u> (pp. 1-20). Laredo: Texas Migrant Council.
- Applewhite, S. (1985). Social development and the cultural context of Hispanic elderly. In: D. Maldonado and S. Applewhite (Ed.), <u>Cross-cultural social work practice in aging: A Hispanic perspective</u> (pp.1-21). Arlington: University of Texas, Graduate School of Social Work, Center for Chicano Aged.
- Applewhite, S. (1979). The legal dialect of bilingual education. In: R. Padilla (Ed.),

  <u>Ethnoperspectives in bilingual education research: bilingual education and public policy in the United States</u> (pp.3-17). Ypsilanti: Eastern Michigan University; Bilingual Education Center.

## Audiovisual

Applewhite, S. (1985) (Producer/Director). <u>Servicios para personas mayores de edad</u> (Services for older adults) (Slide/sound program). Available: Texas Department on Aging, Austin, Tx.

## Grants, Honors, Awards

Master Teacher. The Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. 1994.

Faculty Internship. Quentin Mease Community Hospital, Comprehensive Geriatric Clinic, and Social Work Department, Ben Taub Hospital. University of Houston, Agencies for Gerontological Intercultural Training, Hartford Foundation Project. July12-August 12, 2001.

Principle Investigator. Community Youth Development Program of Pasadena. Community Youth Development Program, by Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services,. May 2000-December 2000, \$50,000.

Mexican American Studies Research Fellowship, Center for Mexican American Studies, University of Houston, Spring 1995, Full time salary support and release time.

Mexican American Studies Research Grant. Center for Mexican American Studies, University of Houston, 1995-96, \$3000.00.

Invited Scholar. Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research Summer Training Program, Empirical Issues in Aging. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI (1978)

#### UNIVERSITY/SCHOOL SERVICE: UH

Hartford Geriatric Social Work Initiative	1999-00
Task Force on International Social Work	1999-00
Faculty Search Committee	1999-00
Gerontology Concentration Committee	1999-00
Field Practicum Advisory Committee	1999-00
Faculty Advisor/ Field Agency Liaison	1999-00
Faculty Advisor, Hispanic Graduate Social Work Student Association	1994-00
Latino Faculty Council	1992-00
University AD HOC Research Awards Committee	1996-98
University Sexual Harassment Board	1994-97
University Writing Proficiency Examination Reader	1996-97
Task Force on Minority Recruitment and Retention	1993-95

#### COMMUNITY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

<u>Professional Service</u>	1992-02
Member, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT), Aging Population	2002
Work Group, Cultural Competency Diversity Network, (CCDN). Wash, DC	
Member, Council on Social Work Education	
Institutional Rep. Assoc. for Gerontology in Higher Ed., Univ.of Houston, GSSW	1993-02

Co-Chair, Minority Concerns Committee, American Society on Aging (ASA).	1996-01
Trainer, Elders of Color National Training Initiative, ASA.	1998-02
Advisory Committee. Multicultural Aging Training and Network Initiative, ASA	1996-97
Program Planning Committee. 44th Annual Meeting of ASA, San Francisco	1998
Program Planning Committee. 43rd Annual Meeting of ASA Nashville, TN	1997
National Mentor. New Ventures in Leadership Program, ASA.	1994-00
Member. Association of Latino Social Work Educators	1998-00
National Resource Consultant. National Latino Conference on Aging,	1996
Cntr for Health Policy Development, Mex-Am State Legislators	
Policy Instit.(MASLPI), Denver	
Advisory Committee. Latino Gerontological Center, New York.	1992-00
Member. Minority Task Force Behavioral and Social Science Section,	1992-95
Gerontological Society of America.	

### **Professional Reviews**

Reviewer, (2000). <u>Sociological Spectrum</u>, Journal of the Mid-South Sociological Association Reviewer, (1999). <u>Sustainable Communities Review</u>. Center for Public Service, University of North Texas

Reviewer (1994). Contemporary Gerontology Journal, American Society on Aging.

Reviewer, (1993). <u>Journal of Community Development</u>, Association for Community Organization and Social Administration, Haworth Press.

Reviewer (1992-93). Families in Society Journal, Families Services of America, Inc..

Reviewer (1992-97). <u>Explorations in Ethnic Studies</u>, National Association for Ethnic Studies University of Nebraska, Lincoln.

Reviewer. (Sept. 1989-Sept. 1990). Minority Aging Training Documents. Association of Gerontology in Higher Education, University Microfilms Incorporated Project

# Community Service 1992-02

Invited Speaker. Annual Hispanic Heritage Celebration. Texas Dept. of Protective and Regulatory Services, Houston, Sept., 2001.

Invited Speaker. Volunteer Appreciation Dinner. Braes Interfaith Ministries. Houston, Sept,2000 Keynote: Annual Ethics Rounds. Harris County Hospital District. *Ethical Dimensions of Cross-Cultural Helping*. Feb, 1999

Workshop. Cultural Diversity. DePelchin Children's Center. Cultural Diversity. July 1999.

Workshop Presenter: *Ethnogerontology: Cultural Diversity and Aging*. Continuing Education Program, The Graduate School of Social Work, University of Houston. May 5, 1995,

Panel Moderator. Issues in Cultural Competency. Ben Taub Gen. Hospital, Houston, Jan 1997

Panel Discussant. Community Empowerment and the Elderly Latino. Family Issues Health

Care Community Conference, Nat'l Hispanic Council on Aging-Houston, April, 1996.

Training Consultant. Cultural Diversity in the Workplace, City of Houston, Department of Parks and Recreation, December 1994

#### Community Service: 1992-02

Member, Advisory Board. Region 6, Adult Protective Services. Texas	2002-
Department of Protective and Regulatory Services. Houston, TX	
Member, Houston/Harris County Community Partnership for Long Term Care	2001-
(HHCCP). Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Development Grant Project.	
Member, Texas Elder Abuse & Mistreatment Institute (TEAM). Quentin Mease	2002-
Community Hospital, Harris County Hosp. Dist., Houston	
Member, Council on Social Work Education	1999
Board Member, Greater Houston Area Health Education Center	1997-02
Board Member, Watkins AID Foundation, Houston, Texas	1998-00
Member (1994-02). Hispanic Mental Disabilities Task Force. Mental Health	1993-00
and Mental Retardation Authority of Harris County	
Member, (1998-00), STAR/STAR+ Cultural Competency Committee, Houston	1998-00
Volunteer Advocate. (1996-97). Child Advocates, Inc., Houston, TX.	1998-99
Steering Committee (1992-97). Project CAPABLE (Comm.Advocacy	1993-99
for Elderly Program), Sisters of Charity, Houston	
Steering Committee. Reach Out to the Latino Elderly Project (ROLE), Houston	1992-95
Member, National Hispanic Council on Aging, Houston Chapter	1992-98
Member Latinos Unidos Advocacy Group, Houston, TX.	1992-95
Member El Grito de la Comunidad, Houston, TX.	1992-95

## Pre 1992

Ex-officio, Charter Board of Directors, National Hispanic Council on Aging, Wash. DC

Ex-Member, Arizona Foster Care Review Board, Maricopa County Review Board #3, Phoenix.

Ex Board Member, The Hispanic Aging Services Network, Inc. Phoenix, AZ.

Ex Member, Advisory Council, Area Agency on Aging, Region I, Phoenix, AZ.

Ex Board Member, Grey Panthers Shared Housing Program, Phoenix, AZ.

Ex Member, Minority Elderly Task Force, Arizona Governor's Committee on Aging, Phoenix,

Ex Member, Advisory Board, Arizona Health Educators Center, Tucson, AZ.

Ex Member, Advisory Board, American Red Cross, Hispanic in Transportation Project, Phx, AZ

Ex Member, Arizona Hispanic Forum, Phoenix, AZ.

Ex Member, Arizona Association of Hispanic Social Workers, Phoenix, AZ.

Charter Board Member (1982), National Hispanic Council on Aging, Washington, DC.

Coordinator, (March, 1985). Symposium on Critical Reflections on Contemporary and Future Social Work. Hispanic Bilingual-Bicultural Social Work Project, School of Social Work, Arizona State University.

Trainer, Teen Suicide Prevention Program, King of Glory Lutheran Church, Tempe, AZ.

Trainer, Community Mediation Program, Phoenix, AZ.

#### REFEREED AND INVITED PRESENTATIONS

2002

Invited Keynote. *Cultural Context of Caregivng*. Conference on Maintaining Quality of Life. Texas Cooperative Extension, Bryan, TX.

Invited Speaker. Ethics and Cultural Competence. Ben Taub Hospital. Houston, TX Invited Speaker. Culturally Competent Social Work. MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX

#### 2000

- Int'l. Invited Speaker. A) Estado Actual de las Personas Mayores Latinas en U.S.A.; B)

  Proyecciones y Desafios para los Adulatos Mayores en el Futuro de America. II

  Conferencia Interamericana del Centro Gerontologico Latino. Universidad Autonoma de Nuevo Leon, Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico, September, 2000.
- Keynote Speaker. The New Parents of the Millennium "Grandparents". Texas Community Services, 2000 Conference on Families.

#### 1999

- Symposium Co-Presenter (with Dave Baldridge, Edward C. King, Jordan Kosberg, John H. Skinner). *Older Men and Ethnicity*. American Society on Aging 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, March 7, 1999, Orlando, Florida.
- Workshop Co-Presenter. *Culturally Competent Medical Social Work*. American Society on Aging 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, March 6, 1999, Orlando, Florida. Abstract submitted.
- Invited Speaker. *Cultural Perspectives on Elders of Color*. Third Symposium on Aging Network Professionals., Oklahoma City, OK., Dec., 1999
- Presenter. *Aging and Mental Health Services*. Regional Conference on Cultural Diversity in the New Millennium. MHMR Authority of Harris County, and Texas Department of MHMR Oct 21, 1999, Houston.
- Panelist. *They All Look Alike*. Regional Conference on Cultural Diversity in the New Millennium. MHMR Authority of Harris County, Texas Department of MHMR Oct, 1999, Houston.

### 1997

- Invited Presenter. *Cultural Competence in Social Work*. Regional Conference on "Multicultural Issues in Mental Health Services". Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation and Mental Health and Mental Retardation Authority of Harris County, July 9-12, 1997, Houston.
- Keynote Speaker. *Implications of Aging in an Aging Society*. Tarrant and Dallas Area Gerontological Societies, Summer Institute, July 17, 1997, Ft. Worth, TX.
- Focus Group. *Cultural Competence: What is it? How do we get there?* Regional Conference of the TDMHMR and MHMRA of Harris County, July 9-12, 1997, Houston, TX.
- Invited Presenter. *Dimensions of Cultural Competence in Latino Adoptions*. USDHHS/ACF Regional Conference, "Facing Child Welfare Challenges Today" June 23-25, Dallas, TX.
- Invited Symposia Panelist. *Grandparents as Parents: The Challenges and Solutions*. Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging. March 21-24, 1997, Nashville, TN.
- Workshop Presenter. *Culturally Competent Gerontological Social Work Practice*. Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, March 21-24, 1997, Nashville, TN.

- Refereed Co-Presenter. *Cultural Competence in Ethnogerontology*. Annual Conference of the Southwest Society on Aging, November, 2-5 1996, Corpus Christi, TX.
- Pre-Conference Intensive & Workshop. *Ethnogerontology: From Theory to Culturally Competent Practice*. American Society on Aging, March 15-17, 1996, Anaheim, CA.
- Discussant. *Culturally Competent Theories and Models of Aging*. Master Class. Annual Meeting of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, March 1, 1996, Philadelphia, PA.
- Invited Symposia Co-presenter. Gerontological Society on Aging. *Cultural Diversity: Its Place in Gerontological Education*. Annual Meeting of Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. March 1, 1996, Philadelphia, PA.

#### 1995

- Invited Panelist. *Cultural Issues and Aging*. Multidisciplinary Institute for Professional Development, Texas Consortium of Geriatric Education Centers and Baylor College of Medicine, Huffington Center on Aging, September 28-29, 1995, Houston, TX,
- Invited Panelist. Reaction to *El Arcoiris del Espiritu (The Spiritual Rainbow)*. Conference on Achieving Service Excellence Through Cultural Awareness.Mental Health and Mental Retardation Authority of Harris County, August 10-11, 1995, Houston, TX,
- Invited International Keynote Speaker. *Tendencias en la Etnogerontologia y Educacion para el Nuevo Milenio (Trends in Ethnogerontology and Education in the New Milenium)*. Governors Conference on Education for the Elderly, Governors Office on Aging, San Juan, Puerto Rico, May 26, 1995.
- Invited Seminar Speaker: *Aging: Racial and Ethnic Considerations*. Race and Ethnic Studies Institute Spring Seminar, Texas A&M University, April 19, 1995, College Station.
- Refereed Paper. *Homeless Veterans: Surviving on the Streets*. Annual Professional Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education, March 2-5, 1995, San Diego.
- Invited Master Lectures. 1) Theories and Models of Aging: What are the Cultural, Racial and Ethnic Minority Issues; 2) Incorporating Multicultural Content into the Gerontological Curriculum. Annual Meeting of Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, Feb, 26, 1995, Ft. Worth.
- Master Teacher/ Co-Presenter. *Incorporating Multicultural Content into the Gerontological Curriculum*. Annual Meeting of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, February 26, 1995, Ft. Worth, TX,.

#### 1994

- Invited Co-presenter: *Cultural Aspects of Chronic Illness*. Houston Hospice and Alzheimer Association Conference, Houston, November 16, 1994.
- Invited International Speaker and Honorary Guest of the Chilean Ministry of Education Valparaiso Catholic University. 1) Diagnostico Acerca de los Envejecientes en America (Diagnostic Assessment of Elderly Clients in the United States; and 2) Educacion y Adultos Mayores (Education and the Elderly Person). First Inter-American Conference on Gerontology, Vina del Mar, Chile, October 19-22, 1994.
- Panel Discussant. *Cultural Issues and Aging: Hispanic Perspectives*. Huffington Center on Aging, Baylor College of Medicine, and The Texas Consortium of Geriatric Education Centers, Multidisciplinary Institute for Professional Development. Houston, September

29, 1994.

- Keynote Address. *Emerging Trends and Issues in Ethnogerontology*. Third Annual Focus on Aging Showcase. Sponsored by the Texas Consortium of Geriatric Education Centers, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, and The University of Texas Medical Branch Center on Aging, Galveston, July 22, 1994.
- Invited Speaker. *Ethnogerontological Social Work Research and Education*. American Association of Retired Persons Research Seminar Series, Washington, DC, June 8, 1994.
- Presenter: *Cultural Competency*. The Texas Network of Youth Services, Mini-Conference for Administrators and Middle Management. Houston, April, 1994
- Paper Presentation. *Multicultural Social Work with Elderly Latinos: A Practice Framework*. Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, San Francisco, March, 1994.

#### 1993

- Presenter. 1) Folk-Healing versus Modern Medicine- A Hispanic Perspective, and 2) Targeting Public Policy to Older Minorities. Eighth Annual State of Oklahoma Minority Outreach Information and Referral Conference, Tulsa, March 17-19, 1993.
- Invited Co-presenter. *Ethnicity Issues in Aging: Hispanic Perspectives*. Texas Physical Therapy Association Conference. Galveston, October 2, 1993.
- Presenter. *Needs and Coping Skills of Homeless Veterans: Houston Standdown* '93. VA Homeless Coalition National Networking Conference, Houston, October, 1993.
- Invited Speaker. *Culturally Competent Practice with Ethnic Minorities*. Texas Consortium of Geriatric Education Centers Professional Development Institute, and Baylor College of Medicine, Huffington Center on Aging, Houston, September, 1993.
- Panel Moderator: Overcoming the Tensions of Feminism and Multiculturalism. Eighth Annual Futures Conference, Graduate School of Social Work, University of Houston, Hilton Conference Center, May, 1993.

#### 1992

Invited Speaker. *Curanderos (Folk healers) and the Elderly Hispanic*. Opening the Doors/Abriendo Las Puertas State Conference on Outreaching Minority Elderly, Texas Department on Aging, Dallas, August, 1992.

#### Pre- 1992

- Traditional and Conventional Health Care Behaviors of Elderly Mexican-Americans.

  Annual Meeting of the Urban Affairs Association, Vancouver, Canada, April, 1991.
- An Ethnographic Account of an Hispanic Elders Life History. Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, New Orleans, LA, March, 1991.
- Aging Issues and Trends. West Coast Social Science Conference, Scottsdale, AZ, February, 1991. Crosscultural Gerontology and Social Work. Annual West Coast Social Science Conference, San Diego, CA, April, 1990.
- NPO's as Innovators in Designing Culturally Appropriate Services for Mexican Americans.

  Association of Voluntary Action Scholars Annual Meeting. Seattle, September, 1989.
  Folk Counseling Among Elderly Hispanics: An Ethnographic Analysis of Curanderismo.

- International Congress of Gerontology, Acapulco, Mexico, June, 1989.
- Caregiving Versus Co-dependency: Resolving a Cultural Dilemma. International Congress on Gerontology, Acapulco, Mexico, June, 1989.
- Crosscultural Intervention with Minority Elderly: A Generic Framework. Annual Meeting of American Society on Aging, Washington, DC, March, 1989.
- Access and Service Utilization of Elderly Hispanic. Annual Arizona Chicano Conference, Arizona Hispanic Forum, Casa Grande, AZ, June, 1989.
- *Understanding and Improving Intercultural Caregiving*. Arizona Governor's Conference on Aging, Tempe, AZ, April, 1989.
- Conscientization, Empowerment and the Latino Elderly: Freire's Theory Applied. American Society on Aging, San Diego, CA, March, 1988.
- Subjective Well-Being: A Qualitative Analysis of Elderly Chicano and Yaqui Indian Perspectives on Aging. American Society on Aging, San Diego, CA, March, 1988.
- Issues in Latino Gerontology: Research and Practice Perspectives. West Coast Social Science Conference, Newport Beach, CA, March, 1988.
- 1) Aging and Social Work: A Practice Model, and 2) Individual and Community Empowerment of Latino Elderly. El Paso Conference on Aging, El Paso, TX, November 1987.
- Models of Prevention and Intervention with the Latino Elderly. National Association of Social Work Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, September, 1987.
- Community Participation of the Chicano Elderly: Toward a Paradigm. Council of Social Work Education, St. Louis, March, 1987.
- Markers of Successful Aging: An Hispanic Perspective. Gerontological Society of America, Chicago, November, 1986.
- Suicide among Minority Elderly. Conference on Elderly Suicide, Phoenix South community Mental Health Center, Phoenix, AZ, May, 1986.
- Advocacy and Motivation for Minorities, and How to Become an Effective Minority Advocate. Iowa Governor's Conference on Aging, Des Moines, Iowa, May, 1986.
- Life Coping Skills for Hispanic Elderly. Hispanic Elderly Empowerment Conference, Center for Chicano Aged, University of Texas at Arlington, Graduate School of Social Work, March..
- Communicating Health Promotion Messages to Minorities. Wellness is Ageless Leadership Conference. Texas Departments of Health and Aging, Austin, TX, July 1985.
- Hispanic Elderly in the United States. Third Annual Conference on Mexican American Family. Texas Migrant Council, Laredo, TX, June, 1985.
- Increasing Black Elderly Participation in Aging Programs. Texas Joint Conference on Aging, Dallas, TX, May, 1985.
- Minority Elderly. Western Gerontological Society, Denver, CO, April, 1985.
- Counseling the Hispanic Elderly. New Mexico Conference on Aging, Glorieta, NM, Aug. 1985.
- Social Development and the Cultural Context of Hispanic Elderly. Institute on Cross-Cultural Curriculum, Graduate School of Social Work, University of Texas at Arlington, Aug,1984.
- Back to the Basics of Service Planning and Delivery. Second Annual El Paso Conference on Aging, El Paso, TX, May, 1984.
- Accessible Human Service Delivery: A Systems Approach. Joint conference on aging, Texas Association of Nutrition and Aging Services Programs. Corpus Christi, TX, April, 1984.
- Developing Self Help Groups for Older Hispanics. Laredo Conference on Aging, Laredo, TX,

- April, 1984.
- Social Networks and Self Help. National Hispanic Council on Aging Institute, Anaheim, CA, March, 1984.
- Bridging the Gap: Staff Development in Minority Aging for Non-minority Staff. Western Gerontological Society, Anaheim, CA. March, 1984.
- Developing a Culturally Sensitive Satellite Nutrition Program for Black Elderly. Western Gerontological Society, Anaheim, CA, March, 1982.
- An Alternative Approach to Counseling Special Populations. Texas Personnel and Counseling Association, Ft. Worth, TX, October, 1983.
- Assessing and Serving the Needs of Elderly Hispanics. West Texas Council of Government, Area Agency on Aging Conference, El Paso, TX, May, 1983.
- *Understanding Hispanic Elderly Behavior through Eco-System Perspective.* Graduate School of Social Work, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, 1983.
- 1) Ethnic Sensitive Practice with Minority Elderly, and 2) Staff Development on Minority Aging. Western Gerontological Society Annual Meeting, Albuquerque, NM, April, 1983.
- Crosscultural Counseling with Minority Elderly. Minority Aging Symposium, Graduate School of Social Work, University of Texas at Arlington, April, 1983.
- Promotion and Tenure of Hispanic Faculty. Texas Association of Chicano in Higher Education, University of North Texas, Denton, TX, March, 1983.
- Minority Recruitment and Retention: The Texas Affirmative Action Plan for Higher Education. American College and Personnel Association, Houston, TX, March, 1983.
- A Practice Model for Counseling Minority Elderly. American Personnel and Guidance Association, Washington, DC, March, 1983.
- Minority Counseling: A Challenge to Counselor Education Programs. Texas Personnel and Guidance Association, Houston, TX, October, 1982.
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