

ERIKA-ANN KIM

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INTERESTS

Income inequality, climate change, social determinants of health, chronic disease epidemiology, social epidemiology, Bayesian inference, mixed methods

EDUCATION

PhD in Sociology, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor Aug 2022-Present
Advisor: Dr. Margaret Frye

MPH in Chronic Disease Epidemiology, Yale University Aug 2020-May 2022
Concentration: Climate Change and Health
Thesis: “Exploring Climate Policy and Health Perspectives in Samoa: A Mixed Methods Study”

BA in Sociology (w/ honors), University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa Aug 2016-May 2020

ACADEMIC POSITIONS HELD

Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor	2023-Present
Graduate Teaching Fellow, Yale School of Public Health	2021-2022
Climate Change and Health Intern, Eastern Caribbean Health Outcome Research Network	2021
Graduate Research Assistant, Yale School of Medicine	2020-2021
Graduate Research Assistant, Yale Law School	2020-2021
Graduate Research Assistant, Yale School of Public Health	2020-2022
Undergraduate Research Assistant, John A. Burns School of Medicine	2017-2020

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

In Preparation

Kim, E., Hassan, S. Understanding Challenges to Managing Non-Communicable Diseases After Natural Disasters in the Caribbean: A Qualitative Study

Reports

Mashke, E., St Pierre, O., Vigrass, J., Gledhill, S., Ekkil, E., **Kim, E.** (2022). Energy Justice and Health in a Changing Climate. Retrieved:

https://ysph.yale.edu/yale-center-on-climate-change-and-health/policy-and-public-health-practice/energy%20justice%20in%20ct%20report_443325_284_48542_v1.pdf

Theses

Kim, E. (2023). Exploring Climate Policy and Health Perspectives in Samoa: A Mixed Methods Study. Retrieved: <https://www.proquest.com/docview/2671703533?pq-origsite=gscholar&fromopenview=true>

Kim, E. (2020). College Students’ Experiences of School-Based Sex Education in Hawaii. Retrieved: <https://scholarspace.manoa.hawaii.edu/items/5044a208-dcf5-4aff-bcea-09c07636d5ee>

PRESENTATIONS

Academic Conferences

- “The Effect of Regional Variation in Investigating Childhood Income Inequality and Rising Chronic Health Outcomes in the United States” Population Association of America. April 2024.
- “Assessing the Feasibility and Acceptability of Non-Communicable Disease Kits Using a Rapid Qualitative Analysis Approach to Inform Timely Real-World Implementation.” Dissemination and Implementation Science Conference. Dec 2021.
- “Understanding Challenges to Managing Non-Communicable Diseases after Natural Disasters in the Caribbean: A Qualitative Study.” Conference on Climate Change and Health in Small Island Developing States: Focus on the Caribbean. Oct 2021.

HONORS, DISTINCTIONS, AND AWARDS

Michigan Sociology Student Recognition Award, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor	2023
Honors Distinction, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa	2020
Dean’s List, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa	2016-2020
The YMCA Mamoru and Aiko Takitani Scholars Program, The YMCA of Honolulu	2017-2020

FELLOWSHIPS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND GRANTS

Rackham Merit Fellowship, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor	2022
Wilbur G. Downs International Health Fellowship, Yale University	2021
Jan A. Stolwijk Fellowship, Yale University	2021
Horstmann Scholarship, Yale University	2020
Student Peer Fellowship, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa	2018
Hawaii B Plus State Scholarship, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa	2019
Mānoa Opportunity Scholarship, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa	2018
UH Mānoa Achievement Student Affairs Scholarship, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa	2016

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Graduate Student Instructor	Winter 2024
SOC 302: Health and Society University of Michigan – Ann Arbor	
Graduate Student Instructor	Fall 2023
SOC 210: Introduction to Statistics for Social Science: Data Analysis University of Michigan – Ann Arbor	
Teaching Fellow	Spring 2022
EPH 513: Major Health Threats Yale School of Public Health	
Teaching Fellow	Fall 2021
EPH 507: Social Justice and Health Equity Yale School of Public Health	

SERVICE

Departmental

Admissions Committee Representative, University of Michigan Department of Sociology	2023
Graduate Union Steward, University of Michigan Department of Sociology	2022-2023

Institutional

Graduate Student Mentor, Michigan Humanities Emerging Research Scholars Program	2023
Member, Yale School of Public Health Sustainability Committee	2021-2022
Outreach Coordinator, PIECE Campaign/S-PHASEC Emergency Response at Yale	2021
Student Mentor, Health Professions Recruitment Exposure Program at Yale	2020
Director of Public Relations, HOSA-Future Health Professionals at UHM	2019-2020
President, HOSA-Future Health Professionals at UHM	2018-2019
Special Events Committee, HOSA-Future Health Professionals at UHM	2017-2018

Community

Food Drive Volunteer, United Way of Greater New Haven	2020
Volunteer, Atherton YMCA	2017-2020

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Population Association of America	2023-Present
American Sociological Association	2022-Present
American Public Health Association	2020-2022