

# SHAUNA DYER

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## EDUCATION

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2020 Ph.D., Sociology, University of Michigan. (Expected, Spring 2023)  
2020 M.A., Sociology, University of Michigan.  
2014 M.S., Sociology, University of Oregon.  
2004 B.A. Social Science, California State University, Chico.

## AREAS OF STUDY

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Stratification; Job Quality; Postsecondary Education; Intergenerational Mobility; Race/Ethnicity.

## PUBLICATIONS

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*Forthcoming* **Dyer, Shauna** and Giovanni Román-Torres. "Latina/o Postsecondary Education: Trends in Racial/Ethnic Education Gaps and the Role of Citizenship in Access to Higher Education." *Demography*.  
August 2022 ⇒ 2022 Honorable Mention, David Lee Stevenson Best Graduate Student Paper Award, ASA Section on Sociology of Education  
⇒ 2022 Honorable Mention, Graduate Student Paper Award, ASA Section on Race, Class, and Gender  
⇒ 2022 Honorable Mention, Mark Chesler Graduate Student Paper Award, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan

2018 Bloome, Deirdre, **Shauna Dyer**, and Xiang Zhou. "Educational inequality, Educational expansion, and intergenerational income persistence in the United States." *American Sociological Review* 83(6): 1215-1253.  
⇒ 2020 James Coleman Award, ASA Section on Sociology of Education

## MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

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**Dyer, Shauna.** "Education Can't Fix Everything: Job Quality, Educational Expansion, and Gender Stratification in the Labor Market, 1988-2017."

## REPORTS

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2015 Scott, Ellen, Raahi Reddy, Daniel Morris, and **Shauna Dyer**. “The High Cost of Low Wages.” University of Oregon Labor Education and Research Center.

## MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION

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**Dyer, Shauna**. “The Relationship between Changes in Job Quality Trajectories and Labor Market Stratification.”

**Dyer, Shauna**. “The Timing Mismatch Between Job Quality and Motherhood.”

Bloome, Deirdre, **Shauna Dyer**, and Davis Daumler. “Student Debt and the Persistence of Economic Inequalities Between Racialized/Ethnic Groups: An Intergenerational Perspective

**Dyer, Shauna** and Davis Daumler. “The Blocked Pipeline: Mandatory Retirement Ban and Unintended Effects for the Diversity of University Faculty.”

**Dyer, Shauna** and Giovanni Román-Torres. “Trends in Asian-Latina/o Educational Attainment: Differences by Country of Origin and Citizenship History.”

Starks, Briana and **Shauna Dyer**. “Public Transfers and the Educational Attainment of Mothers.”

Burgard, Sarah, Anna Zajacova, **Shauna Dyer**, and Huiyun Kim. “Wage Gains, but Few Health Returns to Some College: A Role for Employment Histories?”

Burgard, Sarah, Anna Zajacova, and **Shauna Dyer**. “Educational Attainment and Working Conditions.”

## GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

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### External Funding

2020 National Academy of Education/Spencer Dissertation Fellowship.

2018 David Paul Research Award (\$6500).

2017 Problem-Solving Sociology “Ideas Incubator”: Responding to an Automated World, Northwestern University.

2014 Fragile Families and Child Wellbeing Study Data Workshop Award, Columbia University.

### Internal Funding

2015-17, 21-22 National Institute of Aging Predoctoral Fellowship, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan.

- 2017-20 Causal Inference in Education Policy Predoctoral Fellowship, Education Policy Initiative, University of Michigan.
- 2017-19 Rackham Conference Travel Grant, University of Michigan (x3).
- 2017-18 Population Studies Center Travel Award, University of Michigan (x2).
- 2015-17 National Institute of Aging Predoctoral Fellowship, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan.
- 2016 Center for the Education of Women Research Award, University of Michigan.
- 2016-20 Katherine London Memorial Summer Fellowship, University of Michigan (x4).
- 2015 Graduate Research Fellowship, Labor Education and Research Center, University of Oregon.
- 2014 Marquina Summer Research Award, University of Oregon.
- 2014 Lawrence Carter Graduate Student Research Award, University of Oregon
- 2012-14 Graduate Teaching Fellowship, Department of Sociology, University of Oregon.

## AWARDS AND HONORS

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- 2021 Population Association of America Poster Award
- 2020 James Coleman Award, Section on Sociology of Education, American Sociological Association.
- 2020 Outstanding Graduate Student Mentor Award, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan.

## PRESENTATIONS

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*Italics* = presenter on coauthored work

### Conferences

- 2022 Shauna Dyer. “Education Can’t Fix Everything: Job Quality, Educational Expansion, and Gender Stratification in the Labor Market, 1988-2017.”  
 ⇒ American Sociological Association, 2022 Annual Meeting, August 5-9
- 2022 Bloome, Deirdre, **Shauna Dyer**, and Davis Daumler. “Student Debt and the Persistence of Economic Inequalities Between Racialized/Ethnic Groups: An Intergenerational Perspective

- ⇒ American Sociological Association, 2022 Annual Meeting, August 5-9
- 2022 Shauna Dyer. “Education Can’t Fix Everything: Job Quality, Educational Expansion, and Gender Stratification in the Labor Market, 1988-2017.”  
 ⇒ Population Association of America, 2022 Annual Meeting, April 6-9
- 2022 Bloome, Deirdre, **Shauna Dyer**, and Davis Daumler. “Student Debt and the Persistence of Economic Inequalities Between Racialized/Ethnic Groups: An Intergenerational Perspective  
 ⇒ Population Association of America, 2022 Annual Meeting, April 6-9
- 2021 Shauna Dyer. “Beyond Wages: Job Quality over the Life Course and Timings Mismatch.”  
 ⇒ Population Association of America, 2021 Annual Meeting. May 5-8, virtual  
 ⇒ 2021 Population Association of America Poster Award
- 2021 Shauna Dyer. “Education Can’t Fix Everything: Educational Attainment, Job Quality, and Gender Inequality in the Labor Market, 1985-2017.”  
 ⇒ NAEEd/Spencer Spring 2021 Fellows Retreat. March 11-12, virtual  
 ⇒ American Education Research Association, 2021 Annual Meeting. April 9-12, virtual.
- 2020 *Bloome, Deirdre*, Shauna Dyer. “Student Debt, State Higher Education Financing, and Intergenerational Income Persistence in the US.”  
 ⇒ Population Association of America, 2020 Annual Meeting, Apr. 22-25, Washington DC. – COVID-19 CANCELLED
- 2020 Dyer, Shauna. “Postsecondary Education and Job Quality Disparities.”  
 ⇒ Pacific Sociological Association, 2020 Annual Meeting, Mar. 26-29, Eugene, OR. – COVID-19 CANCELLED
- 2019 Dyer, Shauna and *Giovanni Roman-Torres*. “Latina/o Postsecondary Education: Racial/Ethnic and Gender Gaps and Advances.”  
 ⇒ American Sociological Association, 2019 Annual Meeting, Aug. 10-13, New York, NY.
- 2017,19 Dyer, Shauna. “Public Transfers and the Educational Opportunities of Poor Mothers.”  
 ⇒ Population Association of America, 2019 Annual Meeting, Apr. 10-13, Austin, TX.  
 ⇒ American Sociological Association, 2017 Annual Meeting, Aug. 12-15, Montreal, QC.
- 2017 Burgard, Sarah, Anna Zajacova, Shauna Dyer, and Huiyun Kim. “Wage Gains, but Few Health Returns to Some College: A Role for Employment Histories?”

⇒ Population Association of America, 2017 Annual Meeting, Apr. 27-29, Chicago, IL.

2017 *Bloome, Deirdre* and Shauna Dyer. “Educational Inequality, Educational Expansion, and Intergenerational Income Persistence in the United States.”  
⇒ Population Association of America, 2017 Annual Meeting, Apr. 27-29, Chicago, IL.

### Invited Talks

2015,16 Scott, Ellen and Shauna Dyer. “The Best and Worst of Times: Low-Wage Labor in the Context of Rising Corporate Profits.”  
⇒ Department of Sociology Colloquium, University of Oregon, Eugene, OR.  
⇒ Department of Sociology, University of Akron, Akron, OH.

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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Graduate Teaching Instructor: Social Inequality in America (x2), Quantitative Research Methods (x2), Introduction to Social Research Methods (x2), Introduction to Sociology

Primary Instructor: Introduction to Social Research Methods

### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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#### Reviewer

*American Sociological Review; American Journal of Sociology; Research in Social Stratification and Mobility Social Science Quarterly.*

### DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

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2020 Planning Committee, Commemorative Virtual Book Club, Center for Inequality Dynamics.  
2019-20 Executive Committee Meeting Representative, Department of Sociology.  
2019-20 Coordinator, Inequality, Demography and Family Workshop, Department of Sociology.  
2018-19 Faculty Meeting Representative, Department of Sociology.  
2017-18 Coordinator, Sociology of Education Workshop, Department of Sociology.  
2017-19 Coordinator, Graduate Summer Writing Workshop, Department of Sociology.

### RESEARCH AFFILIATIONS

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#### University of Michigan

2017 - *present* Inaugural member, The Inequality Lab, Stone Center for Inequality Dynamics.

2015 - *present* Member, Inequality, Demography, and Family Workshop, Department of Sociology.  
2017 - *present* Predoctoral trainee, Population Studies Center, Institute for Social Research.  
2017 - 2021 Predoctoral trainee, Causal Inference in Education Policy, Education Policy Initiative.

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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2015 - *present* Population Association of America.  
2014 - *present* American Sociological Association.  
⇒ Sections: Inequality, Poverty, and Mobility; Gender, Race, and Class; Sociology of Education; Organizations, Occupations, and Work; Children and Youth; Economic Sociology, International Migration, Latina/o Sociology

## **REFERENCES**

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Deirdre Bloome, Professor of Sociology and Public Policy, Harvard University.  
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Elizabeth A. Armstrong, Sherry B. Ortner Collegiate Professor of Sociology, University of Michigan.  
[elarmstr@umich.edu](mailto:elarmstr@umich.edu)

Fabian Pfeffer, Associate Professor of Sociology and Director of the Stone Center for Inequality Dynamics, University of Michigan.  
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