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**EDUCATION**

- Ph.D. 2011 Department of Sociology, *University of Illinois at Chicago*
- M.A. 2006 Department of Sociology, *University of Illinois at Chicago*
- B.A. 2003 Department of Psychology, *University of Illinois at Chicago*
- B.A. 2003 Department of African American Studies, *University of Illinois at Chicago*

**RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Race and Ethnicity. Biology and Health. Social Stratification. Research Methods.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- 2014 – present *Assistant Professor*, Department of Sociology, UNC Chapel Hill.
- 2014 – present *Faculty Fellow*, Carolina Population Center, UNC Chapel Hill.
- 2017 – present *Faculty Associate*, Institute for African American Research, UNC Chapel Hill.

**FELLOWSHIPS, SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS**

- 2017 – 2018 *Fellowship*, Institute for African American Research, UNC Chapel Hill. “The Political Incorporation of Black Immigrants.” (\$7,500).
- 2017 – 2018 *Junior Faculty Development Award*, Office of the Provost, UNC Chapel Hill. “Nativity and Black Political Participation in the United States: A Comparative Study of African Americans and Black Immigrants.” (\$7,500).
- 2016 *Award for Early Career Excellence in Research*, Program for Research on Black Americans (PRBA), Research Center for Group Dynamics, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. Award given at the bi-annual conference of the PRBA.
- 2013 – 2014 *Postdoctoral Research Fellow*, National Center for Institutional Diversity and Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan at Ann Arbor.
- 2012 – 2013 *Postdoctoral Award for Research Excellence*, Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research and Economic Development, UNC Chapel Hill. (\$1,000.00).
- 2012 *Distinguished Article Award* from the American Sociological Association; Section on Race, Gender and Class.

- 2011 – 2013 *Postdoctoral Research Fellow*, Department of Sociology and Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research, UNC Chapel Hill.
- 2011 – 2013 *Postdoctoral Trainee*, Carolina Population Center, UNC Chapel Hill.
- 2012 *David P. Street Dissertation Award*, Department of Sociology, University of Illinois, Chicago. (\$500.00).
- 2010 – 2011 *Dissertation Research Fellow*, Race and Difference Initiative, Emory University.
- 2010 – 2011 *Ford Dissertation Fellowship*, National Academies of Science (Honorable Mention).
- 2007 – 2010 *General Fellow*, Minority Fellowship Program, American Sociological Association.

**PUBLICATIONS: PEER REVIEWED** (\* = student co-author, a = alphabetical order)

Jacquelyn Taylor, Yan Sun, Veronica Barcelona de Mendoza, **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**, Jane Rafferty, Ervin Fox, Solomon Musani, Mario Sims and James Jackson. 2017. "The Combined Effects of Genetic Risk and Perceived Discrimination on Blood Pressure among African Americans." *Medicine* 96(3) (<https://goo.gl/ULaaKV>).

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. 2017. "Labor Market Disparities Between African Americans and Afro Caribbeans: Reexamining the Role of Immigrant Selectivity." *Sociological Forum*, 32(3). (<https://goo.gl/X9LiaA>).

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. 2016. "A Test of the Afro Caribbean Model Minority Hypothesis: Exploring the Role of Cultural Attributes in Labor Market Disparities between African Americans and Afro Caribbeans." *Du Bois Review: Social Science Research on Race* 31(1):109-38. (<http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S1742058X16000035>).

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji** and Catherine Harnois. 2016. "An Explanation for the Gender Gap in Perceptions of Discrimination among African Americans: Considering the Role of Gender Bias in Measurement." *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity* 2(3):263-88. [Lead Article]. (<http://dx.doi.org/10.1177/2332649215613532>).

Catherine E Harnois and **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. 2011. "Gendered Measures, Gendered Models: Toward an Intersectional Analysis of Interpersonal Racial Discrimination." *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 34:1006-28. [*Distinguished Article Award*, American Sociological Association; Section on Race, Gender and Class]. (<http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/01419870.2010.516836>).

**PUBLICATIONS: BOOK CHAPTERS AND OTHER**

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. 2019. "Race, Ethnicity and Statistical Methodology: White Supremacy and the Case for Model Stratification." Forthcoming in *The Routledge International Handbook of Contemporary Racisms*. (Invited Contribution)

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. 2018. "Years of Since Migration: On the Motivation to Reexamine the Role of Immigrant Selectivity in Black Ethnic Labor Market Disparities." Forthcoming in *Sociological Forum*.

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. 2014. "'Race Migrations: Latinos and the Cultural Transformation of Race' by Wendy Roth in Stanford University Press." *Social Forces* 92(3).

Cathy Cohen, \***Mosi Adesina Ifatunji** and \*Alex Bell. 2005. *Reclaiming Our Future: The State of AIDS among Black Youth in America*. Black AIDS Institute.

\***Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. 2004. *The Social Psychology of Race among African Americans*. Black Youth Project, University of Chicago, Center for the Study of Race, Politics and Culture. (<http://blackyouthproject.uchicago.edu/>).

Philip J. Bowman, \*Ray Muhammad and \***Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. 2003. *Skin Tone, Class and Racial Attitudes Among African Americans*. In Herring, Cedric (Ed), *Skin Deep*. Pp. 128–158. Chicago, Illinois: University of Illinois Press.

#### **IN PREPARATION: UNDER REVIEW**

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. “The White Employer Effect: Exploring the Role of Labor Market Context in the Production of Black Ethnic Disparities”

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji** and Ted Mouw. “Black Nativity Matters: Relative Earnings Growth Trajectories among African Americans and Black Immigrants”

\*Carolin Schutze and **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. “Color-Blindness as a Strategy: How Color-Blindness Translates into Welfare Work with Migrants” – *Ethnic and Racial Studies*

#### **IN PREPARATION: MANUSCRIPTS**

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**, \*Yanica Faustin and \*Deshira Wallace. “Are Bad Behaviors Always Bad? Psychosocial Stress, Health Behaviors and Disparities in Cardiovascular Health between African Americans and Afro Caribbeans”

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**, \*Deshira Wallace and \*Yanica Faustin. “Black Nativity and Health Disparities: A Research Paradigm for Understanding the Social Determinants of Health”

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji** and Ted Mouw. “The Relative Effect of White Management on the Wage Growth of African Americans and Black Immigrants in the United States

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. “Ethnoracial Assemblages: A New Ontology for the Study of Race and Ethnicity”

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji** and \*Neil Hester. “Ethnoracial Recursivity: Nativity, Accent and the Perceived Skin Color of Blacks

#### **IN PREPARATION: BOOKS**

**Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. “Ethnoraciality and Order in Settler and Colonial Societies”

#### **PRESENTATIONS: INVITED**

2017 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. “Race, Ethnicity and Quantitative Epistemology.” Race and Ethnic Studies Institute. Texas A&M University. October 23, 2017 (Day Workshop).

2017 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. “White Supremacy and Statistical Methodology.” College of Social Work. University of California at Berkeley. April 27, 2017.

2017 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji**. “Ethnoraciality and Order in the West: Toward A New Theory of Race and Ethnicity in Western and Colonial Societies.” Race and Inequality Series. Department of Sociology. Princeton University. April 3, 2017.

- 2016 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji.** “Perceived Skin Color and the Afro Caribbean Model Minority Myth.” Conference on the “Politics of Colorism: A Global Context,” organized by the Moore Undergraduate Research Apprentice Program at UNC Chapel Hill.
- 2014 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji.** *Rethinking Race: Explaining the White Interest in Black Ethnic Disparities.* Social Theory Working Group. Department of Sociology. University of Michigan.
- 2014 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji.** *Rethinking Race: Explaining the White Interest in Black Ethnic Disparities.* Race and Ethnicity Working Group. Department of Sociology. Stanford University.
- 2013 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji.** *Rethinking Race: Explaining the White Interest in Black Ethnic Disparities.* Center for the Study of Race, Politics and Culture. University of Chicago.
- 2013 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji.** *Rethinking Race: Explaining the White Interest in Black Ethnic Disparities.* Institute for Social Research. ICPSR Summer Program. Blalock Lecture. University of Michigan.

#### PRESENTATIONS: COMPETITIVE

- 2018 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji** and Ted Mouw. *Black Nativity Matters: Relative Earnings Growth Trajectories among African Americans and Black Immigrants.* Regular Session on Stratification and Inequality. Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, PA.
- 2018 \*Carolin Schutze and **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji.** *The operationalization of colour-blindness: How colour-blindness translates into Swedish welfare practices with migrants.* Annual Meeting on International Migration, Integration and Social Cohesion. Barcelona, Spain.
- 2016 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji** and Ted Mouw. *The Relative Effect of White Management on the Wage Growth of African Americans and Black Immigrants.* Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. Washington, DC.
- 2012 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji.** *Rethinking Race: Examining the White Interest in Black Ethnic Disparities.* Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association in Denver, Colorado.
- 2012 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji.** *Socioeconomic Disparities between African Americans and Afro Caribbeans: Re-Examining the Role of Immigrant Selectivity.* Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Association of Black Sociologists in Denver, Colorado.
- 2012 **Mosi Adesina Ifatunji.** *The Afro Caribbean Model Minority Myth: Cultural Attributes and Socioeconomic Disparities Between African Americans and Afro Caribbeans.* Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Association of Black Sociologists in Denver, Colorado.

#### TEACHING: COURSES

- 2015 – present Instructor, Department of Sociology, Graduate, *UNC Race Workshop*, UNC Chapel Hill. Fall Term. 7-8 students.
- 2017 Instructor, Department of Sociology, Undergraduate, *Introduction to Ethnoraciality in the West*, UNC Chapel Hill. Fall Term. 48 Students.
- 2017 Instructor, Department of Sociology, Undergraduate, *Social Science Research Methods*, UNC Chapel Hill. Fall Term. 48 Students.
- 2017 Instructor, Department of Sociology, Undergraduate, *Social Science Research Methods*, UNC Chapel Hill. Spring Term. 23 Students.

- 2016 Instructor, Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, *Race, Ethnicity and Quantitative Methodologies*, Institute for Social Research, Inter-University Consortium of Social and Political Research, University of Michigan. Summer Term. 25 students.
- 2016 Instructor, Department of Sociology, Graduate, *Ethnoraciality and Order in the West*, UNC Chapel Hill. Spring Term. 11 Students.
- 2016 Instructor, Department of Sociology, Undergraduate, *Social Science Research Methods*, UNC Chapel Hill. Spring Term. 38 Students.
- 2015 Instructor, Department of Sociology, Undergraduate, *Social Science Research Methods*, UNC Chapel Hill. Fall Term. 72 Students in 2 sections.
- 2015 Instructor, Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, *Race, Ethnicity and Quantitative Methodologies*, Institute for Social Research, Inter-University Consortium of Social and Political Research, University of Michigan. Summer Term. 17 students.
- 2014 Instructor, Department of Sociology, Undergraduate, *Social Science Research Methods*, UNC Chapel Hill. Fall Term. 64 Students in 2 sections.
- 2014 Instructor, Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research, *Methodological Issues in Quantitative Research on Race and Ethnicity*, Institute for Social Research, Inter-University Consortium of Social and Political Research, University of Michigan. Summer Term. 15 students.

#### **TEACHING: MENTORSHIP AND TRAINING**

- 2018 – present *Masters Thesis Committee Member*, Department of Sociology. Tianhao Zhang. “The Ethnoracial Incorporation of Chinese Immigrants in Japan and the United States.”
- 2018 – present *Dissertation Committee Member*, Department of Psychology. Neil Hester. “Raceless, Genderless Strangers: The Identity Crisis in Moral Psychology.”
- 2018 – present *Masters Thesis Committee Member*, Department of Sociology. Nafeesa Andrabi. “Religion and Perceived Skin Color among Arab Americans.”
- 2018 – present *Dissertation Committee Member*, Department of Political Science. Kevin Roach. “Descriptive Representation and Ethnoracial Inequality.”
- 2015 – present *Dissertation Committee Member*, School of Public Health, Maternal and Child Health. Yanica Faustin. “Disparities in Birth Outcomes between African Americans and Black Immigrants.”
- 2015 – present *Masters Thesis Chair and Dissertation Co-Chair*, Department of Sociology. Brionca Taylor. “Cultural Youth Programs and Educational Strategies.” Funding from the National Science Foundation.
- 2017 *Supervising Faculty Member*, Department of Sociology. Carolin Schutze (Visiting Graduate Student, Lunds University). “Color-Blind Racism and Attitudes Toward Immigrants among Social Workers in Sweden.”
- 2016 – 2017 *Honors Thesis Second Reader*, Department of Sociology. Kadejah Shaniece Murray (Undergraduate). “The Relationship between Parental Socioeconomic Status, Race, and Adolescent Suicidal Ideation.”

- 2015 – 2016 *Honors Thesis Chair*, Department of Sociology. Cassius Modisana Hossfeld (Undergraduate). “Perceptions of Attractiveness and Racial Bias.”
- 2016 *Independent Study*, Department of Sociology. Jaime Jeune (Undergraduate). “Critical Race Theory in Higher Education.”
- 2016 *Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship*, Department of Sociology. Jules Carter (Undergraduate). “Community Attitudes About Green Infrastructure and Stream Restoration Techniques.”
- 2014 - 2016 *Dissertation Committee Member*, Department of Sociology. Brian Foster. “Another South: Race, Inequality and Place-making in the Mississippi Delta.” Funding from the American Sociological Association and the National Science Foundation.

**SERVICE: DEPARTMENT**

- 2017-2018 *Colloquium Committee*, Department of Sociology (Assigned).
- 2015-2017 *Executive Committee*, Department of Sociology (Elected).
- 2014-2016 *Social Committee*, Department of Sociology (Assigned).

**SERVICE: PROFESSIONAL**

- 2014 – present *Editorial Board*, Social Forces – Department of Sociology, UNC Chapel Hill.
- 2016 – present *Editorial Board*, Sociology of Race and Ethnicity – American Sociological Association, Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities.
- 2016 *Session Organizer and Moderator*. Blacks and African Americans. Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. Invited by the ASA Planning Committee.