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ANN OWENS

EMPLOYMENT

- 2013- Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of Southern California
Courtesy Appointment, Spatial Sciences Institute
Faculty Affiliate: Sol Price Center for Social Innovation, Population Research
Center, Children's Data Network
- 2012-2013 Postdoctoral Fellow, Center on Poverty and Inequality, Stanford University

EDUCATION

- 2012 Ph.D., Sociology and Social Policy, Harvard University
- 2009 A.M., Sociology, Harvard University
- 2004 A.B., Sociology, University of Chicago

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

- Owens, Ann, and Susan Clampet-Lundquist. 2017. "Housing Mobility and the Intergenerational Durability of Neighborhood Poverty." *Journal of Urban Affairs* 39(3):400-420.
- Owens, Ann. 2017. "Racial Residential Segregation of School-Age Children and Adults: The Role of Schooling as a Segregating Force." *RSF: The Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences* 3(2): 63-80.
- Owens, Ann. 2017. "How Do People-Based Housing Policies Affect People (and Place)?" *Housing Policy Debate*. 2(1): 266-281.
- Owens, Ann, Sean F. Reardon, and Christopher Jencks. 2016. "Income Segregation between Schools and School Districts." *American Educational Research Journal* 53(4): 1159-1197.
- Owens, Ann. 2016. "Inequality in Children's Contexts: Income Segregation of Households With and Without Children." *American Sociological Review* 81(3): 549-574.
- Owens, Ann. 2016. "Assisted Housing and Neighborhood Poverty Dynamics, 1977 to 2008." *Urban Affairs Review* 52(3): 287-322.

Owens, Ann. 2015. "Housing Policy and Urban Inequality: Did the Transformation of Assisted Housing Reduce Poverty Concentration?" *Social Forces* 94(1): 325-348.

Owens, Ann. 2015. "Assisted Housing and Income Segregation between Neighborhoods in U.S. Metropolitan Areas." *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 660(1): 98-116.

Reardon, Sean F. and Ann Owens. 2014. "60 Years After Brown: Trends and Consequences of School Segregation." *Annual Review of Sociology* 40: 199-218.

Owens, Ann. 2013. "Perceptions of Disorder and Safety amidst the Transformation of Assisted Housing." *Cityscape* 15(3): 77-103.

Owens, Ann. 2012. "Neighborhoods on the Rise: A Typology of Neighborhoods Experiencing Socioeconomic Ascent." *City & Community* 11(4): 345-369.

Edin, Kathryn, Stefanie DeLuca, and Ann Owens. 2012. "Constrained Compliance: Solving the Puzzle of MTO's Lease-Up Rate and Why Mobility Matters." *Cityscape* 14(2): 181-194.

Owens, Ann. 2010. "Neighborhoods and Schools as Competing and Reinforcing Contexts for Educational Attainment." *Sociology of Education* 83(4): 287-311.

Broege, Nora, Ann Owens, Anthony P. Graesch, Jeanne E. Arnold, and Barbara Schneider. 2007. "Calibrating Measures of Family Activities between Large- and Small-Scale Data Sets." *Sociological Methodology* 37(1): 119-149.

Owens, Ann, and Barbara Schneider. 2005. "Self-Regulation and the Transition to Adulthood." *Academic Exchange Quarterly* 9(4): 62-68.

Book Chapters, Briefs, and Reports

Owens, Ann. In preparation. "School Racial and Economic Segregation." Textbook chapter in *Education & Society*, edited by T. Domina, B. Gibbs, L. Nunn, and A. Penner. University of California Press.

Owens, Ann. 2016. "Urban Revitalization in U.S. Cities and Neighborhoods, 1990 to 2010." White paper commissioned by the 21st Century Cities Initiative, Johns Hopkins University.

Owens, Ann. 2013. "Have Reforms in U.S. Housing Assistance Reduced Neighborhood Poverty?" Scholars Strategy Network Key Findings Brief. Cambridge: MA: Harvard University.

Owens, Ann and Robert J. Sampson. 2013. "Community Well-being and the Great Recession." *Pathways* Spring 2013: 3-7. Stanford, CA: Stanford Center on Poverty and Inequality.

Jencks, Christopher, Ann Owens, Tracey Shollenberger, and Queenie Zhu. 2010. "How has Rising Economic Inequality Affected Children's Educational Outcomes?" Conference Paper.

Tobin Project Conference on Democracy & Markets: Understanding the Effects of America's Economic Stratification.

Owens, Ann, and Gail Sunderman. 2006. "School Accountability under NCLB: Aid or Obstacle for Measuring Racial Equity?" Policy Brief. The Civil Rights Project at UCLA.

Owens, Ann. 2006. "Common Schools." *Blackwell Encyclopedia of Sociology*. Edited by G. Ritzer. Blackwell Publishing.

Owens, Ann. 2006. "Public Schools." *Blackwell Encyclopedia of Sociology*. Edited by G. Ritzer. Blackwell Publishing.

Schneider, Barbara, Sylvia Martinez, and Ann Owens. 2006. "Barriers to Educational Opportunities for Hispanics in the U.S." Pp. 179-227 in *Hispanics and the Future of America*, edited by M. Tienda. Washington, DC: National Academies Press.

Schneider, Barbara, Allison Atteberry, and Ann Owens. 2005. "Family Matters: Family Structure and Child Outcomes." Alabama Policy Institute.

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2016-2017	National Academy of Education/Spencer Foundation Postdoctoral Fellow
2012-2013	Postdoctoral Fellow, Center on Poverty and Inequality, Stanford University
2012	Honorable Mention, David Lee Stevenson Award for the Best Graduate Student Paper, ASA Sociology of Education Section
2011-2012	Graduate Society Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Harvard University
2009-2010	Doctoral Fellowship, NSF Multidisciplinary Program in Inequality & Social Policy, Harvard University
2006-2010	Perry Family Graduate Fellowship, Harvard University
2007-2008	Harvard University Certificate of Distinction in Teaching
2005-2006	Harvard University Graduate Fellowship
2005, 2006	NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program-Honorable Mention
2004	Student Employee of the Year Award, University of Chicago

RESEARCH FUNDING

External Research Grants

2017	"School Choice and Inequality in Los Angeles." Haynes Foundation Faculty Fellowship Award. \$12,000.
2015	"Income Segregation and Student Achievement Gaps, 1996-2010." New Scholars Grant, Center on Poverty and Inequality, Stanford University. \$10,000. (Co-PI: Kendra Bischoff, Cornell University)

- “Economic Segregation of School Districts and the Economic Achievement Gap.” Spencer Foundation. \$49,161.
- “Economic Segregation of School Districts and the Income Achievement Gap.” Russell Sage Foundation. \$34,823.
- 2014 “Understanding the Role of Contextual Effects in STEM Pursuit and Persistence: A Synthesis Approach.” National Science Foundation Discovery Research K-12. \$250,000. (Co-PIs: Michael Gottfried, UCSB; Darryl Williams, Tufts)
- 2013 “Economic Segregation between Schools Districts: Trends and Correlates, 1990 to 2010.” New Scholars Grant, Center on Poverty and Inequality, Stanford University. \$20,000.
- 2012 “Housing Mobility and the Intergenerational Transmission of Neighborhood Poverty.” Center for Poverty Research, University of California, Davis. \$20,000 (Co-PI: Susan Clampet-Lundquist, St. Joseph’s University)
- 2010 Eli Ginzberg Award (“For a project involving solutions to major health and welfare problems in urban settings”), Horowitz Foundation for Social Policy, \$5,000

University Research Grants

- 2014 “Impacts of the Transformation of Public Housing on Neighborhood Wellbeing.” Lusk Research Center for Real Estate Research Award, University of Southern California. \$19,474.
- “Hispanic Neighborhood Ascent across U.S. Cities.” Zumberge Fund Individual Grant, University of Southern California. \$25,000.
- “The *Gente-fication* of Los Angeles: Trends and Processes of Hispanic Neighborhood Ascent.” Population Research Center, University of Southern California. \$10,000.
- 2010 Research Grant, Harvard University Real Estate Academic Initiative, \$10,000

TEACHING

- 2013- Assistant Professor, USC
 Sociology 150: Social Problems (Undergraduate)
 Sociology 521: Social Statistics and Quantitative Methods I (Graduate)
 Sociology 525: Approaches to Sociological Research (Graduate)
 Sociology 664: Seminar in Advanced Research Methods (Graduate)
- 2010 Instructor, Harvard University

Sociology 99s: Senior Thesis Writers Seminar (Undergraduate)
Author, "A Guide to Writing a Senior Thesis in Sociology"

2007-2009 Teaching Fellow, Harvard University
Sociology 107: The American Family (Undergraduate)
Sociology 128: Models of Social Science Research (Undergraduate)
Sociology 171: Sociology of Crime and Punishment (Undergraduate)
Sociology 145: Urban Social Problems (Undergraduate)

PRESENTATIONS (* invited presentation)

"The Consequences of Income Segregation between School Districts for Economic and Racial Achievement Gaps."

*Center for the Study of Wealth and Inequality Seminar Series, Columbia University.
New York, NY. 2017.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL. 2017.

"Racial Residential Segregation of Children and Adults and the Role of Schooling as a Segregating Force." Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Research Conference. Washington, DC. 2016.

"Income Segregation and the Income Achievement Gap." Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Research Conference. Washington, DC. 2016.

*Witness (provided testimony). The Spirit of Brown: Steps Congress Must Take to Address Segregation and Improve Equity of Opportunity in K-12 Public Schools. U.S. House Committee on Education and the Workforce. Washington, DC. 2016.

**"How Neighborhoods Affect the Lives of Low-Income Families." Opportunity Everywhere: Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing to Transform Communities. Open Communities Alliance and University of Connecticut Law School. Hartford, CT. 2016.

**"Trends in Segregation." Education Writers Association National Seminar. Boston, MA. 2016.

"Racial Hierarchy and Racial Transition of Ascending Neighborhoods in the U.S." (with Jennifer Candipan).

Urban Affairs Association Annual Conference. San Diego, CA. 2016.

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Seattle, WA. 2016.

**"Federal Assisted Housing Programs and Poverty Concentration." Government Accountability Office Rental Housing Conference, Washington, DC. 2016.

"How Do People-Based Housing Policies Affect People (and Place)?" Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Research Conference. Miami, FL. 2015.

“How do School Composition and Sorting between Schools Shape Student Achievement? Disentangling Complexities.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL. 2015.

“Assisted Housing and Intergenerational Income Transmission: Exploring the Geography of Unequal Opportunity” (with Deirdre Bloome).

Population Association of America Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA. 2015.

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Seattle, WA. 2016.

*“Economic Segregation of School Districts and Neighborhoods.” UCLA California Center for Population Research. Los Angeles, CA. 2015.

“Childhood Neighborhood Inequality and Adult Educational Attainment: A Multi-Cohort Longitudinal Study, 1995 to 2012” (with Robert J. Sampson). Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management Annual Meeting. Albuquerque, NM. 2014.

“Assisted Housing and Economic Segregation within and between Neighborhoods in U.S. Metropolitan Areas.” Penn State Stratification Conference: Residential Inequality in American Neighborhoods and Communities. State College, PA. 2014.

“Housing Mobility and the Intergenerational Transmission of Neighborhood Poverty” (with Susan Clampet-Lundquist).

Population Association of America Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA. 2015.

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA. 2014.

“Inequality in Children’s Contexts: Economic Segregation between School Districts, 1990 to 2010.”

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA. 2014.

*Colloquium on the Law, Economics, and Politics of Urban Affairs, New York University. New York, NY. 2014.

Sociology of Education Association Annual Meeting. Pacific Grove, CA. 2014.

* Population, Society, and Inequality Seminar, UC-Irvine. Irvine, CA. 2014.

“Subsidized Housing and the Concentration of Poverty in the U.S.” International Sociological Association World Congress. Yokohama, Japan. 2014.

*“Assisted Housing and the Deconcentration of Poverty, 1977 to 2008.” UCLA Lewis Center for Regional Policy Studies. Los Angeles, CA. 2014.

“The Impact of Neighborhood Disadvantage on Educational Outcomes: A Cohort Study of Chicago” (with Robert J. Sampson). American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting. Philadelphia, PA. 2014.

“Assisted Housing and the Concentration of Black and White Poverty.” Urban Affairs Association Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA. 2013.

“Trends in Economic School Segregation, 1970 to 2009” (with Sean F. Reardon and Christopher Jencks).

*Income, Inequality, and Educational Success: New Evidence about Socioeconomic Status and Educational Outcomes Conference at Stanford University. 2012.

Choosing Homes, Choosing Schools Mini-conference at the Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New York, NY. 2012.

“The Changing Geography of Subsidized Housing: Implications for Urban Poverty.”

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Las Vegas, NV. 2011.

Population Association of America Annual Meeting. Washington, DC. 2011.

“Hidden Costs: How has the Policy Shift to Tenant-Based Housing Subsidies Affected the Economic Well-Being of Urban Neighborhoods?” Urban Affairs Association Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. 2011.

“How Do Neighborhoods Matter for Mental Health? Neighborhood Contexts and Mobility as Mechanisms.” American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA, 2010.

“A Typology of Gentrification.” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. 2010

“Neighborhood Variation in Maternal Mental Health.” Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Baltimore, MD. 2009.

“Neighborhoods and Schools as Contexts for Academic Achievement.”

*Texas Schools Project. UT-Dallas. Dallas, TX. 2009.

Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. New York, NY. 2008.

American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting. New York, NY. 2008.

American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Boston, MA. 2008.

*“Accumulating Knowledge through Journals” (with Barbara Schneider). National Research Council and the National Academy of Sciences. Washington, DC. 2003.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association (Sections: Sociology of Education; Community and Urban Sociology; Inequality, Poverty, and Mobility); Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management; Population Association of America; American Educational Research Association; Urban Affairs Association; Scholars Strategy Network

SERVICE

To the Profession

2016- Social Science Advisory Board, Poverty & Race Research Action Council

2016-2018 ASA Community and Urban Sociology Section: Publications Committee

2015-2016 ASA Sociology of Education Section: Nominations Committee

2014-2017 ASA Section on Inequality, Poverty, and Mobility: Student Outreach Committee
 Occasional Grant Reviewer: Russell Sage Foundation, National Science Foundation
 Conference Reviewer, Organizer, and Service: AERA, PAA, SREE, ASA
 Manuscript Reviewer: *American Educational Research Journal*, *American
 Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *City & Community*,
Demography, *Journal of Urban Affairs*, *Social Problems*, *Social Forces*, *Social
 Science Research*, *Sociology of Education*, *Urban Affairs Review* (and others)

To the Department/University

University of Southern California

2013- Department of Sociology Committees: Graduate Admissions, Merit Review,
 Colloquium, Website, Space and IT, Quantitative Methods
 Spatial Sciences Institute: Merit Review Committee
 Faculty Advisor, USC Chapter of Habitat for Humanity
 Grant Reviewer: Zumberge Individual Fund Award, Dornsife College

PAST RESEARCH AFFILIATIONS

2008-2012 Research Assistant to Robert J. Sampson, Department of Sociology, Harvard
 University
 2005-2012 Research Assistant to Christopher Jencks, Harvard Kennedy School
 2005-2012 Graduate Student Affiliate, Harvard Institute for Quantitative Social Science
 2007 Research Intern, Abt Associates, Inc., Cambridge, MA
 2007 Visiting Student, Center for the Analysis of Social Exclusion, London School of
 Economics
 2005-2006 Research Assistant, Harvard Civil Rights Project, Harvard University
 2004-2005 Project Administrator, Alfred P. Sloan Center on Parents, Children & Work at the
 University of Chicago
 2002-2004 Research Assistant, Alfred P. Sloan Center on Parents, Children & Work at the
 University of Chicago