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CURRENT POSITION

Associate Professor of Applied Linguistics, Pennsylvania State University

EDUCATION

- 1998 Postdoctoral Fellow, Duke University Department of Experimental Psychology,
 Individual National Research Service Award (National Institute of Mental Health),
 research and training in human memory and psycholinguistics
 Mentor: David C. Rubin
- 1995 PhD. Case Western Reserve University, Medical Anthropology: Specialization in
 Psychological Anthropology; Mentor: Jill E. Korbin
- 1988 M.A. Case Western Reserve University, Anthropology
 Mentor: Allan Young
- 1986 Licentiate, Universidad Javeriana, Bogotá, Colombia, Theology
- 1981 M.A. Washington Theological Union, Theology
- 1980 M.A. Duquesne University, Philosophy
- 1975 B.A. Saint Fidelis College, Major: Philosophy

EMPLOYMENT

- 2004 - Associate Professor, Department of Linguistics and Applied Language Studies, Penn
 State University
- 1999-2004 Research Assistant Professor, Buehler Center on Aging, Northwestern University
 Medical School
- 1992-1995 Assistant Professor of Philosophy, John Carroll University, Cleveland, Ohio
- 1986-1995 Associate Professor of Philosophy, Borromeo College of Ohio, Cleveland, Ohio
- 1987-1994 Parochial Vicar, Saint Francis of Assisi Parish, Cleveland, Ohio
- 1984-1985 Parochial Vicar, Universidad Javeriana, Parroquia del Quirigua, Bogotá, Colombia
- 1981-1984 Parochial Vicar, Parroquia de Santa Teresita, Ponce, Puerto Rico
- 1981-1984 Chaplain, Hospital San Lucas, Ponce, Puerto Rico.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Graduate (Penn State)

Language and Adult Lifespan Development
 Applied Linguistics and Health Sciences
 Anthropological Approaches to Health and Aging
 Research Design and Methods in Applied Linguistics
 Methods of Language Assessment
 Statistics in Applied Linguistics
 Grantsmanship and Publication
 Healthcare Interpreting

Undergraduate (Borromeo College of Ohio; John Carroll University)

Philosophy of Science
 Philosophy of Mind
 Symbolic Logic
 Contemporary Philosophy
 Modern Philosophy
 Medieval Philosophy
 Ancient Philosophy

RESEARCH INTERESTS

cross-cultural gerontology, bilingualism/biculturalism and aging, memory and aging, medical anthropology, Alzheimer's disease, psychometrics, medical interpreting

GRANTS (awarded)

- 2008 9/1/2008-8/30/2010. Pennsylvania State Department of Health. "Enhancing Access to Quality Healthcare: Creating a Medical Interpreting Program to Better Serve Pennsylvania's LEP, deaf, and hard-of-hearing patients. Role: Co-PI. (\$150,000)
- 2007 9/01/07-8/30/08. National Cancer Institute. (Role: Consultant). Unbiased Alzheimer's Caregiver Assessment. (\$75,375)
- 2006 12/01/06-11/30/09. National Cancer Institute. (Role: Consultant). Assessing Multidimensional Pain in Gero-Oncology: A Clinical Infometrics Approach. (\$415,250).
- 2006 4/1/2007-3/31/2012. National Institute of Aging. (Role: Consultant). Mentored Scientist Development Award (K01) "Caregiving Skills in Effective Medication Management for Hospice Patients. Principal Investigator: Denys Lau, Northwestern University. \$610,628.
- 2006 Alzheimer's Association: Investigator Initiated Research Grant (Role: Co-PI). "Beliefs about Alzheimer's Disease, Dementia, and Aging: Cultural and Social Factors." (9/1/06-8/31/08) - \$199,938.
- 2004 Pennsylvania State University, Social Science Research Institute: (Role: Principal Investigator). Older Immigrant Health Literacy and Medication Use. (1/1/05-12/30/05),

\$23,095.

- 2004 National Institute on Aging: (Role: Consultant) Novel Pain Assessment and Intervention Network (NoPAIN). Principal Investigator: Chih-Hung Chang, Northwestern University. (09/27/04-07/31/06) - \$185,625.
- 2004 National Institute of Mental Health, R01: (Role: Consultant). A Model of Autobiographical Memory and Its Changes in PTSD. Principal Investigator: David C. Rubin, Duke University. (6/01/04-5/01/09). \$1,655,500.
- 2002 Alzheimer's Association, New Investigator Research Grant: (Role: Principal Investigator). Development of a Test of Premorbid Intelligence for Neuropsychological Assessment of Spanish Speaking Elderly. 9/1/02-3/1/04 - \$92,909.
- 2002 Illinois Department of Public Health: Early Researcher Grant, Alzheimer's Disease Research Fund: (Role: Principal Investigator), Language(s) Lost Among Hispanic Immigrants with Alzheimer's Disease, 7/1/2001-6/30/2002 - \$32,400.
- 2001 National Institute on Aging, R03: (Role: Principal Investigator) Reversion to the First Language in Alzheimer's Disease, 9/1/2001-8/30/2002, - \$73,500.
- 1999 National Institute on Aging, R01 (Role: Co-Principal Investigator) Memory, Language, Culture, 8/1/1999-7/30/2004 - \$1,063,693.
- 1999 Spencer Foundation, (Role: Principal Investigator) Does Thinking in Spanish Affect Problem Solving in English? 1/4/1999-12/30/1999 – \$30,000.
- 1996 National Institute of Mental Health, National Research Service Award, F32: Postdoctoral Fellow, Bilingual Autobiographical Memory, 1/4/1996-12/30/1998 - \$79,400.

PUBLICATIONS

Edited Volume

De Bot, K. and **Schrauf, R.W.**, eds. (2009) Language development over the lifespan. New York: Routledge.

Refereed Journal Articles

Steis, M. and **Schrauf, Robert W.** (2009). A review of translations and adaptations of the MMSE in languages other than English and Spanish. *Research in Gerontological Nursing*, 2(2), 214-224..

Schrauf, Robert W. (2009) Intracultural variation in cross-cultural gerontology. *Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology*, 24,115-120.

Schrauf, Robert. W. (2009). "English use among older bilingual immigrants in linguistically concentrated neighborhoods: Social proficiency and internal speech as intracultural variation." *Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology*, 24, 157-179.

Schrauf, Robert W. and Sanchez, J. (2008). Using freelistings to identify, assess, and characterize age-differences in cultural domains. *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, 63B(6) S385-S393.

Schrauf, Robert W. and Lesa Hoffman. (2007). The effects of revisionism on remembered emotion: The valence of older, voluntary immigrants' pre-migration memories. *Applied Cognitive Psychology*, 21: 895-913.

Rubin, D.C., **Schrauf, Robert W.**, Gulgoz, Sami, and Naka, Makiko. (2007). On the cross-cultural variability of component processes in autobiographical remembering: Japan Turkey, and the U.S.A. *Memory* 15(5) 536-547.

Schrauf, Robert W., Sandra Weintraub, and Ellen Navarro. (2006). Is a validation of the Word Accentuation Test (WAT) of premorbid intelligence necessary for use among older, Spanish-speaking immigrants in the United States? *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 12, 391-399.

Schrauf, Robert W. and Ellen Navarro. (2005). On using existing scales and tests in the field. *Field Methods*, 17(4): 373-393.

Rubin, D. C., **Schrauf, Robert W.**, & Greenberg, Daniel. L. (2004). Stability in autobiographical memories. *Memory*, 12(6), 715-721.

Schrauf, Robert W. and Julia Sanchez (2004). The preponderance of negative emotion words across generations and across cultures. *Journal of Multilingual and Multicultural Development*, 25(2-3), 266-284.

Schrauf, Robert W. and Rubin, David C. (2004). The 'language' and 'feel' of bilingual memory: Mnemonic traces and narrative framing. *Sociolinguistica*, 5(1), 21-39.

Schrauf, Robert W. (2003). Settling on the Best Fit: Cognition as the Maximal Satisfaction of Multiple Constraints. *Theory and Psychology*, 13(5), 718-720.

Rubin, David. C., **Schrauf, R. W.**, & Greenberg, Daniel. L. (2003). Belief and recollection of autobiographical memories. *Memory and Cognition*, 31(6), 877-886.

Schrauf, Robert W. (2003). A protocol analysis of retrieval in autobiographical memory. *International Journal of Bilingualism*, 7(3), 235-256.

Schrauf, Robert W., Pavlenko, Aneta., & Dewaele, Jean-Marc. (2003). Bilingual episodic memory: An introduction. *International Journal of Bilingualism*, 7(3), 221-233.

Schrauf, Robert W. (2002). Comparing cultures within-subjects: A cognitive account of acculturation as a framework for cross-cultural study. *Anthropological Theory*, 2(1):98-115.

Schrauf, Robert W. (2002). Bilingual inner speech as the medium of cross-modular retrieval in autobiographical memory. *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 25, 698-699.

Larsen, Steen F., **Schrauf, R.W.**, Fromholt, Pia., and Rubin, David C. (2002). Inner speech and bilingual autobiographical memory: A Polish-Danish cross-cultural study. *Memory* 10 (1), 45-54.

Schrauf, Robert W. and Rubin, David C. (2001). Effects of voluntary immigration on the distribution of autobiographical memory over the lifespan. *Applied Cognitive Psychology* 15, S75-S88.

Schrauf, Robert W. (2000) Narrative repair of threatened identity. *Narrative Inquiry*, 10(1):1-19.

- Schrauf, Robert W.** (2000). Bilingual autobiographical memory: Experimental studies and clinical cases. *Culture & Psychology*, 6(4), 387-417.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** and Rubin, David C. (2000). Internal languages of retrieval: The bilingual encoding of memories for the personal past. *Memory and Cognition*. 28, 616-623.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** (1999). Mother tongue maintenance in North American ethnic groups. *Cross-Cultural Research*. 33, 175-192.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** (1998). La comparsa y el concurso: Andalusian minstrels on-stage. *Anthropological Quarterly*, 71, 74-98.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** and Rubin, David C. (1998). Bilingual autobiographical memory in older adult immigrants: A test of cognitive explanation of the reminiscence bump and the linguistic encoding of memories. *Journal of Memory and Language*, 39, 437-457.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** (1997). Costalero quiero ser! Autobiographical memory and the oral life story of a Holy Week Brother in Southern Spain. *Ethos*, 25, 428-453.

Chapters

- Schrauf, Robert W.** (2009). The bilingual lexicon and bilingual autobiographical memory: The neurocognitive basic systems view. In A. Pavlenko (ed.). *The bilingual mental lexicon: Interdisciplinary approaches* (pp. 26-51). Multilingual Matters.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** (2009). Longitudinal designs in studies of multilingualism. In DeBot, K. and Schrauf, R.W. (eds). *Language development over the lifespan* (245-270). Routledge.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** (2008). Bilingualism and Aging. In R. Heredia and J. Altariba (Eds.). *An Introduction to bilingualism: Principles and processes* (pp. 105-127). LEA.
- Schrauf, Robert W., & Durazo-Arvizu, Ramon.** (2006). Bilingual autobiographical memory and emotion: Theory and methods. In A. Pavlenko (Ed.), *Bilingual minds: Emotional experience, expression, and representation* (pp. 284-311): Multilingual Matters.
- Makoni, Sinfree; Lin, Hwei Bing, and **Schrauf, Robert W.** (2005) The effects of age and education on narrative complexity in older Chinese in the United States. In Kees de Bot and Sinfree Makoni, *Language and aging in multilingual contexts*. Pp. 97-117. Multilingual Matters.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** and Rubin, David C. (2003). On the bilingual's two sets of memories. In Robyn Fivush and Catherine Haden (eds.). *Autobiographical memory and the construction of a narrative self: Developmental and cultural perspectives*. Pp. 121-145. Lawrence Erlbaum.

Refereed Abstracts (published)

- Schrauf, Robert W.** (2007). Mapping diagnosis-seeking with correspondence analysis. *The Gerontologist* 47 (Special issue 1), p. 118.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** (2006) On the importance of asking elders: Age-effects on cultural domain analysis in cross-cultural gerontology. *The Gerontologist* 46 (Special Issue 1), p. 203.
- Schrauf, Robert W.** (2005) Development of a Spanish test of premorbid intelligence. *The Gerontologist* 45 (Special Issue 2), p. 131-132.

Schrauf, Robert W. and Ramon, Durazo-Arvizu. (2004) A permutation test to compare aggregate matrices on frequency data: Young differ from old Mexicans on emotion labels. *The Gerontologist* 44 (Special Issue 1), p. 274.

Schrauf, Robert W. (2004). Ethnic elders use of English as a second language: How proficiency translates into practice. *The Gerontologist* 44 (Special Issue 1), p. 411.

Schrauf, Robert W. (2001). Inner speech in English as an indicator of acculturation among older Puerto Rican immigrants. *The Gerontologist* 41 (Special Issue 1), pp. 372-373.

REFEREED PRESENTATIONS (national and international meetings)

Schrauf, Robert W. *Cohorts as Cultures: New Anthropological Methods for Cultural Domain Analysis*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Washington, D.C. 2008

Schrauf, Robert W. *Freelisting illnesses: Age-differences as intracultural variation*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Anthropological Sciences. New Orleans, 2008.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Age-effects and sample size considerations in cultural domain analysis*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. Washington, D.C., 2007.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Mapping diagnosis seeking with correspondence analysis*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. San Francisco, 2007.

Schrauf, Robert W. *The effects of revisionism on remembered emotion: The valence of older, voluntary immigrants' pre-migration autobiographical memories*. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Cognitive Aging Conference. Atlanta, Georgia, 2006.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Distributed Cognition Explains Age-Gains in Older Adults' Vocabulary*. Featured Symposium on "Language and Aging" at the 14th World Congress of Applied Linguistics. Madison, Wisconsin, July 2005.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Adapting Methods from Cognitive Anthropology to Study Acculturation among Older Immigrants*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontology Society of America. Orlando, Florida, 2005.

Schrauf, Robert W. and Ramon Durazo-Arvizu. *Metric Scaling of Semantic Domains in Cross-Cultural Gerontology*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Anthropological Sciences. Santa Fe, 2005.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Re-Patterning the Meaning of Emotion From Immigrant to First Generation*. "Hot Topic" presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Society. Chicago, 2004.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Cultural Effects On The Measurement Of Cognition: Development Of A Test Of Premorbid Intelligence For Older Spanish Speakers*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. Chicago, 2003.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Older Immigrants' Fading Memories of the Old Country*. Poster presented at the 11th Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Association. Toronto, August 2003.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Older Immigrants' Cognition of Bilingual Semantic Domains.* Paper presented at the Fourth International Symposium on Bilingualism. Arizona State University. April, 2003.

Schrauf, Robert W. *First Language Dominant, Late Bilinguals' Self-Ratings of Language Proficiency and Self-Reports of Language-Use: How Good Are They?* Poster presented at the Cognitive Aging Conference 2002. Atlanta, Georgia. April 2002.

Schrauf, Robert W. and David C. Rubin. *Immigration as A Period of Increased Encoding Sensitivity: Cued Recall vs. Narrative Methods.* Poster presented at the Cognitive Aging Conference 2002. Atlanta, Georgia. April 2002.

Schrauf, Robert W. and David C. Rubin. *The Language and 'Feel' of Bilingual Memory. Invited presentation.* Second University of Vigo International Symposium on Bilingualism. Vigo, Spain. October 23-26, 2002.

Schrauf, Robert W. and Vaid, Jyotsna. *Older Immigrant's Self-Reports of Second Language Proficiency.* Poster presented at the annual conference of the American Association of Applied Linguistics. Salt Lake City, April 2002.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Bilingualism, Memory, and Dementia.* Paper presented at the 100th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association. Washington, D.C. December 2001.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Inner Speech in English as An Indicator of Acculturation Among Older Puerto Rican Immigrants.* Poster presented at the 54th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Chicago, Illinois. October 2001.

Schrauf, Robert W. *The 'Culture' in Bilingual Autobiographical Memory.* Paper presented at the 109th annual convention of the American Psychological Association. San Francisco, CA. August 24-28, 2001.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Bilingual Inner Speech: Linguistic Relativity in Inner Discursive Practices.* Paper presented at the Third International Symposium on Bilingualism, Bristol, England. April, 2001.

Schrauf, Robert W. and David C. Rubin. *Bilingual Autobiographical Memory in Poles who Immigrated to Denmark: Effects of the Internal Language of Memory.* Poster presented at the Cognitive Aging Conference 2000. Atlanta, GA.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Methods at the Margins: Borrowing from Clinical and Experimental Psychology.* Paper presented at the Presidential Symposium on Methods during the biennial meeting of the Society for Psychological Anthropology. September 1999. Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Schrauf, Robert W. 1998. *The Bicultural Narrated Self: Psychological and Linguistic Methods of Analysis.* Paper presented at the Invited Session: The Narrative Construction of Self in Cultural Contexts: Formal-Functional Approaches. Annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 1998. Washington, D.C.

Schrauf, Robert W. and David C. Rubin 1998. *Effects of Mid-Life Migration and Language Change on the Autobiographical Memories of Older Adults.* Poster presented at the Cognitive Aging Conference 1998. Atlanta, GA.

Schrauf, Robert W. and David C. Rubin 1997. *Remembering in the Other Language: Bilingual/Bicultural Memory for The Personal Past*. Poster presented at the Fifth Biennial Meeting of the Society for Psychological Anthropology: October 1997. San Diego, CA.

Schrauf, Robert W. 1997. *Collecting Life Histories; Sampling the Autobiographical Memory Base*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association. November 1997. Washington, D.C.

Schrauf, Robert W. 1995. *(Re)Memory: Cultural Schemata and The (Re)Construction of Autobiographical Memory*. Paper presented at The Invited Session: Culture and Memory. The Society for Psychological Anthropology, October 4-6, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

NON-REFEREED PRESENTATIONS (regional, national, and international meetings)

Schrauf, Robert W. *Clinical medical interpreting: A new profession on the health care horizon*. Presentation to the Center for Healthcare Research and Policy. Penn State University, University Park. February, 2008.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Reversion to the first language in Alzheimer's disease*. Untangling Selfhood: The History and Experience of Alzheimer's: Symposium organized by the Rock Ethics Institute of Pennsylvania State University. University Park, PA. March 2007

Schrauf, Robert W. *Shifts in the Meaning of Emotion Across the Lifespan: A Cross-Linguistic Study*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Pragmatics Association. Toronto, July 2003.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Psychometrics, Dementia, and Cognitive Anthropology*. Paper presented at the Annual Workshop of the Association of Anthropologists and Gerontologists, May 2002. Chicago, IL.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Does Thinking in Spanish Affect Problem Solving in English?* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research. February 2000. New Orleans, Louisiana.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Mother Tongue Maintenance*. Paper presented in the Invited Session on World-Wide Comparisons. Annual Meeting of the Society for Cross-Cultural Research. February 1999. Santa Fe, New Mexico.

DEPARTMENTAL AND UNIVERSITY COLLOQUIA [Invited Papers]

Schrauf, Robert W. *How Old is 'Too Old' to Learn Another Language?* Invited presentation at Temple University, sponsored by the College of Education and Fox School of Business, October 28, 2005.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Immigration, Language, and Memory*. Invited talk, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. December 17, 2003.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Immigration Reshapes the Mind: Studies of Bilingual Ethnic Elders*. Invited talk, Department of Linguistics and Applied Language Studies. Pennsylvania State University. September 12, 2003.

Schrauf, Robert W. *A Cognitive and Neuropsychological View of 'Linguacultural' Memory.* Presentation made to the Emory University Center for Myth and Ritual in American Life. Atlanta, Georgia. October 17, 2001.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Bilingual Memory: Cross-Cultural Studies of Inner Speech.* Paper presented at the University of Chicago Committee on Human Development series "Culture, Life-Course, and Mental Health Workshop." April 24, 2001.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Cognitive Aging, Immigration, and Bilingual Memory.* Paper presented at the Northwestern University Department of Linguistics & Department of Communication Sciences Colloquia Series "Language and Cognition," April 9, 2001. Chicago, IL.

Schrauf, Robert W. *Bilingualism, Autobiographical Memory, and Dementia.* Paper presented at the Northwestern University Cognitive Neurology and Alzheimer's Disease Center Seminar, January 18, 2001. Chicago, IL.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

AAA	American Anthropological Association
AAAL	American Association for Applied Linguistics
APA	American Psychological Association
APS	Association for Psychological Science
AAGE	Association for Anthropology and Gerontology
GSA	Gerontological Society of America
INS	International Neuropsychological Society
SCCR	Society for Cross-Cultural Research
SMA	Society for Medical Anthropology
SPA	Society for Psychological Anthropology

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Immediate Past-President (2009-2011)

Association for Anthropology and Gerontology

Associate Editor

Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology

Editorial Board

TESOL Quarterly

Reviewer for Refereed Journals

American Journal of Psychology
Cross-Cultural Research
Culture and Psychology
Field Methods
International Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry
Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology
Journal of Cross-Cultural Psychology
Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved

Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society
Journal of Memory and Language
Journal of Multilingual and Multicultural Development
Journal of Personality
Memory and Cognition
Psychological Science
TESOL Quarterly
Theory and Psychology
 Routledge and Psychology Press

Grant Review

Alzheimer's Association
 National Research Council of Canada/Conseil national de recherches Canada
 Partner University Fund / French American Cultural Exchange

Referee

Annual Margaret Clark Award in Anthropology and Gerontology
 MacArthur Foundation: Fellows Program

National Committee Member

Research, Education, and Practice Committee, joint committee of the Gerontological Society of America and the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education

Invited Participant

National Institute on Aging / Alzheimer's Association Workshop: Racial and Cultural Effects on Measurement of Cognition, 10/31/01-1/1/01, Bethesda, Maryland.

National Institute on Aging Workshop: Cognition in Context, 4/8/02-4/9/02, Bethesda, Maryland.

National Institute of Mental Health Technical Assistance Workshop in Acculturation Theory and Research, Bethesda, Maryland, 1996.

Symposia Organized

"It's Like Dust, It Just Accumulates": Reframing Memory Loss and Behavioral Change as Alzheimer's Disease. Symposium at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. San Francisco, 2007.

"Reminiscence, Diversity, and Psychosocial Health. Symposium at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. San Francisco, 2007.

"The Creative Legacy of Narrative, Reminiscence, and Life Review. Invited Symposium of the Research, Education, and Practice Committee of the Gerontological Society of America and the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. Dallas, 2006.

"Language, Health, and Aging" Sixth Annual Workshop of the Association for Anthropology and Gerontology, March 16-18, University Park, PA.

Developing Culturally Sensitive and Linguistically Appropriate Questionnaires and Scales for Health Care Research. Symposium at the Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association. Chicago, 2003.

Bilingualism in Normal Aging and Alzheimer's Disease. Fourth International Symposium on Bilingualism. April 2003. Arizona State University.

Aging, Cognition, and Dementia: Contributions from the Anthropological Perspective. Annual Conference of the Association for Anthropology and Gerontology. May 2002. Northwestern University, Chicago, IL.

Dementia and Cognitive Disorders: Intersections of Culture and Biology. 100th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November 2001, Washington, D.C.

Cultural Models and Schema Theory: Present Issues and Future Developments. 99th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November 2000, San Francisco, CA.

Making Selections: On Collecting and Analyzing Narratives and Life-Histories. 96th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, November 1997. Washington, D.C.

HONORS AND AWARDS

National Institute of Mental Health and University of San Diego, *Ninth Annual Summer Research Institute in Geriatric Psychiatry*, 2003.

Brookdale Foundation/National Institute on Aging, *Summer Institute on Aging Research*, 2000.

National Science Foundation, *Summer Institutes in Comparative Anthropological Research*, 1998.

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Pennsylvania State University:

Departmental

- 2006- Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, Department of Linguistics and Applied Language Studies
- 2006-2008 Director of Graduate Students, Department of Linguistics and Applied Language Studies
- 2005-2006 Member, Search Committee for new departmental chair, Department of Linguistics and Applied Language Studies
- 2005-2006 Member Search Committee for new faculty position, Department of Linguistics and Applied Language Studies
- 2004-2005 Member, Curriculum Review Committee, Department of Linguistics and Applied Language Studies
- 2004- Co-chair, Language, Health, and Aging Research Group, Department of Linguistics and Applied Language Studies

Pennsylvania State University:

College of Health and Human Development

- 2006- Faculty affiliate, Center for Health Care and Policy Research
- 2004- Faculty affiliate, The Gerontology Center at Penn State, College of Health and Human Development

Northwestern University:
Feinberg School of Medicine

- 2001- 2004 Fellow, Northwestern University Cognitive Neurology – Alzheimer’s Disease Center
- 2001- 2004 Buehler Center on Aging, Minority Recruitment Committee
- 2001- 2004 Northwestern University Alzheimer’s Disease Research Center, Educational Core

THESIS COMMITTEES (Linguistics and Applied Language Studies unless otherwise noted)

Chair

Chas Brua (expected 2009)
 Patria Lopez (expected 2009)
 Priscilla Ortiz (expected 2011)

Committee Member

<i>Lopez, Patria</i>	<i>APLNG</i>	<i>Chair</i>
<i>Brua, Chas</i>	<i>APLNG</i>	<i>Chair</i>
<i>Ortiz, Priscilla</i>	<i>APLNG</i>	<i>Chair</i>
Alco, Bonnie	APLNG	Member
Beckett, Tracy	APLNG	Member
Davis, Tracy	APLNG	Member
Lee, Hyewon	APLNG	Member
Malone, Mary Kathryn	APLNG	Member
Navarre, Amber	APLNG	Member
Pajtek, Alina	APLNG	Member
Smolic, Elizabeth	APLNG	Member
Youn, Jiyung	APLNG	Member
Taverno, Sharon	BBH	Member
Cardimona, Kimberly	C & I	Member
McGovern, Janice	German	Member
Kitko, Lisa	Nursing	Member
Steis, Melinda	Nursing	Member
Ribeira, Nuno	RPTM	Member
Linck, Jared	Psychology	Member

David Rakofsky, PhD (2003) School of Professional Psychology, Argosy University.