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EDUCATION

Anticipated 2026	**Ph.D. Demography** **University of California, Berkeley** *Research interests*: social stratification, computational demography, public policy, mortality modeling, health, gender
2023	**M.A. Statistics** **University of California, Berkeley** Courses taken in probability theory, classical statistics, computational statistics, experimental design, linear models
2021	**M.S. Sociology** **Brigham Young University** *Thesis*: Occupational Attainment in Germany and the United States 2000-2016: The Role of Gender and Immigration Status *Committee:* Scott Sanders, Michael Cope, Jane Lopez
2020	**B.S. Sociology** **Brigham Young University**	*Valedictorian* *Capstone*: Women's Issues in Northern Thailand: An Examination of Chiang Mai's NGO Sector

EXPERIENCE

Mar 2024 - Present	**Team Lead** for Predicting Fertility Data Challenge (PreFer)
Jan 2024 - Present	**Graduate Student Instructor** for Economic Demography C175, University of California, Berkeley
June - Aug 2022 & June - Aug 2023	**Graduate Student Researcher,** Department of Demography, University of California, Berkeley
Sept 2020 - May 2021	**Graduate Research Assistant**, Department of Sociology, Brigham Young University
Sept 2017 - Aug 2020	**Undergraduate Research Assistant,** Department of Sociology, Community Studies Lab, Brigham Young University
Jan - Aug 2019	**Primary Investigator,** Project Evaluation and Assessment Team, Brigham Young University

Sept 2019 - May 2020   **Teaching Assistant**, Ballard Center for Social Impact, Brigham Young University

Sept 2018 - May 2019   **President**, Women's Studies Honor Society, Brigham Young University

Sept - Dec 2018   **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Sociology, Methods of Research, Brigham Young University

PUBLISHED WORK

Park, Paige N. 2022. "Occupational Attainment Among Parents in Germany and the US 2000-2016: The Role of Gender and Immigration Status." *Population Research and Policy Review.* 41(6): 2447-2492.

Park, Paige N., and Jane Lilly Lopez**.** 2021. "Of One Fold: How Religion, Culture, and Gender Intersect to Shape Integration for International Migrants Settling in Utah, USA." *Ethnography and Qualitative Research.* 14(3): 503-525.

Park, Paige N., Scott R. Sanders, Michael R. Cope, Kayci A. Muirbrook, Carol Ward. 2021. "New Perspectives on the Community Impact of Rural Education Deserts." *Sustainability.* 13(4): 12124.

Cope, Michael R., Kayci A. Muirbrook, **Paige N. Park**, Scott R. Sanders, Carol Ward, Rachel M. Sumsion. 2023. "Understanding Environmentalism: The Interplay between Politics and Religion on Environmental Attitudes from Rural Utah." *Society & Natural Resources.* 36(4):405-424.

Cope, Michael R., Kayci A. Muirbrook, Jorden E. Jackson, **Paige N. Park**, Carol Ward, Curtis Child, and Jonathan A. Jarvis. 2021. "Experiences with General Education: How Sense of Community Shapes Students' Perceptions." *Sage Open.* 11(4): 1-19.

Cope, Michael R., Jorden E. Jackson, Kayci M. Muirbrook, Carol Ward, **Paige N. Park**, and Genevieve M. Smith. 2021. "Sense of Community on Collegiate Campus and Graduation Expectations: An Exploratory Study." *SN Social Sciences.* 1(2): 1-19.

Sanders, Scott R., Michael R. Cope, **Paige N. Park**, Wesley R. Jeffery, and Jorden E. Jackson. 2020. "Infants without Health Insurance: Racial/Ethnic and Rural/Urban Disparities in Infant Households' Insurance Coverage." *PLOS ONE.* 15(1)e0222387: 1-13.

Cope, Michael R., **Paige N. Park**, Jorden E. Jackson, Kayci A Muirbrook, Carol Ward, Scott S. Sanders, and Ralph B. Brown. 2020. "Theoretical Discussion on Community as Story and the Dynamic Nature of Community: Perceptions, Place, and Narratives about Change." In *New Horizons in Education and Social Studies*, Vol.2, edited by Vlasta Hus, UK: Book Publisher International. DOI: 10.9734/bpi/nhess/v2

Park, Paige N. 2019. "How Places Make Us: Novel LBQ Identities in Four Small Cities, by Japonica Brown-Saracino, Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2018. 295 pp. $35.00 (paper). ISBN-13: 978-0-226-36125-3." *Rural Sociology* 1 (2019): 184-186.

Cope, Michael R., **Paige N. Park**, Jorden E. Jackson, Kayci A. Muirbrook, Scott R. Sanders, Carol Ward, and Ralph B. Brown. 2019. "Community as Story and the Dynamic Nature of Community: Perceptions, Place, and Narratives about Change." *Social Sciences* 8(70): 1-16.

SELECTED MANUSCRIPTS IN DRAFT

Park, Paige N. "Can Deep Learning Predict Mortality Shocks?" Intended for *Demography*.

Park, **Paige N.** and Joshua R. Goldstein. "Modeling Mortality Reversals in Low Mortality Settings: Does Disaggregation Improve Parameter Estimation?" Intended for *Population, Space, and Place*.

Dow, William, Julia Goodman, Paloma Lin, and **Paige N. Park.** "Learning from Employer Responses to Paid Leave Policy Expansions During the COVID-19 pandemic." Intended for *Journal of Health Politics Policy and Law*.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

"Mortality Reversals in the US: Geographic Patterns and New Modeling Approaches." Paper presented at the Population Association of America conference, Columbus, OH, 2024.

"Learning from Employer Responses to Paid Leave Policy Expansions During the COVID-19 pandemic." Paper presented at the Population Association of America conference, New Orleans, LA, 2023.

"Psychological Sense of Community in Rural Utah: The Religious Divide." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Pacific Sociological Association, Oakland, CA, 2019.

TECHNICAL COURSEWORK

STAT 201A	Introduction to Probability at an Advanced Level
STAT 201B	Introduction to Statistics at an Advanced Level
STAT 243	Introduction to Statistical Computing
STAT 230A	Linear Models
STAT 232	Experimental Design
SOC 273L	Computational Social Science
DEMOG 210	Demographic Methods: Rates & Structures

SUMMER INTERNSHIPS AND PROGRAMS

2020	The American Enterprise Institute's Summer Honors Program
2019	Project Evaluation & Assessment Team (PEAT) Internship