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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Postgraduate

2016- 2018 Yale University
New Haven, Connecticut

Postdoctoral Research Fellow

Interdisciplinary HIV Prevention Training Program

Graduate

2010- 2016 The University of North Carolina
Chapel Hill, North Carolina

PhD (2016), Health Behavior

Dissertation: Religiosity, racial identity, and sexual initiation among Black American adolescents

2007- 2010 Columbia University
New York, New York

MPH (2010), Sociomedical Sciences

Thesis: The role of the “Black Church” in the HIV/AIDS crisis: A mixed methods case study of a Harlem church

Undergraduate

1999- 2003 Dartmouth College
Hanover, New Hampshire

AB (2003), Sociology; African and African American Studies

APPOINTMENTS AND POSITIONS

2018- present George Washington University
Milken Institute School of Public Health
Washington, DC

Associate Professor (with tenure), Department of Prevention and Community Health

Assistant Professor, Department of Prevention and Community Health

2019- present Yale School of Public Health
New Haven, CT

Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences

2022- present Whitman-Walker Institute
Washington, DC

Affiliated Investigator

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

- Social-structural and cultural determinants of substance use and sexual behaviors among racial/ethnic and sexual and gender minority adolescents and emerging adults
- Examining mechanisms connecting discriminatory neighborhood environments to health inequities
- Community-based participatory research—concept mapping, photovoice, crowdsourcing
- Geospatial and electronic interventions (e.g., smart phones, web interventions) to promote HIV prevention and treatment

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS (*denotes competitive)

2023	GW Academic Leadership Academy*
2023	GW Nashman Center for Civic Engagement and Public Service Faculty Fellowship*
2022	Planning for Success Fellowship, Emory University CFAR*
2019	HopeLab Foundation Early Career Investigator Award*
2019-2024	NIMHD Loan Repayment Program Award*
2018	HIV Prevention Trials Network (HPTN) Domestic Scholars Fellow*
2018	NIDA Diversity Scholars Network Fellow*
2017	Yale University Fund for Lesbian and Gay Studies (FLAGS) Research Award*
2016	NIDA HIV/AIDS, Substance Abuse, and Trauma Training Program Scholar, University of California, Los Angeles*
2016	NIMH Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, Yale University*
2015	Art and Global Health Center Travel Award, University of California, Los Angeles
2015	Initiative for Minority Excellence Scholar Award, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*
2015	Student Scholarship Award—Spirituality, Theology, and Health, Duke University*
2014	Department Travel Award, Health Behavior, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*
2013- 2016	NIAID Predoctoral Fellowship, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*
2013- 2014	Future Faculty Fellowship, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*
2012	James A. Ferguson Emerging Infectious Diseases Fellowship, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Office of Minority Health and Health Equity, Johns Hopkins University*
2003	Best Intern Class of 1966 Award, The John Sloan Dickey Center for International Understanding, Dartmouth College*
2003	Honors, Bachelor of Arts, Dartmouth College
2002	Dickey International Fellowship, The John Sloan Dickey Center for International Understanding, Dartmouth College*

GRANT/RESEARCH SUPPORT

Ongoing

06/2024	<p>R01MD018679, Understanding the role of structural oppression for suicide risk among Black sexual and gender minority adolescents and young adults (MPI: English and Busby) Role: Co-Investigator Total Costs: \$3,116,792 We will create a database of novel metrics that quantify state-level structural oppression for Black sexual and gender minority (SGM) adolescents and young adults (AYA) and estimate longitudinal models to examine associations from the structural oppression to later suicidal thoughts and behaviors with a national sample of 1,000 Black SGM AYA.</p>
09/2023	<p>R01MD019029, Assessing intersectional, multilevel and multidimensional structural racism for English- and Spanish-speaking populations in the US (PI: Villalonga) Role: Consultant Total Costs: \$2,853,000 There is an urgent public health need to collect valid and reliable data on structural racism before effective interventions to reduce structural racism can be designed. In this study, we will create an intersectional, multilevel, and multidimensional structural racism measure that includes economic indicators, has measurement invariance (or equivalence), and is valid for both Blacks and Hispanics/Latinos.</p>

- 08/2023 R01MD018502, The impact of individual- and neighborhood-level social connectedness on mental health in Black adults (PI: Ransome)
Role: Consultant
 Total Costs: \$2,568,600
 This project will use data from the robust Midlife in the United States (MIDUS) study to address how social connectedness contributes to reducing the risk of poor mental health among Black adults in the United States. Quantitative and qualitative findings are proposed to elucidate key psychosocial pathways and mechanisms relevant to the social experiences of Black adults, particularly those who reside in socially disadvantaged urban neighborhoods.
- 05/2022 R01DA056264, Measuring the impact of structural racism and discrimination during adolescence on substance use, psychological distress, and criminal justice outcomes in adulthood (MPI: Taggart and Gottfredson)
Role: Co-Principal Investigator
 Total Costs: \$2,800,000
 Structural racism and discrimination (SRD) places rural Black Americans at the highest risk for virtually every adverse health outcome. We will extend *The Context Study*, a large (n= 8,200), seven-wave panel study of public-school children in three racially diverse, predominantly rural counties in North Carolina. We will measure the short- and long-term consequences of adolescent SRD exposure within neighborhoods, schools, and peer networks and gather evidence on structural and community-level leverage points that will enable future interventions to have the greatest impact.
- 03/2022 UG3/UH3A1169655, Limited Interaction Targeted Epidemiology (LITE-2) to Advance HIV Prevention
Role: Co-Principal Investigator
 Study Title: *Multilevel strategies to understand and modify the role of structural and environmental context on HIV inequities for sexual and gender minorities of color* (MPI: Taggart & Rendina)
 Total Costs: \$10,000,000
 Black, Latinx, and Multiracial (BLM) sexual and gender minorities who have sex with men (SGMSM) are at disproportionately high risk for HIV infection, yet little research has been powered to examine whether exposure to oppressive social-structural factors vis-à-vis inequitable risk environments drives BLM SGMSM's inequitable rates of HIV. In this study, we will establish a large nationwide cohort (n= 5,000) of BLM SGMSM and follow them to examine social-structural predictors (i.e., state- and local- level laws, policies, and social climate) of HIV seroconversion and access to emerging HIV prevention technologies. Understanding Policies and Laws through an Intersectional Framework to end new Transmissions (UPLIFT) cohort.
- 07/2021 NIH/DC CFAR Administrative Supplement
Role: Co-Investigator
 Study Title: *Addressing intersectional and social-structural barriers to ending the HIV epidemic in Black sexual minority men and Black heterosexual women* (PI: Bowleg)
 Total Costs: \$293,229
 The goal of this project is to advance empirical knowledge about how “economic, political and social contexts,” the outer setting domain of the Consolidated Framework for Implantation Research (CFIR), shape BSMM’s and BHW’s engagement with three EHE pillars: Diagnose, Treat, and Prevent. The project’s ultimate objective is to develop an implementation strategy to help DC Health achieve two implementation outcomes: reduce BSMM’s and BHW’s HIV incidence and time to viral suppression.

<p>Under Review (as PI ONLY) 10/2023</p>	<p>R01, A community driven modeling approach for identifying community & policy-level interventions to address the impact of structural racism and discrimination on adolescent substance use and mental health This project aims to address the pervasiveness of structural racism and discrimination (SRD) and its impact on the health of rural Black adolescents. Integrating Life Course Theory with community-based systems dynamics, our study will investigate potential intervention strategies aimed at reducing adolescent exposure to SRD and mitigating the impact of SRD within neighborhoods, schools, and peer networks on adolescent substance use and mental health. Study findings will yield data-driven recommendations for policy and community-level interventions; offering insights into key implementation factors while advancing efforts to reduce adolescent health inequities.</p>
<p>Completed</p>	
<p>2021- 2023</p>	<p>NIH/DC CFAR Academic-Community Partnership Awards, <i>Faith, spirituality, and ART adherence among Black women living with HIV</i> (MPI: Taggart & Abdullah) Role: Co-Principal Investigator</p>
<p>2021- 2022</p>	<p>Viiv Healthcare, <i>Women’s PrEP preferences outside of trial settings</i> (PI: Kerrigan) Role: Co-Investigator</p>
<p>2021- 2022</p>	<p>Viiv Healthcare, <i>Patient provider shared decision-making tool for PrEP options</i> (PI: Kerrigan) Role: Co-Investigator</p>
<p>2021- 2023</p>	<p>GWU Cross Disciplinary Research Fund, <i>Advancing Black women’s health: Investigating the biological embodiment of intersectional discrimination</i> (MPI: Taggart & Zota) Role: Co-Principal Investigator</p>
<p>2020- 2023</p>	<p>Milken Institute SPH Research Innovation Award, <i>Formative research to create a “Welcome MAT” to increase engagement in medication assisted treatment (MAT) among opioid users in Washington, D.C.</i> (MPI: Kuo & Taggart) Role: Co-Principal Investigator</p>
<p>2020- 2022</p>	<p>NIH/JHU CFAR Ending the HIV Epidemic Supplement, <i>Development and evaluation of a crowdsourced U=U campaign to reduce HIV stigma and promote HIV prevention and care utilization</i> (PI: Yang) Role: Co-Investigator</p>
<p>2019- 2023</p>	<p>R21MH121313, <i>Developing and validating new measures of multilevel intersectional stigma to improve HIV prevention continuum for young Black gay bisexual and other men who have sex with men in the South</i> (PI: Bowleg) Role: Co- Investigator</p>
<p>2019- 2022</p>	<p>NIH/DC CFAR Developmental Pilot Award, <i>Crowdsourcing PrEP: A community engaged open contest approach to increasing PrEP awareness and uptake among key groups of young people</i> Role: Principal Investigator</p>
<p>2019- 2022</p>	<p>Hopelab Foundation Early Career Investigator Award, <i>Using mixed-methods and participatory approaches to examine contextual stressors and adolescent and emerging adult well-being</i> Role: Principal Investigator</p>
<p>2019- 2021</p>	<p>NIH/DC CFAR Ending the HIV Epidemic Supplement, <i>A city-wide approach to HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) scale up in multiple high-risk communities in Washington D.C.</i> (PD: Henn) Role: Co-Investigator</p>

- 2019- 2021 NIH/DC CFAR Ending the HIV Epidemic Supplement, *The development of responsive health department HIV “Data to Action” strategies through community engagement* (PD: Allston and Saffir-Callaway)
Role: **Co-Investigator**
- 2018- 2019 HIV Prevention Trials Network Domestic Scholars Program (PI: Cohen and El-Sadr), *The influence of religiosity and other psychosocial factors on HIV risk behaviors among Black MSM*
Role: **HPTN Scholar**
- 2017- 2019 NIMH Pilot Grant to CIRA P30 (PI: Cleary), *Who’s on board: Parent, child, and provider attitudes towards the feasibility of PrEP uptake among Black and Latino adolescents*
Role: **Principal Investigator**
- 2017- 2019 R25DA035692, UCLA HIV/AIDS, Substance Abuse, and Trauma Training Program (PI: Milburn & Wyatt), *Neighborhoods, social networks, and racial discrimination: An activity space approach to understanding HIV risk behaviors among Black emerging adult males*
Role: **Principal Investigator**
- 2016- 2018 NIMH Pilot Grant to CIRA P30 (PI: Cleary), *Expanding women’s reproductive health options in small urban areas: Development and evaluation of a clinical implementation program to integrate HIV biomedical prevention into reproductive health services* (PI: Calabrese)
Role: **Postdoctoral Fellow**
- 2016- 2018 R21DA031146, *Using cell phones to Understand Social Networks of Young Men* (PI: Kershaw)
Role: **Postdoctoral Fellow**
- 2016- 2018 T32MH020031, *Interdisciplinary HIV Prevention Training Program* (PI: Kershaw)
Role: **Postdoctoral Fellow**
- 2013- 2016 T32AI007001, *Training in Sexually Transmitted Diseases and HIV* (PI: Miller)
Role: **Predocctoral Fellow**

RESEARCH AND CONSULTATION EXPERIENCE

- 2018- present **Consultant.** HealthHIV. Various training activities related to HIV, substance use, social determinants of health, and community-engaged clinical care.
- 2015- 2016 **Consultant.** Kaleidoscope Pathways, LLC. *W.K. Kellogg Foundation’s New Orleans Young Men and Boys of Color Initiative.*
- 2014- 2016 **Project Manager and Field Trainer.** UNC Department of Health Behavior—Men’s Health Research Lab. *Neighborhoods, daily stress, affect regulation, & Black emerging adult male substance use* (PI: Powell).
- 2014- 2015 **Graduate Research Assistant.** UNC Department of Social Medicine. *Unintended and intended implications of HIV cure: A social and ethical analysis* (PI: Tucker & Rennie).
- 2013- 2014 **Graduate Research Assistant.** UNC Center for Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. *AMP! Arts-based multiple-intervention peer-education approach to adolescent sexual health education and HIV prevention* (PI: Lightfoot), implementing and evaluating a comprehensive sexual health education intervention in public schools.
- 2013- 2014 **Project Coordinator.** UNC Institute on Aging. *Black family reunion project: Colorectal cancer risk and prevention* (PI: Linnan & Dillworth-Anderson).
- 2013- 2014 **Graduate Research Assistant.** UNC Department of Social Medicine. Research assistant to Malika Roman Isler, PhD, MPH.
- 2011- 2012 **Graduate Research Assistant.** UNC Center for Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. *FOY+ImPACT Focus on youth and informed parents and children together* (PI: Lightfoot), implementing and evaluating an HIV prevention and sexual health education program in Black Churches. *Heart healthy lenoir* (PI: Ammerman), photovoice in rural North Carolina.

- 2011- 2011 **Graduate Research Assistant.** UNC Center for Community Capital. *Save NYC* and *Bridges2Success* community programs.
- 2010- 2010 **Graduate Research Assistant.** UNC-Shaw Center of Research to Eliminate Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities. *Are we our brother's keeper?* (PI: Eng) an intervention to improve rural African American male's cardiovascular and general health.
- 2006- 2010 **Clinical Research Manager.** Columbia University Medical Center, Department of Cardiothoracic Anesthesia and Department of Medicine, New York, NY.
- 2003- 2006 **Clinical Project Coordinator.** Mount Sinai School of Medicine, Department of Oncological Sciences, Cancer Prevention & Control, New York, NY. Biobehavioral Sciences Unit (PI: Bovbjerg); *Survivors in spirit* (PI: Thompson).

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS (*denotes student or trainee author)

- Gullahorn B*, Kuo I, Robinson AM, Bailey J, Loken J, **Taggart T** (2024). Identifying facilitators and barriers to the uptake of medication for opioid use disorder (MOUD) in Washington, DC: A community engaged concept mapping approach. *Plos One* —Accepted for publication
- Ransome Y, **Taggart T**, Huang AS*, Vermund SH, Mayer KH, Nunn AS (2023). Increasing spiritual beliefs are associated with lower HIV incidence among Black men who have sex with men: Results From HPTN 061 longitudinal study. *Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes*, 94(3), 196-202.
- Taggart T**, Smiley S, Ritchwood TD (2023). Advancing public health and social equity through research, training, and action. *American Journal of Public Health*, 113(S2), S98-S101.
- Ransome Y, Valido A*, Espelage D, Clements GL*, Harrell C*, Eckel C*, Price N*, Nassau R*, Nyhan K, **Taggart T** (2023). A systematic review of how social connectedness impacts associations between racism and discrimination on health outcomes. *Epidemiologic Reviews*, 45(1), 44-62.
- Taggart T**, Sawyer S*, Andreou A*, Kershaw T, Milburn NG (2023). “But I live here too”: Resiliency among urban dwelling Black emerging adult men experiencing social-structural stressors and racial discrimination. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 2023, 1-12.
- Fuss C*, Romm KF*, Crawford ND, Harrington KR*, Wang Y, Ma Y, **Taggart T**, Ruiz MS, Berg, CJ. (2023). Psychosocial correlates of opioid use profiles among young adults in a longitudinal study across 6 US metropolitan areas. *Substance Use & Misuse*, 58(8), 981-988.
- Taggart T**, Ransome Y, Andreou A*, Song I*, Kershaw T, Milburn NG (2023). Activity space assessments and neighborhood exposure to racism-related stress and related substance use, among young Black men, Connecticut 2019. *American Journal of Public Health*, 113(S2), S136-S139.
- Zota AR, Chu MDT*, Marfori CQ, Khati NJ, Al-Hendy A, **Taggart T** (2022). Adverse childhood events and symptom-related quality of life among women undergoing hysterectomy for uterine leiomyoma. *American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology*, 227(2), 351-353.
- Taggart T**, Rendina HJ, Boone CA*, Burns P, Carter J*, English D, Hull S, Massie JS, Mbaba M*, Mena L, del Río-González AM, Shalhav O*, Talan AJ, Wolfer C*, Bowleg L (2022). Stigmatizing spaces and places as axes of intersectional stigma among sexual minority men in HIV prevention research. *American Journal of Public Health*, 112(S4), S371-S373.
- Kerrigan D, Mantsios A, Karver TS*, Davis W, **Taggart T**, Calabrese S, Mathews A, Robnsinson S, Ruffin R, Feaster-Bethea G, Quinteros-Grady L, Galvis C, Reyes R, Martinez G, Tasfahun M, Lane A, Peeks S, Henderson K, Harris K (2022). Context and considerations for the development of community-informed health communication messaging to support equitable uptake of COVID-19 vaccines among communities of color in Washington, D.C. *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities*, 10(1), 395-409.
- Whitfield DL, Nelson LE, Komárek A, Turner D*, Ni Z*, Boyd D, **Taggart T**, Ramos SR, Wilton L, Beauchamp G, Hightow-Weidman L, Shoptaw S, Magnus M, Mayer KH, Fields SD, Wheeler DP for the HIV Prevention Trials Network (HPTN) 073 Study Team (2022). Implementation of client-centered care coordination for HIV Prevention with Black men who have sex with men: Activities, personnel costs and outcomes. *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities*, 1-10.

12. Karver TS*, Atkins K, Fonner VA, Rodriguez-Diaz CE, Sweat MD, **Taggart T**, Yeh PT, Kennedy CE, Kerrigan DL (2022). HIV-related intersectional stigma and discrimination measurement: State of the science. *American Journal of Public Health, 112*(S4), S420-S432.
13. Earnshaw VA, Rendina HJ, Bauer GR, Bonett S, Bowleg L, Carter J, English D, Friedman MR, Hatzenbuehler ML, Johnson K, Johnson MO, McCree DH, Neilands TB, Quinn KG, Robles G, Scheim AI, Smith LR, Smith JC, Sprague L, **Taggart T**, Tsai AC, Turan B, Yang LH, Bauermeister JA, Kerrigan DL (2022). Methods in HIV-related intersectional stigma research: Core elements and opportunities. *American Journal of Public Health, 112*(S4), S413-S419.
14. Wilbourn B*, Ogburn DF, Safon CB*, Galvao RW*, Kershaw TS, Willie TC, **Taggart T**, Caldwell A, Kaplan C, Phillips N, Calabrese SK (2022). Pre-exposure prophylaxis implementation in a reproductive health setting: Perspectives from planned parenthood providers and leaders. *Health promotion practice, 24*(4), 764-775.
15. Flores DD, Greene M*, **Taggart T** (2021). Parent-child sex communication prompts, approaches, reactions, and functions according to gay, bisexual, and queer sons. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, 19*(1), 74.
16. Rao S*, Albritton T, Pina P, Liang Y*, **Taggart T** (2021). “You don’t want your parents knowing that you’re taking PrEP”: PrEP stigma among Black and Latinx adolescents. *Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care, 33*(4), 395-405.
17. Pina P, **Taggart T**, Acosta M, Eweka I*, Muñoz-Laboy M, Albritton T (2021). Provider comfort with prescribing pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) to adolescents. *AIDS Patient Care and STDs, 35*(10), 411-417.
18. **Taggart T**, Ritchwood TD, Nyhan K, Ransome Y (2021). Messaging matters: Achieving equity through public health communication. *The Lancet HIV, 8*(6), e376-e386.
19. Kudrati S*, Hayashi K, **Taggart T** (2021). Social Media & PrEP: A systematic review of social media campaigns to increase PrEP awareness & uptake among young Black and Latinx MSM and women. *AIDS and Behavior, 1-10*.
20. **Taggart T**, Mayer KH, Vermund SH, Huang AS*, Hayashi K, Ransome Y (2021). Interaction of religion/spirituality with internalized HIV stigma, depression, alcohol use, and sexual risk among Black men who have sex with men: The six city HPTN 061 study. *Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes, 87*(2), e188-e197.
21. Calabrese SK, Lane SB, Caldwell A, Kaplan C, Dovidio JF, Galvao RW*, Ogburn DF, Safon CB, Tekeste M*, **Taggart T**, Modrakovic D*, Wilbourn BC*, Blackstock O, & Kershaw TS (2020). Electronic dissemination of a web-based video promotes PrEP contemplation and conversation among US women engaged in care at Planned Parenthood. *AIDS and Behavior, 1-18*.
22. **Taggart T**, Liang Y*, Pina P, Albritton T (2020). Awareness of and willingness to use PrEP among Black and Latinx adolescents residing in higher prevalence areas in the United States. *Plos One, 15*(7): e0234821.
23. Smiley SL, Milburn NG, Nyhan K, **Taggart T** (2020). A systematic review of recent methodological approaches for using ecological momentary assessment to examine outcomes in US based HIV research. *Current HIV/AIDS Reports, 17*, 333–342.
24. Willie TC, Kershaw T, Blackstock O, Galvao RW*, Safon CB, Tekeste M*, Ogburn D, Wilbourn B*, Modrakvoic D*, **Taggart T**, Kaplan C, Caldwell A, & Calabrese SK (2020). Racial and ethnic differences in women's HIV risk and attitudes towards pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) in the context of the substance use, violence, and depression syndemic. *AIDS Care, 33*(2), 219-228.
25. Vigliotti V*, **Taggart T**, Walker M, Kusumastuti S, Ransome Y (2020). The role of religion, faith, and spirituality on HIV prevention activities: A scoping review. *Plos One, 15*(6), e0234720.
26. **Taggart T**, Milburn NG, Nyhan K, Ritchwood TD (2020). Utilizing a life course approach to examine HIV risk for Black adolescent girls and young adult women in the US: A systematic review of recent literature. *Ethnicity and Disease, 30*(2), 277-286.
27. Hope MO, **Taggart T**, Galbraith-Gyan K, Nyhan K (2020). Black Caribbean emerging adults: A systematic review of religion and health. *Journal of Religion and Health, 59*(1), 431-451.

28. **Taggart T**, Bond KT, Ritchwood T, Smith JC* (2019). Getting youth PrEPared: Adolescent consent laws and implications for the availability of PrEP among youth in countries outside of the United States. *Journal of the International AIDS Society*, 22(7), e25363.
29. Hamilton A*, Shin S, **Taggart T**, Whembolua GL, Martin I, Budhwani H, Conserve DF (2019). HIV testing barriers and intervention strategies among men, transgender women, female sex workers, and incarcerated persons in the Caribbean: A systematic review. *Sexually Transmitted Infections*, 96(3), 189-196.
30. Jones C*, Ritchwood T, **Taggart T** (2019). Barriers and facilitators to the successful transition of adolescents living with HIV from pediatric to adult care in low and middle-income countries: A systematic review and policy analysis. *AIDS and Behavior*, 23(9), 2498-2513.
31. **Taggart T**, Powell W, Gottfredson N, Ennett S, Eng E, Chatters LM (2019). A person-centered approach to the study of Black adolescent religiosity, racial identity, and sexual initiation. *Journal of Research on Adolescence*, 29(2), 402-413.
32. Calabrese SK, Willie TC*, Galvao RW*, Tekeste M*, Dovidio JF, Safon CB, Blackstock O, **Taggart T**, Kaplan C, Caldwell A, & Kershaw TS. Current US guidelines for prescribing HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) disqualify many women who are at risk and motivated to use PrEP (2019) *Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome*, 81(4), 395-405.
33. Tekeste M*, Hull S, Dovidio JF, Safon CB, Blackstock O, **Taggart T**, Kershaw TS, Kaplan C, Caldwell A, Lane SB, Calabrese SK (2018). Differences in medical mistrust Between Black and White women: Implications for patient-provider communication about PrEP. *AIDS and Behavior*, 1-12.
34. Calabrese SK, Dovidio JF, Tekeste M*, **Taggart T**, Galvao RW*, Safon CB, Willie TC*, Caldwell A, Kaplan C, Kershaw TS (2018). HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis stigma as a multidimensional barrier to uptake among women who attend Planned Parenthood. *Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes*, 79(1), 46-53.
35. **Taggart T**, Gottfredson N, Powell W, Ennett S, Chatters LM, Carter-Edwards L, Eng E (2018). The role of religious socialization and religiosity in African American and Caribbean Black adolescents' sexual initiation. *Journal of Religion and Health*, 57(5), 1889-1904.
36. **Taggart T**, Brown A, Kershaw T (2018). Neighborhood contexts and marijuana use among urban dwelling emerging adult men. *American Journal of Men's Health* 12(4), 944-951.
37. Ritchwood TD, Peasant C, Powell TW, **Taggart T**, Corbie-Smith G, Akers AY (2018). Predictors of caregiver communication about reproductive and sexual health and sensitive sex topics. *Journal of Family Issues*, 39(8), 2207-2231.
38. **Taggart T**, Ellen J, Arrington-Sanders R (2017). Young African American male-male romantic relationships: Experiences, expectations, and condom use. *Journal of LGBT Youth*, 14(4), 380-392.
39. Bowie J, Juon HJ, **Taggart T**, Thorpe RJ, Jr & Ensminger M (2017). Predictors of religiosity in a cohort of African Americans. *Race and Social Problems*, 9(1), 29-41.
40. **Taggart T**, Taboada A, Stein J, Milburn N, Geer D, Lightfoot A (2016). *AMP!*: A Cross-site analysis of the effects of a theater-based intervention on adolescent awareness, attitudes, and knowledge about HIV. *Prevention Science*, 17(5), 544-553.
41. Taboada A, **Taggart T**, Holloway I, Houtp A, Gordon R, Gere D, Milburn N, Lightfoot AF (2016). A critical review of the characteristics of theater-based HIV prevention interventions for adolescents in school settings. *Health Promotion Practice*, 17(4), 537-547.
42. **Taggart T**, Grewe ME, Conserve D, Gliwe C, Roman Isler M (2015). Social Media and HIV: A systematic review of uses of social media in HIV communication. *Journal of Medical Internet Research*, 17(11).
43. Kowitt S, Woods-Jaeger B, Lomas J, **Taggart T**, Thayer L, Sutton S, Lightfoot A (2015). Using photovoice to understand barriers to and facilitators of cardiovascular health among African American adults and adolescents, North Carolina, 2011–2012. *Preventing Chronic Disease*, 12.
44. Lightfoot A, Taboada A, **Taggart T**, Tran T, Burtaine A (2015). “I learned to be ok with talking about safety”: Assessing the efficacy of a theater-based HIV prevention approach for adolescents in North Carolina. *Sex Education*, 15(4), 348–363.

45. Lightfoot AF, **Taggart T**, Woods-Jaeger BA, Riggins L, Jackson MR, Eng E (2014). Where is the faith? Using a CBPR approach to propose adaptations to an evidence-based HIV prevention intervention for adolescents in African American faith settings. *Journal of Religion and Health*, 53(4), 1223-1235.
46. Woods-Jaeger BA, Carlson M, **Taggart T**, Riggins L, Lightfoot AF, & Jackson MR (2014). Engaging African American faith-based organizations in adolescent HIV prevention. *Journal of Religion and Health*, 54(4), 1358-1374.
47. Walker MD, Fleischer JB, Di Tullio R, Homma S, Rundek T, Stein EM, Zang C, **Taggart T**, McMahon DJ, Silverberg SJ (2010). Cardiac structure and diastolic function in mild primary hyperparathyroidism. *Journal of Clinical Endocrinology & Metabolism*, 95(5), 2172-9.

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW (*denotes student or trainee author)

Malekzadeh AN*, Zota AR, Lyons M*, & **Taggart T**. (under review). "Am I Truly Invisible?": Black Women's Experiences of and Coping with Intersectional Invisibility in Uterine Fibroid Treatment. *Women's Health Issues*

Taggart T, Mathews A, Junious T*, Lindsey JA*, Augustine A, Debnam C, Boyd Y, Wright S, Tucker JD, Magnus M. PrEP your step: Implementing an online crowdsourcing contest to engage young people in HIV prevention in Washington DC, USA. *PLOS ONE—revise and resubmit*

Rao S*, Safon CB*, Dovidio JF, Kaplan C, **Taggart T**, & Calabrese SK. Health service utilization among women at the intersection of sexual identity and racial/ethnic identity. *Journal of Women's Health*

BOOK CHAPTERS AND TECHNICAL REPORTS

1. Ransome Y, **Taggart T**, Kawachi I. Religion, Spirituality, and COVID-19 (2023). In DT Duncan, I Kawachi, & SS Morse (Eds), *The social epidemiology of the COVID-19 pandemic* (pp. Forthcoming). Oxford: Oxford University Press.
2. Powell W, **Taggart T**, Richmond J, Adams L, Brown A (2016). They can't breathe: Framing investigations of neighborhood stress impacts on African American emerging adult male substance use and mental health outcomes. In L.M. Burton, D. Burton, S.M. McHale, V. King, & J. Van Hook (Eds.), *Men and boys in African American families* (pp. 227-242). Switzerland: Springer.
3. Powell W, Adams LB, **Taggart T**, Richmond J, Brown A (2016). My brother's keeper initiative of Durham County: Health policy committee report. Durham County Manager's Office.
4. The Carolina Collaborative for Research on Work & Health (2015). McDowell County worksite wellness project: Report on the results of the McDowell County employer survey and employer/employee interviews. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.
5. **Taggart T** and Taboada A (2014). Arts-based multiple intervention peer-education (AMP!) Los Angeles 2012-2013, a quantitative analysis of high school participant outcomes: Final evaluation report. University of California Los Angeles.
6. Taboada A, Lightfoot A, **Taggart T**, and Tran T (2013). Piloting an Arts-based multiple intervention peer-education (AMP!) approach to adolescent sexual health education and HIV prevention in North Carolina: Final evaluation report. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

CONFERENCE ABSTRACTS (*denotes presenting author, \$ denotes student or trainee)

- 2024 **Taggart T**, Davis W, Abdullah K^{\$*}, Sichone-Cameron M, Sawyer S^{\$}, Ellis M, Kerrigan D, Kerr G*. Breaking silos, building bridges: Utilizing community-academic partnerships to implement equitable HIV research. Oral presentation at Sync Conference for HIV, HCV, STI, Harm Reduction, and LGBTQ Health; Washington, DC.

- 2024 **Taggart T***, Abdullah K^S, Habib M^S, Price N^S, Kerr G, Magnus M (2024). A qualitative study to examine HIV-related intersectional stigma, religion, spirituality, and ART adherence among Black women living with HIV in Washington, DC. Oral Presentation at International Association of Providers of AIDS Care—Continuum (formerly Adherence) Conference—Selected as top rated abstract; Fajardo, Puerto Rico.
- 2024 Faris R, Tucker L^{S*}, Hutchens E^S, **Taggart T**, Gottfredson O'Shea N, Hipp J, Espelage D, Ennett S. (2024, June 24-30). Networks of inter- and intra-racial aggression and violence and their consequences for mental health. Oral Presentation at ISNA Sunbelt; Edinburgh, Scotland.
- 2023 **Taggart T***, Rodriguez-Diaz C, Talan A, Jones S, Yamasaki V, Alden C, Rendina HJ (2023). Mpox risk perception and vaccination among a diverse sample of sexual and gender minorities. In D. Cain (Chair). *"Utilizing HIV research to understand emerging behavioral trends for COVID-19 and Mpox prevention among sexual and gender minorities in the USA."* Symposium presented at AIDS Impact Conference; Stockholm, Sweden.
- 2022 **Taggart T*** (Chair) & Ritchwood T* (2022). Launch of the 2023 AJPH Special Issue, "Achieving health equity in HIV, substance use, and trauma prevention and treatment: Mentoring to dismantle structural racism." Oral presentation and AJPH sponsored symposium at American Public Health Association annual meeting; Boston, MA
- 2022 Burgess R^{S*}, Lopez A^S, **Taggart T**, Ransome Y (2022). The rapid closure of faith-based institutions in predominantly Black areas: Using a public health framework to tackle this issue to achieve health equity. Poster presented at American Public Health Association annual meeting; Boston, MA
- 2022 Junious T^{S*}, Zota A, **Taggart T** (2022). Care, healing, & advocacy: A qualitative analysis of the impacts of gendered racism on Black women's coping strategies and inequitable fibroid outcomes. Oral presentation at Black Mamas Matter Alliance Conference; Washington, DC.
- 2021 Junious T^{S*}, Nicholas S^S, **Taggart T*** (2021). PrEP your step: Implementing an online crowdsourcing contest to engage Washington, DC youth in pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) promotion during COVID-19. Digital poster presented at Youth Tech Health Live Global; Oakland, CA.
- 2019 Pina P*, Albritton T, **Taggart T** (2019). Provider comfort with prescribing pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) to Adolescents. Poster presented at Pediatric Academic Societies meeting; Baltimore, MD.
- 2019 Pina P, Eweka I^{S*}, Acosta M, Albritton T, **Taggart T** (2019). Parental perspective on pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) use in Black and Latinx Adolescents. Poster presented at Pediatric Academic Societies Meeting; Baltimore, MD.
- 2019 **Taggart T***, Albritton T, Pina P (2019). Religiosity and pre-exposure prophylaxis (Prep): Willingness of Black and Latino adolescents who reside in a high risk urban setting to use PrEP. Poster presented at Society for Adolescent Health and Medicine meeting; Washington, DC.
- 2019 Albritton T*, **Taggart T**, Pina P, Acosta M (2019). Social, cultural, and structural gatekeepers of pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) uptake among Black and Latino adolescents who attend an adolescent medicine clinic in a high risk urban setting. Poster presentation at the International Pediatric Association Congress meeting; Panama City, Panama.
- 2019 Calabrese SK*, Galvao RW^S, Lane S, Caldwell A, Kaplan C, Ogburn D, Dovidio JF, Safon CB^S, Tekeste M^S, **Taggart T**, Modrakovid D^S, Wilbourn B^S, Blackstock O, & Kershaw TS (2019). Evaluation of a web video to promote PrEP uptake and equity among women engaged in care at Planned Parenthood. Oral presentation at National HIV Prevention Conference; Atlanta, GA.

- 2018 **Taggart T***, Albritton T, Pina P, Liang Y^s (2018). Willingness of Black and Latino adolescents in New York City to use daily oral HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP). Poster presented at International AIDS Society conference; Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- 2018 Tekeste M*^s, Hull S, Dovidio JF, Safon CB^s, Blackstock O, **Taggart T**, Kershaw TS, Kaplan C, Caldwell A, Lane SB, & Calabrese SK (2018). The implications of race and medical mistrust for women's comfort discussing PrEP with a healthcare provider. Oral presentation at the International Conference on HIV Treatment and Prevention Adherence; Miami, FL.
- 2018 Calabrese SK*, Willie TC*^s, Dovidio JF, Safon CB^s, Galvao RW^s, **Taggart T**, Kaplan C, Caldwell A, Blackstock O, Tekeste M^s, & Kershaw TS (2018). Current US guidelines for prescribing HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) disqualify many at-risk and PrEP-motivated women. Oral presentation at the International Conference on HIV Treatment and Prevention Adherence; Miami, FL.
- 2017 **Taggart T***, Adams L^s, Richmond J^s, Hoggard L, Powell W (2017). Adaptation and implementation of a smartphone application to assess neighborhood violence, alcohol, and drug exposure among young adult African American men. Poster presented at American Public Health Association annual meeting; Atlanta, GA.
- 2017 **Taggart T***, Kershaw T, Milburn N (2017). Neighborhoods, social networks, and racial discrimination: An activity space approach to understanding HIV risk behaviors among Black emerging adult males (the He-MaNN study). Poster presented at Urban Health Symposium; Philadelphia, PA.
- 2017 Albritton T*, **Taggart T**, Pina P (2017). A community-academic partnership for adolescent PrEP use. Poster presentation at RCMI Translational Science Conference; Washington, DC.
- 2017 Willie TC*^s, Alexander KA, Standard C, Winston R^s, Calabrese S, **Taggart T**, Kershaw T (2017). Can a multi-sector pre-exposure prophylaxis collaboration with IPV service providers and healthcare providers impact women's fight against HIV/AIDS?: A qualitative study. Oral presentation at National Conference on Health and Domestic Violence; San Francisco, CA.
- 2017 Hope MO*^s, **Taggart T**, Galbraith-Gyan KV, Nyhan K (2017). Caribbean American emerging adults and religiosity: A systematic review of religious influences on health outcomes. Oral presentation at Society for the Study of Emerging Adulthood conference; Washington, DC.
- 2015 **Taggart T***, Taboada A, Stein J, Milburn N, Geer D, Lightfoot A (2015). AMP!: A pilot evaluation of a theater-based HIV prevention intervention for high school students. Roundtable presentation at American Public Health Association meeting; Chicago, IL.
- 2015 Powell W*, **Taggart T**, Adams L, Richmond J, Brown A (2015). They can't breathe: Framing investigations of neighborhood stress impacts on African American emerging adult male substance use and mental health outcomes. In L. Kohn-Wood (Chair). *"The Masculinity, Affect, Neighborhoods, Health Outcomes and Opportunities for Development Study (M.A.N.H.O.O.D.S.): Exploring factors associated with risk-taking and mental health among African American emerging adult males."* Symposium presented at Society for the Study of Emerging Adulthood conference; Miami, FL.
- 2015 Powell W, **Taggart T***, Brown A, Richmond J, Adams L (2015). Neighborhoods, masculinity norms, and depressive symptomatology among African American emerging adult males: Examining mediating and moderating effects. In L. Kohn-Wood (Chair). *"The Masculinity, Affect, Neighborhoods, Health Outcomes and Opportunities for Development Study (M.A.N.H.O.O.D.S.): Exploring factors associated with risk-taking and mental health among African American emerging adult males."* Symposium presented at Society for the Study of Emerging Adulthood conference; Miami, FL.
- 2015 **Taggart T***, Grewe ME, Conserve D, Gliwe C, Roman Isler M (2015) Structures, users, benefits, and barriers of social media for communication about HIV prevention and care: a

- systematic review. Poster presented at International AIDS Society conference; Vancouver, British Columbia.
- 2014 **Taggart T***, Lightfoot A, Taboada A, Tran T, Burtaine A, Willis S, Steinert S (2014). A near peer approach to sexual health education: Findings from a North Carolina high school theater-based intervention. Poster presented at American Public Health Association annual meeting; New Orleans, LA.
- 2014 **Taggart T*** (2014). Historical and political implications of HIV cure. Oral presentation at Brocher Foundation; Geneva, Switzerland.
- 2013 **Taggart T***, Lightfoot A, Woods-Jaeger B, Jackson M, Riggins L (2013). Evaluation of an evidenced-based HIV prevention intervention to enhance relevance in African American faith settings. Roundtable presentation at American Public Health Association annual meeting; Boston, MA.
- 2013 Woods-Jaeger B*, Riggins L, Mamie C, **Taggart T**, Lightfoot A (2013). Role of faith-based settings in African American adolescent HIV. Oral presentation at American Public Health Association annual meeting; Boston, MA.
- 2013 **Taggart T***, Ellen J, Arrington-Sanders R (2013). African American adolescent male-male romantic relationships: Relationship experiences and condom use. Poster presented at Society for Adolescent Health and Medicine annual meeting; Atlanta, GA.

INVITED TALKS, LECTURES, AND MEDIA

- 2024 “Addressing place-based stigma and other social-structural barriers to health equity,” NIH Stigma Scientific Interest Group, April 17.
- 2024 “HIV research and Black women: State of the science and community-level intervention strategies to address HIV disparities,” National Week of Prayer for the Healing of AIDS, Balm in Gilead, ([link](#)) March 6.
- 2023 “Taking a strengths-based perspective for community-level interventions and policies with Black men,” Community Psychology—Social Justice Through Collaborative Research and Action, Official website of The Society for Community Research and Action (SCRA), ([link](#)) October 10.
- 2023 “Faith, spirituality, and ART adherence among Black women living with HIV: New approaches for ending the HIV epidemic,” US Conference on HIV/AIDS (USCHA), Washington, DC. September 6.
- 2023 “Using mapping to address community health disparities and social determinants of health,” Effi Barry Training Institute, Washington, DC. August 31.
- 2023 “Equitable health literacy interventions: Promoting adherence to HIV treatment and care,” International Association of Providers of AIDS Care (Adherence Conference), Fajardo, Puerto Rico. June 11.
- 2022 “Frontiers of HIV prevention research. Multi-level components of HIV prevention and men who have sex with men,” International AIDS Society conference, Montreal, Quebec. July 30
- 2022 “The evolution of HIV health communication research and its impact on key populations,” International AIDS Society conference, Montreal, Quebec. July 30.
- 2022 “Neighborhoods and health,” OT 8011: Social and Population Conditions, George Washington School of Medicine and Health Sciences, Washington, DC. November 2.
- 2022 “Cultural and social-structural determinants of HIV-related stigmas among Black people living in the United States,” University of Miami. Miami, FL. August 31.
- 2022 “Neighborhoods and health: Methods and strategies to achieve health equity,” SBS 505: Accelerated Social Justice and Health Equity, Yale School of Public Health, New Haven, CT. August 11.

- 2022 “Evidence-based engagement to address HIV stigma in faith communities,” Proclamation at the Intersections: Faith, Healing, and HIV, Dallas, TX. June 22.
- 2022 “Strategies and tips for securing NIH funding as an early career investigator,” NIDA Diversity Scholars Network, Annual Convening. May 25.
- 2022 “CBPR workshop series: Community based participatory research workshops for health and non-health researchers,” Honey G. Nashman Center. May 20 and 27.
- 2022 “Black church closure and health,” The Special Report with Areva Martin. *Digital Radio Talk Show*. May 10.
- 2022 “Deconstructing racism: Racism and its impacts on health research, medical education, and clinical practices,” AIDS Education Training Center Southeast. April 14.
- 2021 “PrEP Your Step: An interview with Dr. Tamara Taggart,” HIV Update. *Podcast*. December 17.
- 2021 “Social-structural and cultural Determinants of intersectional HIV-related stigmas among Black people in the US,” Southern HIV and Alcohol Research Consortium (SHARC). December 14.
- 2021 “Effectiveness of social media to strengthen engagement in HIV services,” New England AIDS Education Training Center. September 28.
- 2021 “Crowdsourcing PrEP: Integrating participatory action research and technology to engage young people in Washington, DC in HIV prevention,” Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Dean’s Seminar: Socio-structural factors and community driven responses to address HIV-related inequities. June 14.
- 2021 “Community engaged approaches to improving the health of racial and ethnic minority adolescents and young adults,” HopeLab Foundation. February 22
- 2020 “Faith & community engagement: How HIV is informing COVID-19 vaccine research,” InterCFAR Faith and Spirituality Research Collaborative Summer Webinar Series. August 28.
- 2020 “Crowdsourcing PrEP: Integrating participatory action research and technology to engage young people in HIV prevention,” Interdisciplinary HIV Research Seminar. Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS at Yale University, New Haven, CT. March 5.
- 2019 “Health Disparities and the role of social epidemiology,” SBS 505: Accelerated Social Justice and Health Equity, Yale School of Public Health, New Haven, CT. July 9.
- 2019 “From idea to conceptual model to causal inference,” SBS 505: Accelerated Social Justice and Health Equity, Yale School of Public Health, New Haven, CT. July 11.
- 2019 “Youth engaged approaches to address HIV disparities: From research to practice and back again,” Psychology Summer Honors Seminar, George Washington University, Washington, DC. June 25.
- 2019 “The influence of religiosity and other psychosocial factors on HIV risk behaviors among Black MSM,” HIV Prevention Trials Network Annual Meeting, Washington, DC. June 3.
- 2019 “Who’s on Board: Parent, child, and provider attitudes towards the feasibility of PrEP uptake among adolescents,” Connecticut PrEP Summit. Hartford, CT. March 29.
- 2019 “Tobacco use and PLWH,” Prince George’s County Health Department Grantee Meeting. New Carrollton, MD. February 21.
- 2018 “Community engaged approaches to addressing youth and young adult HIV disparities,” Department of Psychology Seminar Series, George Washington University, Washington, DC. November 19.
- 2018 News Article: “YSPH study reveals new findings on marijuana use among young men”, Yale School of Medicine ([link](#)), March 21; “Yale study looks at social effects of cannabis use on young minority men”, News for Cannabis Professionals ([link](#)), March 22; “Social cohesion said to be marijuana use risk factor”, Yale Daily News ([link](#)), April 02; “Yale study: rough neighborhoods, social networks may increase pot use”, New Haven Register ([link](#)), May 27.

- 2018 “Who’s on Board: A feasibility study of pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) uptake among Black and Latino adolescents,” CUNY School of Medicine, New York, NY. March 29.
- 2018 News Article: “Alumni Focus: Tamara Taggart”, UNC Carolina Chronicle, The Graduate School ([link](#)), January 12.
- 2017 “Renewing the research agenda: Prevention matters and community stakeholders,” Panelist, A Paradigm Shift Conference: The Impact of HIV/AIDS on African American Women and Families, Atlanta, GA. November 3.
- 2017 “Who’s On Board: Parent, child, and provider attitudes towards the feasibility of adolescent PrEP,” CIRA Community Research and Implementation Core, New Haven, CT. June 14.
- 2017 “HIV research and youth—finding your voice,” True Colors Annual Conference, CIRA workshop, Storrs, CT. March 17.
- 2017 “A Yale woman's survival guide to the Trump administration: Women’s rights, activism, and policy,” Moderator and panel discussant, Yale University, New Haven, CT. March 2.
- 2016 News Article: “Theater-based intervention boosts adolescent knowledge of HIV”, UNC SPH ([link](#)), April 28. Article reprinted in the Association of Schools & Programs of Public Health Member Research and Reports.
- 2016 “Health behavior theory in clinical research,” EPID 803: Clinical Research, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC. February 9.
- 2016 “Job search and interviews,” HBEH 821: Professional Development, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC. February 5.
- 2015 “Interdisciplinary training and fellowships,” Invited talk and panel discussant, Graduate Student Center, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC. November 11.
- 2014 “HIV/AIDS in Black America,” SOCI 121: Population Problems, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC. November 3.
- 2013 “Why graduate school?” North Carolina Central University Partners Panel, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC. July 19.
- 2013 “Research and practice at the UNC Department of Health Behavior,” Camp PUSH, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC. May 24.

TEACHING AND MENTORSHIP EXPERIENCE

Educational Leadership

2022- present Director, Community Oriented Primary Care MPH program, Department of Prevention and Community Health, George Washington University, Milken Institute School of Public Health (40-60 masters students)

Teaching

2024 Instructor, PUBH 6534: Community-Based Participatory Research (20 masters and doctoral students; instructor evaluation: 5/5)

2024 Instructor, PUBH 6007: Social and Behavioral Approaches to Public Health (66 masters and doctoral students; instructor evaluation: 4.7/5)

2023 Instructor, PUBH 6534: Community-Based Participatory Research (14 masters and doctoral students; instructor evaluation: 5/5)

2022 Instructor, PUBH 6534: Community-Based Participatory Research (10 masters and doctoral students; instructor evaluation: 5/5)

2022 Instructor, PUBH 6007: Social and Behavioral Approaches to Public Health (70 masters and doctoral students; instructor evaluation: 4.4/5)

2021 Instructor, PUBH 6534: Community-Based Participatory Research (23 masters and doctoral students; instructor evaluation: 5/5)

2021	Instructor, PUBH 6007: Social and Behavioral Approaches to Public Health (72 masters and doctoral students; instructor evaluation: 4.8/5)
2020	Instructor, PUBH 6534: Community-Based Participatory Research (14 masters and doctoral students; instructor evaluation: 4.8/5)
2019	Instructor, PUBH 6534: Community-Based Participatory Research (7 masters and doctoral students; instructor evaluation: 5/5)
2014	Teaching Assistant, HBHE 752: Public Health Intervention and Evaluation (44 masters students)
2013	Teaching Assistant, HBHE 741: Program Evaluation and Grant Writing (48 masters students)
2012	Teaching Assistant, HBHE 740: Intervention Design and Program Evaluation (48 masters students)
2012	Teaching Assistant, HBHE 815: Social Determinants of Health and Global Health (14 doctoral students)
2012- 2014	Teaching Assistant, HBHE 816: Social Determinants of Health and Health Behavior Theory (6-14 doctoral students)
2010- 2012	Teaching Assistant, HBHE 600: Social and Behavioral Sciences in Public Health (25-45 masters and doctoral students)

Mentoring and Advising

2018- present	Doctoral student primary advisor: 2 students
	Doctoral dissertation committee member: 2 students
	Master’s thesis supervisor: 18 students
	Master’s practicum supervisor: 2 students

PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

2023- present	DC Center for AIDS Research, Social and Behavioral Sciences Core, Associate Core Director
2023- present	GW Advisory Council on Research, Member
2023- present	GW Faculty in Residence & Faculty Partners Program, Faculty in Residence
2023- 2024	GW Nashman Center for Civic Engagement and Public Service, Faculty Fellow
2022- 2023	Healthy DC 2030, Social Determinants of Health working group, Member
2022	California HIV/AIDS Research Program, Grant Reviewer
2021- 2023	Faith Capacity Building Initiative, Gilead Sciences, Grant Reviewer
2020- present	GW Nashman Center for Civic Engagement and Public Service, Faculty Affiliate
2020- present	DC Health Places of Worship Advisory Board (POWAB), Member
2019- 2022	Annals of LGBTQ Public and Population Health, Editorial Board
2019- present	Plos One, Academic Editor
2019	SYNChronicity Conference, Planning Committee
2019	UCSF-CFAR Mentoring the Mentors, Participant
2018- present	NIH study section: Social Sciences and Population Studies; High Priority HIV and Substance Use Research; Support of Competitive Research (SCORE) Research Advancement Award; Racial Equity Initiative (REI): Addressing Racial Equity in Substance Use and Addiction Outcomes Through Community-Engaged Research; Coordination Center to Support Racial Equity and Substance Use Disparities Research; Addressing the Impact of Structural Racism and Discrimination on Minority Health and Health Disparities; Social & Community Influences across the Life Course, Ad Hoc Member
2016- present	DC Center for AIDS Research, Member
	Yale Center for Interdisciplinary Research on AIDS, Community Research and Implementation Science Core, Member
2016- 2018	

- 2016- 2020 New Haven Reads Program, Reading Tutor
Dartmouth College, Alumni Admissions Interviewer
- 2015- present International AIDS Society, Member
- 2013- 2016 UNC Men’s Health Research Lab, Member
- 2013- 2016 SEARCHIV-Social and Ethical Aspects of Research on Curing HIV, Member
- 2013- present American Public Health Association, Member
- 2013- present Ad hoc reviewer for the following journals: *AIDS, AIDS and Behavior, American Journal of Public Health, Archives of Sexual Behavior, Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology, Drug and Alcohol Dependence, International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, Journal of Adolescent Health, Journal of Health Disparities Research and Practice, Journal of International AIDS Society, Journal of Medical Internet Research, Journal of Religion and Health, Journal of Research on Adolescence, Prevention Science, Psychology of Religion and Spirituality, Public Health Reports, Qualitative Health Research, Social Forces, Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology, etc*
- 2013- present Society for Adolescent Health and Medicine, Member
- 2011- 2016 North Carolina Public Health Association, Member
- 2011- 2016 Brooks Marathon Training Program, Marathon Group Captain
- 2011- 2012 Pre-graduate School Education Advisor at UNC
- 2005- 2010 Witness Project of Harlem, Breast Cancer Prevention Health Educator
- 2003- 2010 Abyssinian Baptist Church, Health Educator