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EMPLOYMENT & APPOINTMENTS

Department Chair, UC Berkeley	2020 - 2023
Class of 1944 Professor, UC Berkeley	2019 - Present
Professor, UC Berkeley	2018 - Present
Associate Professor, UC Berkeley	2015-2018
Assistant Professor, UC Berkeley	2009-2015
Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Research Postdoctoral Scholar, UC Berkeley	2007-2009

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Sociology and Social Policy, Harvard University	2007
B.A., History and Economics, University of California, San Diego, <i>summa cum laude</i>	1997

BOOKS

Cybelle Fox. 2012. *Three Worlds of Relief: Race, Immigration, and the American Welfare State from the Progressive Era to the New Deal*. Princeton University Press

- Co-Winner, 2014, Barrington Moore Book Award, Comparative and Historical Sociology Section, American Sociological Association
- Winner, 2013, Distinguished Book Award, Latina/o Sociology Section, American Sociological Association
- Winner, 2013, Thomas and Znaniecki Best Book Award, International Migration Section, American Sociological Association
- Co-Winner, 2013, Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship Prize, Political Sociology Section, American Sociological Association
- Winner, 2012, Best Book on Latino Politics, Latino Caucus, American Political Science Association
- Winner, 2012, C. Wright Mills Book Award, Society for the Study of Social Problems

Katherine Newman, Cybelle Fox, David Harding, Jal Mehta, and Wendy Roth. 2004. *Rampage: The Social Roots of School Shootings*. Basic Books

- Finalist, 2004, C. Wright Mills Book Award, Society for the Study of Social Problems

JOURNAL ARTICLES & BOOK CHAPTERS

- Cybelle Fox. 2023. "Rethinking Sanctuary: The Origins of Non-Cooperation Policies in Social Welfare Agencies." *Law & Social Inquiry*. 48(1):175-204
- Cybelle Fox. 2021. "'Save our Senior Non-Citizens': Extending Old Age Assistance to Immigrants, 1935-1971." *Social Science History* 45(1):55-81
- Cybelle Fox. 2020. "Demography is Not Destiny," Pp. 93-114 in *Trumpism and its Discontents*, ed. Osagie K. Obasogie, Berkeley Public Policy Press
- Cybelle Fox. 2019. "'The Line Must Be Drawn Somewhere': The Rise of Legal Status Restrictions in State Welfare Policy in the 1970s." *Studies in American Political Development* 33(2):275-304
- Cybelle Fox. 2016. "Unauthorized Welfare: The Origins of Immigrant Status Restrictions in American Social Policy." *Journal of American History* 102(4):1051-1074
- Cybelle Fox and Irene Bloemraad. 2015. "Beyond 'White by Law': Explaining the Gulf in Citizenship Acquisition between Mexican and European Immigrants, 1930." *Social Forces* 94(1):181-208
- Cybelle Fox, Irene Bloemraad and Christel Kesler. 2013. "Immigration and Redistributive Social Policy." In *Immigration and Poverty*, David Card and Steven Raphael (eds.) New York: Russell Sage Foundation
- Cybelle Fox and Thomas Guglielmo. 2012. "Defining America's Racial Boundaries: Blacks, Mexicans, and European Immigrants, 1890-1945." *American Journal of Sociology* 118(2):327-379
- Cybelle Fox. 2010. "Three Worlds of Relief: Race, Immigration, and Public and Private Social Welfare Spending in American Cities, 1929." *American Journal of Sociology* 116(2):453-502
- Katherine Newman and Cybelle Fox. 2009. "Repeat Tragedy: Rampage Shootings in American High School and College Settings 2002-2008." *American Behavioral Scientist* 52(9):1286-1308
- Cybelle Fox and David Harding. 2005. "School Shootings as Organizational Deviance." *Sociology of Education* 78(1):69-97
- Summarized in "Discoveries: New and Noteworthy Social Research," *Contexts*, Fall 2005
- Cybelle Fox. 2004. "The Changing Color of Welfare? How Whites' Attitudes Toward Latinos Influence Support for Welfare." *American Journal of Sociology* 110(3):580-625
- Lawrence D. Bobo and Cybelle Fox. 2003. Introduction. "Race, Racism and Discrimination: Bridging Problems, Methods and Theory in Social Psychological Research." *Social Psychology Quarterly* 66(4):319-332
- Cybelle Fox, Wendy Roth and Katherine Newman. 2003. "A Deadly Partnership: Lethal Violence in an Arkansas Middle School." In National Research Council and Institute of Medicine. *Deadly Lessons: Understanding Lethal School Violence*. Mark H. Moore, Carol V. Petrie, Anthony A. Braga and Brenda L.

McLaughlin, Editors Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences and Education. Washington DC: National Academy Press

David Harding, Cybelle Fox and Jal Mehta. 2002. "Studying Rare Events through Qualitative Case Studies: Lessons from a Study of Rampage School Shootings." *Sociological Methods & Research* 31(2):174-217

Ralph Nunez and Cybelle Fox. 1999. "A Snapshot of Family Homelessness across America." *Political Science Quarterly* 114(2):289-307

WORK IN PROGRESS

Cybelle Fox. *Unauthorized Welfare: The Rise of Immigrant Status Restrictions in American Welfare Policy, 1935-1994* (book manuscript in progress)

BOOK REVIEWS & POLICY BRIEFS

Cybelle Fox. 2018. Review of Cheol-Sung Lee, *When Solidarity Works: Labor-Civic Networks and Welfare States in the Market Reform Era* (New York: Cambridge University Press, 2016), *American Journal of Sociology* 124(3):978-980

Cybelle Fox. 2015. Review of Ruben Flores, *Backroads Pragmatists: Mexico's Melting Pot and Civil Rights in the United States* (Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 2014), *Journal of American History* 102(2):577-578

Cybelle Fox. 2015. Book Symposium. "What Counts as Racist Immigration Policy?" *Ethnic and Racial Studies Review* 38(8):1286-1291

Cybelle Fox. 2013. "[If Immigration Reform is Enacted, Will Newly Legalized Migrants Have Access to Federal Social Benefits?](#)" *Scholars Strategy Network Basic Facts* (May)

Cybelle Fox. 2012. "[Race, Immigration, and the American Welfare State](#)," *Scholars Strategy Network Key Findings* (April)

Cybelle Fox. 2009. Review of Lina Newton, *Illegal, Alien, or Immigrant: The Politics of Immigration Reform* (New York University Press, 2008), *Contemporary Sociology* 38(6):558-559

Cybelle Fox. 2008. Review of Nicholas De Genova, *Working the Boundaries: Race, Space, and 'Illegality' in Mexican Chicago* (Durham: Duke University Press, 2005), *American Journal of Sociology* 113(5):1448-1450

Cybelle Fox. 2004. Review Essay. "Beyond Black and White: Racial Conflict in the New Multi-ethnic City." *Du Bois Review* 1(1):181-188

HONORS, AWARDS, GRANTS, & FELLOWSHIPS

Distinguished Teaching and Service Award, Spring 2020
Class of 1944 Chair, UC Berkeley, 2019-2024, 2024-2029
Advanced Research Collaborative Distinguished Fellowship, CUNY Graduate Center, Fall 2016, (*award declined*)
Co-winner, Barrington Moore Book Award, Comparative and Historical Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2014
Russell Sage Foundation, Visiting Scholar, 2013-2014
UC Berkeley, Hellman Fellows Fund Grant, 2013-2014
Winner, Distinguished Book Award, Latina/o Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2013
Winner, Thomas and Znaniecki Best Book Award, International Migration Section, American Sociological Association, 2013
Co-winner, Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship Book Award, Political Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2013
Winner, Best Book on Latino Politics, Latino Caucus, American Political Science Association, 2012
Winner, C. Wright Mills Book Award, Society for the Study of Social Problems, 2012
UC Berkeley, Institute for Governmental Studies Research Grant, 2011-2012, 2012-2013
UC Berkeley, Committee on Research (COR) Research Grant, 2010-2011
UC Berkeley, Regents' Junior Faculty Fellowship, 2010
Harvard University, Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study Graduate Fellowship, 2006-2007
Brookings Institute, Predoctoral Fellowship in Governance Studies, 2006-2007 (*award declined*)
Harvard University, Center for American Political Studies (CAPS) Fellow, 2005-2006
Harvard University, Center for American Political Studies (CAPS) Seed Grant, 2005
Finalist, C. Wright Mills Book Award, Society for the Study of Social Problems, 2004
Harvard University, Multidisciplinary Program on Inequality and Social Policy Fellow, 2004-2005
National Science Foundation, Graduate Research Fellow, 2001-2004

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago, 2021
Sociology Department, University of Pennsylvania, 2019
Theorizing Social Change: Policy, Institutions, Culture Conference, NYU Abu Dhabi, 2019
Race, Ethnicity and Migration Workshop, Department of Sociology, Columbia University, 2019
Center for the Study of Law and Society, UC Berkeley, 2019
Columbia Population Research Center, Columbia University, 2019
Conference on Populism and the Future of Democracy, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, Tufts University European Center, 2018
Divided We Stand? Race and Immigration in the Trump Era Conference, UT Austin, 2018
Inequality in America Symposium, Harvard University, 2017
Center for Historical Enquiry & the Social Sciences Workshop, Yale University, 2017
Inequalities and the Life Course Workshop, Yale University, 2017
Winant Symposium on Social Movements and the American State, Nuffield College and the Rothermere American Institute, University of Oxford, 2017
Center for the Study of International Migration, UCLA, 2016
The Ethics of Citizenship Conference, Washington and Lee University, 2015

Colloquium on Work, Labor, and Political Economy, UC Santa Barbara, 2015
 Sociology Department, Stanford University, 2015
 Race, Ethnicity and Immigration Colloquium, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley, 2015
 R.F. Harney lecture series in Ethnic, Immigration and Pluralism Studies, University of Toronto, 2014
 Conference on the Emergence of European State Forms in Comparative Perspective, Yale Center for Historical Enquiry and the Social Sciences, Yale University, 2014
 Conference on Migration during Economic Downturns: From the Great Depression to the Great Recession, Migration Policy Institute, German Historical Institute, Washington, DC, 2014
 Center for the Study of Race and Ethnicity, Middlebury College, 2014
 Sociology Department, New York University, 2014
 Comparative Research Workshop, Yale University, 2014
 Form/Huber Colloquium, Ohio State University, 2014
 Russell Sage Foundation, New York, 2014
 Graduate Center, City University of New York, 2013
 Welfare and Migration Research Network, Odense, Denmark, 2013
 Sociology Department, Rutgers University, 2013
 Workshop on Migration, Race, Ethnicity, and Nation, Stanford University, 2013
 Center for Migration and Development, Princeton University, 2013
 Sociology Department, University of Illinois, Chicago, 2013
 Sociology Department, UC Davis, 2013
 Institute of the Study of Societal Issues, UC Berkeley, 2012
 Race, Ethnicity and Immigration Colloquium, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC, Berkeley, 2012
 Comparative-Historical Social Science Workshop, Northwestern University, 2011
 Research Workshop in American Politics, UC Berkeley, 2011
 Malcolm Wiener Center, Inequality and Social Policy Seminar Series, Harvard University, 2011
 California Health Professional Student Alliance, Northern California Healthcare Conference, 2011
 Race, Ethnicity and Immigration Colloquium, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley, 2011
 Center for the Study of Law and Society, UC Berkeley, 2011
 Good Medicine? Race, Gender & Justice in Health Care, Center on Race and Gender, UC Berkeley, 2010
 Comparative Historical Sociology Workshop, UC San Diego, 2009
 Center for Race and Gender, UC Berkeley, 2009
 Health Services Research Colloquium, School of Public Health, UC Berkeley, 2009
 IGERT Workshop, Goldman School of Public Policy, UC Berkeley, 2009
 Center on the Politics of Race, Ethnicity and Immigration, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley, 2008
 Diversity Student Alliance, Distinguished Speaker Series, Department of Psychology, UC Berkeley, 2008
 Berkeley-Stanford Stratification Seminar, Stanford University, 2007
 Department of Sociology, University of Washington, 2006
 Department of Sociology, UC Berkeley, 2006
 Department of Sociology, University of Chicago, 2006
 Department of Sociology, University of Michigan, 2006
 Department of Sociology, University of Arizona, 2006
 Department of Sociology, Columbia University, 2006
 Department of Sociology, New York University, 2006
 Department of Sociology, UC Irvine, 2006

COURSES & MENTORING

Graduate Courses

Social Policy; Methods of Sociological Research; Immigration, Incorporation, and Citizenship; Race and Ethnic Relations

Undergraduate Courses

Social Policy; Race and Ethnic Relations; Immigration Policy

Since 2009, I have served on a total of 38 dissertation committees (31 completed and 7 ongoing), including 13 as chair or co-chair.

SELECTED DEPARTMENT SERVICE

Department Chair, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2020-2023
Teaching and Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2020-2023
Sociology Equity, Inclusion and Diversity Pilot Grant Leadership Team, 2020-2023
Fundraising Committee, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2020-2023
Graduate Placement Advisor, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2019-2020, 2024-2025
Junior Faculty Mentor, 2017-2022, 2024-Present
Equity Advisor, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2017-2018
Personnel Committee Chair, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2015-2016, 2018-2019
Associate Director, Berkeley Connect Program, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2014-2016
Committee on Awards, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2014-2015
Personnel Committee member, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2012-2013, 2014-2015
Colloquium Organizer, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2010-2011
Graduate Admissions Committee member, Sociology Department, UC Berkeley, 2009-2010, 2011-2012, 2016-2017
Co-Organizer, Interdisciplinary Immigration Workshop, UC Berkeley, 2009-2023

SELECTED UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Executive Committee member, Othering & Belonging Institute, UC Berkeley, 2022-Present
Faculty Core Advisor, Berkeley Faculty Link Program, UC Berkeley, 2020-2021
Administrative Chair, Diversity & Democracy Cluster, Othering & Belonging Institute, UC Berkeley, 2018-2020
Faculty Coordinator, Race, Ethnicity and Immigration Colloquium, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley, 2017-2018
Campus Ad Hoc Review Committee, 2018, 2019, 2020
Search Committee member, Director for Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley, 2016-2017
Graduate Council's Fellowships and Graduate Scholarships Committee, UC Berkeley, 2015-2016, 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2019-2020
Advisory Board Member, Underground Scholars Initiative, UC Berkeley, 2015-present
Advisory Board Member, Institute of Governmental Studies, UC Berkeley, 2012-present
Search Committee Member, Haas Diversity Research Center, Diversity and Democracy Cluster, UC Berkeley, 2011-2012, 2014-2015, 2018-2019

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Council, Comparative Historical Section, American Sociological Association, 2018-2021

Council, Political Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2017-2020

Editorial Board, *Cambridge Studies in Historical Sociology*, 2020-present

Editorial Board, *Studies in American Political Development*, 2019-present

Editorial Board, *Rose Series in Sociology*, American Sociological Association, 2018-2020

Editorial Board, *Journal of Race, Ethnicity and Politics*, 2014-present

Consulting Editor, *American Journal of Sociology*, 2012-2014

Ad Hoc Journal Reviewer: *American Journal of Sociology*, *American Political Science Review*, *American Sociological Review*, *Du Bois Review*, *Journal of American History*, *Journal of Race, Ethnicity and Politics*, *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, *Law and Social Inquiry*, *Law & Society Review*, *Studies in American Political Development*, *Political Research Quarterly*, *Social Forces*, *Social Problems*, *Social Psychology Quarterly*, *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity*, *The Sociological Quarterly*, *Western Journal of Black Studies*

Ad Hoc Press Reviewer: *Oxford University Press*, *Princeton University Press*, *University of California Press*, *University of Arizona Press*, *University of Chicago Press*

Occasional Grant Proposal Reviewer: Russell Sage Foundation, National Science Foundation, Center for Engaged Scholarship

Article Award Committee, Political Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2019-2020

Outstanding Published Book Award Committee member, Political Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2018-2019

Graduate Paper Award Committee Chair, Political Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2017-2018

Barrington Moore Book Award Committee, Comparative Historical Section, American Sociological Association, 2014-2015

Distinguished Contribution to Research Book Award Committee Chair, Latino/a Sociology Section, American Sociological Association, 2013-2014

Thomas & Znaniecki Best Book Award Committee Chair, Immigration Section, American Sociological Association, 2013-2014

Oliver Cromwell Cox Paper Award Committee Member, Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities, American Sociological Association, 2012-2013

Session Organizer, "Historical and Comparative Perspectives on Law, Politics, and Institutional Change in the United States," American Sociological Association Annual Conference, 2020

Session Organizer, Social Welfare Regular Session, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, 2018

Session Organizer, Social Welfare Programs Session, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, 2018

Session Organizer, Regular Session, Comparative Historical Section, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, 2017

Program Co-Chair, Politics and History Section, American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, 2013

Session Organizer, Regular Session, Welfare State Section, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, 2013

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Faculty Affiliate, Center for Race and Gender, UC Berkeley, 2017-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Berkeley Interdisciplinary Migration Initiative, UC Berkeley, 2017-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Institute for Research on Labor and Employment, UC Berkeley, 2014-Present
Member, Scholars Strategy Network, 2012-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Center for the Study of Law and Society, UC Berkeley, 2011-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Center for Latino Policy Research, UC Berkeley, 2011-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Institute for the Study of Societal Issues, UC Berkeley, 2010-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Center for New Racial Studies, University of California, 2010-Present
Research Associate, Center for Comparative Immigration Studies, UC San Diego, 2010-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Health Services and Policy Analysis Program, UC Berkeley, 2009-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Population Center, UC Berkeley, 2009-Present
Member, Diversity and Democracy Cluster, Othering & Belonging Institute, UC Berkeley, 2009-Present
Fellow, Center for the Study of Poverty and Inequality, Stanford University, 2008-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Institute of Governmental Studies' Center on the Politics of Race, Ethnicity and Immigration, UC Berkeley, 2007-Present

Member: American Sociological Association, Social Science History Association