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### CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

- 2020 – Current Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada.
- 2015 - 2020 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada.
- 2013 - 2015 Postdoctoral Fellow and Senior Lecturer, Department of Sociology, Vanderbilt University, Nashville TN, USA

### AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Sociology of Immigration and Refugee Studies; Transnationalism; Families; Gender and Feminist Theory; Critical Race and Intersectional Theories; Qualitative Methods; South Asia & South-Asian Diaspora.

### ACADEMIC PREPARATION

- Jan 2007 – Dec 2012 PhD Sociology, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, USA  
Dissertation Title: *Constructing Dependence: Visa Regimes and Gendered Migration in Indian Transnational Professional Families* (Chair, Barbara J. Risman)
- Aug 2005 – Dec 2007 M.A. Sociology, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, USA  
*Thesis: Study of Religious Gatherings of Muslim Immigrant Bangladeshi Women in Chicago* (Chair, R. Stephen Warner)
- Jun 1998 – Jun 2000 M.A. Comparative Literature, Jadavpur University, Calcutta, India
- Jun 1995 – Jun 1998 B.A. English Literature (Honors), Minors: Economics, Political Science  
Lady Brabourne College, Calcutta, India

### AWARDS AND HONOURS

1. Winner, 2023 Best Book Award from the Asia and Asian American Section of the American Sociological Association for *The Opportunity Trap*.
2. Honorable Mention, **2022 Betty and McClung Lee Book Award**, Association for Humanist Sociology
3. Invited to blurb *Finding Belonging in the Empire*, book by Ken Crane, NYU

- Press. 2021.
4. Honorable Mention for Excellence in Graduate Student Supervision by Graduate Students' Association, University of Calgary, 2019-2020
  5. Honorable Mention for **Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship Article Award** by American Sociological Association Section on Race, Gender, and Class, **2019**.
  6. Nominated for University of Calgary Internationalization Achievement Award in the Academic Staff Member Award Category, 2017-2018
  7. David P. Street Dissertation Prize for Outstanding Dissertation and research in Engaged Sociology, University of Illinois at Chicago (\$500 USD), 2014
  8. Rue Bucher Memorial Award (Honorable Mention) for Dissertation Proposal, University of Illinois at Chicago; 2010
  9. Alice Dan Dissertation Research Award, University of Illinois at Chicago, Center for Research on Women and Gender (\$500 USD); 2010

## RESEARCH GRANTS

**Total External Grants/Funding [\$1,181,747 CAD]**

**Total Internal Grants/Funding [\$96,105 CAD]**

1. Social Science and Humanities Research Council, Partnership Engage Grant. Co-Designing Effective Public Health Advertisements with Newcomer Women (\$24,283.00). 2022-23 (Community-Engaged Research: Co-Applicant. Principal Investigator: Dr. Leah Hamilton – Mount Royal University).
2. Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada's (IRCC) Service Delivery Improvements 2020 Grant, Reaffirming Social Justice, Equity, Anti-Racist Research: Impact on BIPOC Youth (\$1,059,869 CAD); 2021-2024. (Community-Engaged Research)
3. Midwest Sociological Society Research Grant, Reception and Resettlement of Syrian, Rohingya Refugee Families in Chicago (\$2500 USD); 2019-2020
4. Faculty of Arts Seed Grant for Inviting Speaker, Dr. Barbara Risman (co-applicant, Dr. Matt Patterson) (\$500 CAD), 2019
5. Research Funds, University of Calgary (\$50,000 CAD); 2019-2024
6. Social Science and Humanities Research Council, *Insight Development Grant*, for Resettlement of Syrian Refugee Families in Canada and Rohingya Refugee Families in Canada and the US (\$76,785 CAD); 2018-2020
7. University Research Grant Committee, Seed Grant, University of Calgary, Alberta, CA (\$12,548 CAD); 2017-2018
8. Faculty Travel Grant (Office of Vice President, Research), University of Calgary, Alberta, CA. (\$1500 CAD), 2016
9. Dean's Scholar Award, University of Illinois at Chicago (\$20,500 USD), 2011-12
10. Merit Travel Award to the I.N.T.E.G.R.A.T.I.O.N 2.0 Conference at Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences. Bremen, Germany (\$1,700 USD); 2012
11. UIC Liberal Arts and Sciences Ph.D. Student Travel Award (\$500 USD); 2012
12. Provost's Award for Graduate Research, University of Illinois at Chicago, (\$2,100 USD); 2011
13. Departmental Nominee for the UIC Institute For The Humanities Dissertation Fellowship; 2011
14. Center for Research on Women and Gender, Alice Dan Dissertation Research Award (Honorable Mention), University of Illinois at Chicago; 2011
15. Student Travel Award, ASA annual meeting, Atlanta, Georgia. American Sociological Association (\$225 USD); 2010
16. Small Grant Research Support, Ford Foundation, Low-Wage, Gender and Immigration Project (\$1,500 USD); 2010
17. Graduate Students Travel Awards - University of Illinois at Chicago (Total \$1,500 USD); 2007-11
18. P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship (\$6,000 USD); 2006-07

19. P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship (\$8,000 USD); 2005-06

## PUBLICATIONS

NOTE 1: Authors marked with \*\* indicate students.

NOTE 2: Authors marked with ^^ indicate equal co-authors.

NOTE 3: Authors marked with #C indicate author for correspondence and first author.

### Book/Monograph

**Banerjee, Pallavi.** *The Opportunity Trap: High-Skilled Workers, Indian Families, and the Failures of the Dependent Visa Program.* March 2022, New York, NY, New York University Press.

- **Winner, 2023 Best Book Award** from the Asia and Asian American Section of the American Sociological Association
- Honorable Mention, **2022 Betty and McClung Lee Book Award**, given by the Association for Humanist Sociology.
- Reviewed by Elizabeth Jacobs, in *Social Forces*, Published on 01 December 2022.
- Reviewed by Rianka Roy, in *Gender and Society*, Published on February, 2023
- Reviewed by Neda Magbouleh in *Labour/Le Travail*, Published in Vol 91, 2023.
- Reviewed by Debaleena Ghosh, in *Work and Occupations*, Published in 2023

### Peer Reviewed Articles

1. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup> and Maria Hwang, 2023, "Gender, Race and Violence." *Gender and Society*. 37(3), 345–360
2. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup>, and Carieta Thomas\*\*. "[Pandemic Perspectives: Racialized and Gendered Experiences of Refugee and Immigrant Families in Canada.](#)" *Canadian Ethnic Studies* 54.3 (2022): 1-8.
3. Fandino, Isabel\*\*, and **Pallavi Banerjee**<sup>#C</sup>. "[Temporary Residents, Lasting Issues: International Graduate Students and Covid-19.](#)" *Canadian Ethnic Studies* 54.3 (2022): 33-62.
4. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup>, Chetna Khandelwal\*\*, Megha Sanyal\*\*. "Deep Care: The Covid-19 Pandemic and the Work of Marginal Feminist Organizing and Resistance in India." *Gender, Work and Organization*, 1– 26. <https://doi.org/10.1111/gwao.12857>
5. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup>., Chacko, Soulit., & Korsha, Souzan\*\*. 2022. "Toll of the Covid-19 pandemic on the primary caregiver in Yazidi refugee families in Canada: A feminist refugee epistemological analysis." *Studies in Social Justice*, 16(1), 33-53.
6. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup>, Soulit Chacko\*\* and Bhumika Piya\*\*. 2020. "Paradoxes of Being and Becoming South Asian Single-Mothers: The Enclave Economy, Patriarchy and Migration." at *Women, Gender and Families of Color*. 8(1), 5-39.
7. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup>, & Rincón, Lina. 2019. Trouble in Tech Paradise. *Contexts*, 18(2), 24-29.
8. **Banerjee, Pallavi**. 2019. "Intersectionality and Subversive Self-Employment Among Dependent Visas Holders in the United States". *American Behavioral Scientist*. 63(2): 186–207.
  - a. [The paper won the Honorable Mention for Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship Article Award for American Sociological Association Section on Race, Gender and Class, 2019.]
9. Allison, Rachel and **Pallavi Banerjee**<sup>^^</sup>. 2014. "Intersectionality in Organizational Research, 1990-2009." *Race, Class and Gender*. 21(3): 67-87 (equal authorship).
10. Chen, Xiangming<sup>#C</sup>, **Pallavi Banerjee**, Gaurav Toor, and Edmund Downie. 2014. "China and South Asia: Contention and Cooperation Between Giant Neighbors." *The European Financial Review* 3:40-46.
11. Risman, Barbara J.<sup>#C</sup> and **Pallavi Banerjee**. 2013. "Kid's Talking about Race: Tween-

- Agers in a Post Civil Rights Era". *Sociological Forum* 28(2): 213-235.
12. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup> and Xiangming Chen. 2013. "Living in In-Between Spaces: A Structure-Agency Analysis of Indian-Bangladeshi and Indian-Chinese Borderlands." *Cities: An International Journal of Public Planning and Policy* 34:18-29.

### Peer Reviewed Book Chapters

13. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup> and Carieta Thomas\*\* 2023. Intersectionality, Citizenship and Labor." In *the Research Handbook on Intersectionality*. Edited by Mary Romero and Rashawana Chapele. Edward Elgar Publishing.
14. Borzoo, Sepideh\*\* and **Pallavi, Banerjee**<sup>#C</sup> (Accepted for publication). "Self-Employment among Immigrant and Migrant Women and Reconstruction of Canadian Identity from an Intersecting Marginal Positions." In *Reconstructions of Canadian Identity*. Edited by Vander Tavares and Mary Dodman. University of Manitoba Press.
15. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup>. and Pedrom Nasiri\*\* 2021. "Gender and Law." *Handbook of Law and Society*, Edited by Mariana Valverde. Routledge, London, Routledge.
16. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup>, Annalee Coakley, Bindu Narula, Negin Saheb Javaher, Rowena Theodore and Sophia Thraya, 2020. "Gender and Resettlement of Yazidi Refugee Families in Calgary: A Deep Dive in the Resettlement, Health, Carework and Education Processes. *Metropolis eBook, Beyond 2020: Renewing Canada's Commitment to Immigration*. Edited by Miriam Taylor. (1) 115-131.
17. Brainer, Amy.<sup>#C</sup>, Mignon Moore, and **Pallavi Banerjee**. 2020. "Race and ethnicity in the lives of sexual minority parents and their children: Perspectives from North America and Beyond." in *LGBT-Parent Families: Innovations in Research and Implications for Practice*, edited by A. Goldberg and K. Allen. Springer. 86-103
18. **Banerjee, Pallavi**. 2018. "What Do Visas Have to Do with Parenting? Middle-Class Dependent Visa Holders and Transcultural Parenting." in *Contemporary Parenting and Parenthood: From News Headlines to New Research*. Michelle Janning (ed), Praeger/ABC-CLIO, New York.
19. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup> and Raewyn Connell. 2018. "Gender Theory As Southern Theory." in *The Handbook of the Sociology of Gender*, Second Edition. Edited by Barbara Risman, Carrissa Froyum, and William Scarborough. New York, NY: Springer Press. Pages 57-68 [Invited book chapter].
20. **Banerjee Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup> and Ray Ranita 2017. 'Afterword: Global Hunger as Performance\*.' in Anastasia Ulanowicz and Manisha Basu eds., *The Aesthetics and Politics of Global Hunger*. New York, Palgrave Macmillan. [Invited book chapter.]
21. Manohar, Namita N.<sup>#C</sup>, and **Pallavi Banerjee**. 2016. "H-1B Visas" *Contemporary Issues of People of Color: Surviving and Thriving in the U.S. Today*. ABC-CLIO. Pages 161-168. [Library Journal has selected Contemporary Issues of People of Color: Surviving and Thriving in the U.S. Today as one of the Best Reference Books of 2016]
22. **Banerjee, Pallavi**. 2015 "When Men Stay Home: Household Labor and Parenthood in Female-Led Families of Indian Migrant Nurses." in Barbara J. Risman and Virginia Rutter (eds.), *Families as They Really Are*. Vol. 2. New York, NY: Norton.
23. **Banerjee, Pallavi**. 2013. "Paradoxes of Patriarchy: South Asian Women in Ethnic Labor Markets." Pp. 96-116 in *Immigrant Women Workers in the Neoliberal Age*. Nilda Flores Gonzales, Anna Romina Guevarra, Grace Chang and Maura Toro-Morn (eds.), Urbana-Champaign, IL: University of Illinois Press.

### Editorial Work: Special Issues

1. Rhacel Parrenas<sup>#C</sup>, Banerjee, Pallavi, Maria Hwang and (co-editors), **Gender and Society**, Special Issue on Race, Gender and Violence in the U.S. Publication date Spring, 2023
2. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup> and Carieta Thomas\*\* 2022. Special Issue: [Pandemic Perspectives: Racialized and Gendered Experiences of Refugee and Immigrant Families in](#)

[Canada](#). "Canadian Ethnic Studies 54(3). 1-209.

## WORK IN PROGRESS

### Book and Articles Under Peer Review

1. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup>, and Pedrom Nasiri<sup>\*\*</sup>, *Gender: New Trajectories in Law*. Routledge.
2. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup> and Carieta Thomas<sup>\*\*</sup>, "Making of the Constant Careworker: Indian Immigrant Nurses and the Intersectional Visa Regime." *Gender, Work and Organizations*.
3. Novak, Kennedy<sup>\*\*</sup>, Tanner Short<sup>\*\*</sup>, Pallavi Banerjee<sup>#C</sup>, A Critical Analysis of the Nature and Emotionality of News Consumption on Facebook. *New Sociology*. (Revise and Resubmit.)
4. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Only the snobs go to the mosque." Muslim Immigrant Bangladeshi Women and the Politics of Gender, Class and Religion." *Feminist Formations* (Revised and Resubmit).
5. Banerjee, Pallavi<sup>^</sup> and Sharla Alegria. "Tech Work and Family Friendly Policies – Citizens and Immigrant Workers." *American Journal of Sociology*.
6. Banerjee, Pallavi<sup>#C</sup> and Negin Saheb Javaher<sup>\*\*</sup>. "Relearning Parenting: A Process Analysis of Deskilling of Yazidi Refugees as Parents Upon Arrival in Canada." *Social Problems*.
7. Banerjee, Pallavi<sup>^</sup> and Lina Rincon, "Beyond Diasporic Constraints: A Neoliberal IT Approach to Scientific Citizenship." *Critical Sociology*

## OTHER NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLISHED WORK

### Community Reports/Op-Eds/White Papers

#### Community Reports

**Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup> Saheb Javaher Negin<sup>\*\*</sup>, Sophia Thraya<sup>\*\*</sup>, Tanner Short<sup>\*\*</sup>, Souzan Korsha<sup>\*\*</sup>, and Chetna Khandelwal<sup>\*\*</sup>. "Resettling Yazidi Refugee Families in Calgary, by Calgary Catholic Immigration Society (CCIS): A Home Assessment Qualitative Report 2020-21." University of Calgary Libraries, 2022.

#### Op-Eds and White Papers

1. Hamilton, Leah and Banerjee, Pallavi. 2022. "[I am back to square one': How COVID-19 impacted recently resettled Yazidi and Syrian refugees.](#)" *The Conversation*. February 22, 2022.
2. Banerjee, Pallavi and Fandino, Isabel, 2020. "[Canada's International Graduate Students and COVID-19: Beyond the Rhetoric of Welcome.](#)" *Canadian Dimension*. August 6, 2020.
3. Banerjee, Pallavi and Sengupta Pratim, 2020. "[Trump's suspension of H-1B visas is a racist attack on immigrants — and a bad move for the economy.](#)" *The Conversation*, June 29, 2020.  
**Reprinted in:** *AlterNet*; *The Raw Story*; *MENAFN* and *Philippine Canadian Inquirer*.
4. Kristen Myers and Pallavi Banerjee, Invited Blog for Gender and Society Blog, [Benefits of Peer Reviewing in Academia](#). March 11, 2020
5. Banerjee Pallavi. "White Paper on H-4 EAD." Submitted to Office of Budget and Management, The White House, United States Government, March 11, 2019.  
*[I was invited to submit a white paper by the Skilled Immigrants In America, who submitted documentation to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) and Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs officials (OIRA) on International Women's Day, 2019 and presented a strong case against the proposed repeal of H4-EAD. This white paper was included as part of the documented evidences of research, real-life examples, testimonies of contributions of visa holders to the US communities and economy that was submitted to OMB and OIRA.]*

6. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Housewife Visas and Highly Skilled Immigrant Families in the U.S." Council on Contemporary Families Symposium Paper, (reprinted) in *The Society Pages*, Oct 23, 2018
7. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Trump's war against immigrant workers and their spouses" *The Conversation*, May 10, 2018. (Reprinted by the National Post; Canadian Inquirer and India Abroad)
8. Banerjee, Pallavi. "March of the millions: Reflections on global women's march against Trumpism." Invited editorial in *World is One News (WION)*, January 31, 2017
9. Banerjee, Pallavi. "No Country for Brown Flyers: How Civil Aviation has Changed after 9/11." Invited editorial in *World is One News (WION)*, December 7, 2016.
10. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Racial profiling at airports adds a colour-coded cost when I fly on business." Editorial in *The Globe and Mail national edition*, July 20, 2016.
11. Banerjee, Pallavi. "New Visa Policy Allows Immigrant Spouses to Hold Jobs." Op-Ed based on research on the US immigration policy was published in the *Ms Magazine Blog*, March 5, 2015.
12. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Crisis of Dependent Visas: A Reality Check." Op-ed based on my research on the US immigration policy, was published in the transnational weekly newspaper *India Abroad*, June 13, 2014.
13. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Proposed Rule Change for High-Tech Migrant Workers' Spouses Isn't Enough". Op-Ed based on research on the US immigration policy was published in the *Ms Magazine Blog*, May 20, 2014.
14. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Dodging the Chores? Indian Men and Household Work". Invited Blog post in the *Gender & Society Blog* in response to *Atlantic* article about men and housework, March 24, 2014.
15. Banerjee, Pallavi. "An Immigrant Wife's Place? In the Home, According to Visa Policy". Op-Ed based on dissertation research on the US immigration policy was published in the *Ms Magazine Blog* (Reposted in *The Gender & Society Blog* and *Girl w/Pen*), June 19, 2013. **[Archived by the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs: Executive Office of the President of the United States of America – see [Handout 1](#)]**

## Conference Proceedings

1. Javaher, Negin Saheb\*\*, and **Pallavi Banerjee**<sup>#C</sup>. 2021. "Under Neoliberal Blanket: Caregiving/Care Provision in the Resettlement of Yazidi Refugees in Calgary." In *IV ISA Forum of Sociology (February 23-28, 2021)*. ISA.
2. **Banerjee, Pallavi**<sup>#C</sup>, & Music, Leija. 2021, February. "Global Perspectives on Gender, Family, Labor, and Migration. In *IV ISA Forum of Sociology*" (February 23-28, 2021). ISA. (Conference Proceedings).
3. Rincon, Lina<sup>^^</sup>, & **Banerjee, Pallav**<sup>^^i</sup>. 2019, June "Beyond Diasporic Constraints: A Neoliberal It Approach to Scientific Citizenship" In *31st Annual Meeting*. SASE. (Conference Proceedings).
4. Banerjee, Pallavi. 2018. "Muslim Immigrant Bangladeshi Women and the Politics of Gender, Class and Religion." In *XIX ISA World Congress of Sociology (July 15-21, 2018)*. ISA.
5. Banerjee, Pallavi. 2012. "The Burgeoning Field of Gender, Work & Organization: Insights from the 6th Biennial International Conference." *Gender Work and Organizations Online Conference Proceedings*. Pp. 1-15.

## Book Reviews

1. Banerjee, Pallavi. 2021. "Towards a Theory of the Elsewhere." *Here, There and Elsewhere. The making of immigrant identities in a globalized world* by Tahseen Shams, Paolo Alto, CA, Stanford University Press, 2020. In *Sociological Forum*.
2. Banerjee, Pallavi. 2014. Review of *Pregnant on Arrival: Making the Illegal Immigrant (Difference Incorporated)*, by Eithne Luibheid. Minneapolis, MN. University of Minnesota Press. in *Gender & Society*.

- Banerjee, Pallavi. 2014. Review of *Femininity at Work: Gender, Labour and Changing Relations of Power in a Swedish Hospital*, by Rebecca Salberg. Lund, Sweden, Arkiv forlag. *Work and Occupations*. 41:387.

### Creative Work (Poetry-refereed)

- Mini Installation, *Landings: Anti-Racist Futures in Stories*. **United Nations High Commission for Refugees, Canada**, In collaboration with Dr. Pratim Sengupta April 18, 2023.
- Public Installation, *Landings: Anti-Racist Futures in Stories*. A Newcomer Youth of Color codesigned public Art and Computational Installation, A Community-Engaged Project, In collaboration with Dr. Pratim Sengupta, April 18, 2023.
- Banerjee, Pallavi. 2013. Fall in the Season of War. *Muddy Water Poetry Review*. Issue 9. Fall. U.S.A.
- Banerjee, Pallavi. 2013. Untamed Thoughts of Night. *Muddy Water Poetry Review*. Issue 9. Fall. U.S.A..
- Banerjee, Pallavi 2020. Long Roads That Never End. *The Sky is Falling, The Sky is Falling: A Collections of Pandemic Poetry*. Edited by Sheila Martindale. Planet Earth Poetry Publications, Vancouver, Canada.

## KEYNOTES AND INVITED TALKS

### Keynote:

Keynote lecture “Unsettling Transnational Conversations: Forced Migration and Indigeneity in the age of Globalization in the Canadian Prairies” at the *International Conference on "Ecology and the Individual. Reading Transnationalism from Indo-Canadian Perspectives"* organized by the **Centre for Canadian Studies, Jadavpur University, India** in collaboration with the **Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute**, on February 15 and 16, 2023.

### Invited Book (The Opportunity Trap) Talks:

- Sociology Department, **West Virginia State University, U.S.A.** April 2023
- Sociology Department, **University of Toronto**, March 2023
- Sociology Department, **Western University**, March 2023
- Center for Urban and Global Studies, Trinity College, U.S.A.** March 2023.
- Centre for Canadian Studies, **Jadavpur University**, , Kolkata, India, December 2022
- Sociology Department, **Presidency University, Kolkata, India**, December 2022
- Sociology Department, **Flame University, Kolkata, India**, December 2022
- Institute of Development Studies, Kolkata, India**, December 2022
- Sociology Department, **Arizona State University**, U.S.A. October 2022
- Sociology Department, **University of Illinois at Chicago**, U.S.A. October 2022
- South Asia Reading Group, **University of Illinois at Chicago**, U.S.A. October 2022
- Haskayne School of Business, **University of Calgary**, September 2022

### Invited Research Talks:

- Banerjee, Pallavi and Pratim Sengupta, “Listening as Centering: Centering Refugee and Immigrant Youth of Color.” Invited by **United Nations High Commission for Refugees, Canada**, April 18, 2023.
- Banerjee, Pallavi. Invited Discussant Speaker, Intersections of Race and Religion among South Asian Americans Panel at the Mini conference: South Asian American Invisibility, **South Asia Center, Syracuse University, U.S.A.** April 28, 2023
- Banerjee, Pallavi, “Unsettling Migration Conversations: Forced Migration, Gender, Intersectionality and Indigeneity in the Canadian Prairies.” Sociology Department, Western University, March 3, 2023

4. Banerjee, Pallavi, "Dismantling Dependence: Gender and Labour Regimes in Immigrant and Refugee Families in the U.S. and Canada." **Sociology Department, Syracuse University, U.S.A.** February 2022.
5. Banerjee, Pallavi. Invited Panelist on "Technology and Intersectionality" at **California Polytechnique State University, U.S.A.** April 22, 2021.
6. Banerjee, Pallavi, Invited Panelist on "Public Sociology to Publishing" organized by Graduate Students Caucus at Canadian Sociological Association, April 21, 2021.
7. Banerjee, Pallavi and Pedrom Nasiri, "Gender and Law Through the Lens of Land, Hunger and Terror and a Southern Imaginary", Enabling Equal Opportunity Conference, India, Oct 16, 2020, Centre for Development Policy and Practice and **Maulana Azad Urdu University, India.**
8. Banerjee, Pallavi and Negin Saheb Javaher, "Relearning Parenting: A Process Analysis of Deskillling of Yazidi Refugees as Parents Upon Arrival in Canada in Dealing with Trauma." Department of Anthropology and Sociology, University of Calgary. Dec 2, 2020
9. Banerjee, Pallavi and Negin Saheb Javaher, "'I am not a mother anymore': A Process Analysis of Deskillling of Yazidi Refugees as Parents Upon Arrival in Canada in Dealing with Trauma" O'Brien Institute, University of Calgary. April 17, 2020
10. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Dismantling Dependence: Gender and Labour Regimes in Immigrant and Refugee Families in Canada and the U.S." University of Toronto, Department of Sociology, June 2020.
11. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Dismantling Dependence: Indian Migrant Families Negotiating the Visa Regime" **Invited Speaker on the Presidential Thematic on the Families and Social Justice Panel at the American Sociological Association Conference, New York, August 10, 2019.**
12. Banerjee, Pallavi. Invited Discussant on the Gender and Immigration Panel at the *American Sociological Association Conference*, New York, August 10, 2019.
13. Banerjee, Pallavi. Invited Plenary Speaker on the topic of National Security Crisis for "Who"? A Critical Conversation on DACA and Immigration, *Sociologists for Women in Society*, Winter Conference, Denver, Feb 9, 2019.
14. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Pushing Against the Binaries: Immigrant Families and Gender." Invited Talk at the TELUS Spark Science Centre, Beyond the Binary, Adults Only Night. May 9, 2019. *[Community Outreach Activity]*
15. Banerjee, Pallavi. "'Subversive Self-Employment: Intersectionality and Self-Employment Among Dependent Spouses of Skilled-Immigrant Workers in the US.'" Invited Talk at the Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research. Mumbai, India. February 25, 2019.
16. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Tech Work and The Making of The Extreme Ideal Workers: Citizens and Immigrant Workers in the U.S Tech Industry." Invited Talk at the Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay. Mumbai, India. February 21, 2019.
17. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Housewife Visas and Highly Skilled Immigrant Families in the U.S." Pre-ASA, Council on Contemporary Families Gender Matters Online Symposium. August 8, 2018
18. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Comparative Study of Refugee Reception in the US and Canada: An Intersectional Approach." at the Department of Communication, Media and Film, University of Calgary, in the *Problematizing Canada 150: Critical Perspectives*, Speaker Series, September 29, 2017
19. Banerjee, Pallavi. "*The Housewife Visa: Dependent Visa Regime and Families of Indian Professional Immigrants in the U.S.*" at Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Mount Royal University, Calgary, AB. January 20, 2017.  
*[Speaker Series the Department of Sociology and Anthropology]*
20. Banerjee, Pallavi. Invited Critic at the Author Meets Critic session for Rachel Rinaldo's book *Mobilizing Piety: Islam and Feminism in Indonesia* (2013, Oxford University Press) at the annual conference of the Association for the Sociology of Religion meeting, August 2016, Seattle, WA
21. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Dismantling Dependence: Asian Indian Migrant Families And The Politics Of Gendered And Racialized Visa Regimes," at the Department of Sociology, University of Nevada at Las Vegas (UNLV), Las Vegas, NV, USA. April 18, 2016  
*[Special Brown bag featuring transnational research at the Department of Sociology in UNLV.]*



22. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Intersectional Feminism in Immigrant Families," Women's Resource Center, University of Calgary, Invited by the Women's Resource Center, this talk was part of their community lecture event, known as Who Needs Feminism: Learn and Lunch, March 31, 2016
23. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Braver Space: Feminism in the Classroom," Organized by Feminism in the Arts, Department of Philosophy and Women's Studies Program, University of Calgary, Nov 24, 2015
24. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Practice of Research Across Boundaries: Academic and Non-Academic": Invited panelist is Workshop On Research Methodologies With A Focus On India, Department of Sociology University of Connecticut, Hartford, CT, April 6, 2015.
25. Banerjee, Pallavi. Invited panelist on the Plenary on "The ASA/SWS Relationship with Cecelia Ridgeway, Stanford University, & ASA President" at the winter meeting of Sociologists for Women in Society, Tamaya, NM.
26. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Visas as Neoliberal Tools: Indian Professional Families in the U.S". Presented at the Colloquium Series at Asian American Studies Department, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL. 2012

## RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

### 2021

1. Saheb Javaher, Negin and Banerjee, Pallavi. "Under Neoliberal Blanket: Caregiving/Care Provision in the Resettlement of Yazidi Refugees in Calgary." Forum, *International Sociological Association*, Brazil, Feb 25, 2021
2. Banerjee, Pallavi and Cerita Thomas. "Immigrant Carework Regime and the Making of the Constant-Careworker among Indian Immigrant Nurses." Forum, *International Sociological Association*, Brazil, Feb, 27, 2021.

### 2020

3. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Covid-19 and other Silent Pandemics and impact on Immigrants and Refugees, *National Metropolis Conference*," Online. 15. March 2020.
4. Banerjee, Pallavi, Negin Saheb, Javaher and Soulit Chacko. "Women Fleeing Genocide: The Cost of Family Separation for Yazidi and Rohingya Refugees in Canada and the U.S." *CSW-Beijing25 Conference, Sociologist For Women in Society*, March 9, 2020.

### 2019

5. Banerjee, Pallavi and Carieta Thomas, ""Our Purpose as Women and Nurses is to be Selfless Healer": Discourse of Gendered Carework and Self-Making as Healers among Indian Immigrant Nurses." *2019 Global Carework Summit*, Toronto, June 10, 2019
6. Banerjee, Pallavi and Lina Rincon, "Beyond Diasporic Constraints: A Neoliberal IT Approach to Scientific Citizenship" at the mini conference at the Annual Meetings of the *Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE)*, New York, June 27, 2019.
7. Banerjee, Pallavi and, Negin Saheb Javaher, and Bindu Narula. "Assessing the Successes and Challenges of Resettling Yazidis in Calgary." *National Metropolis Conference*. Halifax, March 21, 2019.
8. Banerjee, Pallavi, Negin Saheb Javaher, "What kind of a parent are you?" The experiences of Syrian and Yazidi refugee Mothers in Calgary". *Sociologists for Women in Society*, Winter Conference, Denver, Feb 9, 2019.

### 2018

9. Banerjee, Pallavi, Martine Dennie\*\* and Rineem Saleh\*\*, "Intersectional Interplays: Media and Policy Rhetoric and the Process of Resettlements of Newly Arrived Syrian Refugees in Canada." at the Annual Canadian Ethnic Studies Conference, October 2018, Banff, Alberta, Canada
10. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Subversive Self-Employment: Intersectionality and Self-Employment Among Dependent Spouses of Skilled-Immigrant Workers in the US." at the annual conference of the American Sociological Association meeting, August 2018, Philadelphia, PA, USA
11. Banerjee, Pallavi. "What Do Visas Have to Do with Parenting? Middle-Class Dependent Visa Holders and Transcultural Parenting." at the annual conference of the American

Sociological Association meeting, August 2018, Philadelphia, PA, USA South Asian Muslim Immigrant Women and the Politics of Migration, Gender, Class, and Religion

12. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Middle-Class Indian Immigrants and Transcultural Parenting." at the XIX ISA World Congress of Sociology, July 2018, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
13. Banerjee, Pallavi. "South Asian Muslim Immigrant Women and the Politics of Migration, Gender, Class, and Religion." at the XIX ISA World Congress of Sociology, July 2018, Toronto, Ontario, Canada
14. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Single-Parent and Two-Parent Syrian Refugee Families: An Intersectional Analysis of Differential Level of Inclusion to Full Citizenship" at the National Metropolis Conference, March 2018, Calgary, Alberta, Canada
15. Banerjee, Pallavi and Sharla Alegria, "Tech Work and Family Friendly Policies – Citizens and Immigrant Workers." at the University of Calgary, Inequality Seminar Series, March 2018, Calgary, Alberta, Canada

#### 2017

16. Banerjee, Pallavi and Sharla Alegria, "Tech Work and Family Friendly Policies – Native Born and Immigrant Workers." at the annual conference of the American Sociological Association meeting, August 2017, Montreal, Quebec.
17. Banerjee, Pallavi and Ana Litviniuc, "Framing Refugees: Comparative Discourse Analysis of Media Rhetoric about Syrian Refugees in U.S. and Canada." at the annual conference of the Society for Study of Social Problems meeting, August 2017, Montreal, Quebec.
18. Banerjee, Pallavi. "When Men Stay Home" guest speaker at the Senior Undergraduate Seminar on Families in the Sociology Department at University of Illinois at Chicago, November 13, 2017.

#### 2016

19. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Forced Domestic-Dependence in the Age of Neoliberal Aspirations." Presented at the annual conference of National Women's Studies Association meeting, November 10-13 2016, Montreal, Quebec.
20. Banerjee, Pallavi. "South Asian Muslim Women and the Politics of Migration, Gender, Class and Religion Presented at the annual conference of the American Sociological Association meeting, August 2016, Seattle, WA.
21. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Gendered Meanings of Marriage: Liminal Consequences of Visa Policies," Presented at the Annual Conference of the Southern Sociological Society Conference, Atlanta, GA 14 April, 2016.
22. Banerjee, Pallavi. Gendered Migrations and the Organization of Paid and Unpaid Labor in Indian Immigrant Families, Presented at the Canadian Sociology Association Conference, Calgary, AB , 2 June. This was an invited-only panel organized by Dr. Melanie Heath (McMaster University), titled, "Methodological and Theoretical Innovations in Contextualizing the Work Family Interface" with three other panelists., Refereed
23. Banerjee, Pallavi. With Alla Konnikov, "He Said, She Said: Spousal Perceptions of Household Labour in Indian Immigrant Families," at the Canadian Sociology Association Conference, Calgary, AB , 3 June,
24. Banerjee, Pallavi. Manufacturing Dependence: Visa Policies and Gendered Meanings of Marriage in Indian Migrant Professional Families in the U.S., at the 'Unequal Families and Relationships Conference' organized by Centre for Research on Families & Relationships, Edinburgh, U.K., 13 June (Refereed)

#### 2014

25. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Men as Dependents: Household Division of Labor and Gendered Migration." Presented at the annual American Sociological Association meeting, San Francisco, CA.

#### 2013

26. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Not Valid For Identification:" Gendered Migrations, Visa Structures and Invisible Webs of Dependence." Presented at the annual American Sociological Association, New York, NY.
27. Banerjee, Pallavi. "I call it the Vegetable Visa:" A Gender Structure Analysis of Family Lives of Dependent Visa Holders." Presented at Council on Contemporary Families, 16<sup>th</sup> annual conference, Immigrant Families As They Are. Miami, FL (Invited Panelist).
28. Banerjee, Pallavi. "...my job is defined by my visa...": Visas as Organizers of Gendered

Labor in Families of Migrant Professional Workers." Presented at the winter meeting of Sociologists for Women in Society, Tamaya, NM.

29. Banerjee, Pallavi. "'Jai Ho': Indian Youth in Diaspora, Bollywood and Politics of Embodied Nation, the Racial and the Feminine Other." with Soulit Chacko. Presented at the annual meeting of National Women Studies Association, Cincinnati, OH.
30. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Gendered Migrations, Visas Structures and Invisible Webs of Dependence." Presented at the annual Southern Sociological Society meeting, Atlanta, GA.
31. Banerjee, Pallavi. "It's a Carrot and the Stick Story: Gendered Migration and Construction of Dependence in Families of High-Skilled Indian Migrant Worker." Presented at the Colloquium Series at the Sociology Department, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN.

## 2012

32. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Visa Regime and Migrant Families." Presented at the annual meeting of Society for the Study of Social Problems, Denver, CO.
33. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Manufacturing Dependence and Politics of Dependent Visas" Presented at the I.N.T.E.G.R.A.T.I.O.N 2.0 Conference, Organized by Boeckler Group at Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences. Bremen, Germany. (Invited Panelist)
34. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Indian High-Tech Worker, Their Dependents and New Technologies of Belonging and Citizenship." Presented at International Studies Conference, San Diego, CA.
35. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Inter-ethnic and Inter-racial dating and marriage among Asian American Indian youth: Formation of Racial, Ethnic and gender Identities." with Soulit Chacko, Presented at the annual Midwest Sociological Society meeting. Minneapolis, MN.

## 2011

36. Banerjee, Pallavi. "'I call it the Vegetable Visa': Gendered Migration and the Politics of Dependent Visa" at the Conference on *Guest Workers: Western Origins, Global Futures* organized by Huntington Library, San Marino, CA. (Invited Panelist)
37. Banerjee, Pallavi. "The Balancing Act: South Asian Women Negotiating Labor Markets and Family" Presented in the Regular Session on Immigration Communities and Families, at the annual meeting of American Sociological Association, Las Vegas, NV.
38. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Indian High Tech Workers in the United States and the Problem of Dependence" at the Conference on Technologies of Migration: Asia, Media, Mobility, and Virtuality at University of Illinois, Champaign, IL.

## 2010

39. Banerjee, Pallavi. "'Vegetable Visa': Gender in Families of Immigrating Indian Professionals With One Spouse on Dependent Visa." Presented at the annual meeting of American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA.
40. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Race Matters: Tween-Agers' Race-Talk in the 21st Century." with Barbara J. Risman. Presented at the annual meeting of American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA.
41. Banerjee, Pallavi. "South Asian Immigrant Women in Ethnic Labor Markets: Negotiating Masculinity at Home and at Work." accepted at International Gender, Work and Organization, 6th Biennial International Interdisciplinary Conference, Keele University, Staffordshire, UK.
42. Banerjee, Pallavi. "The Role Of Religious Involvement In The Lives Of Immigrant Muslim Women: Repressive Or Liberating Force?" Invited colloquium at the Center for Social Science Research, Kolkata, India.
43. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Mothering and Migration: South Asian Single Mothers in Ethnic Enclaves." with Amy Brainer. Presented at the Mothering and Migration Conference, Puerto Rico.
44. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Exploring Gender in the Families of Indian Migrant Professional Workers in the U.S." Accepted at the annual meeting of Midwest Sociological Conference, Chicago, IL.
45. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Tween-Agers' Race-Talk In the 21st Century." with Barbara J. Risman. Presented at the Colloquium of Gender and Women's Studies and African-American Studies, UIC, Chicago, IL.

**2009**

46. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Carework at Home and at Work: South Asian Women in Ethnic Labor Markets" Presented at the 6th International Carework Conference, San Francisco, CA.
47. Banerjee, Pallavi. "South Asian Women in Ethnic Labor Markets: Negotiating Male-Dominance at Home and at Work." Presented at the annual meeting of Low-Wage Workers, Migration and Gender Conference, Chicago, IL.

**2008**

48. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Effects of Class-Segregated Religious Participation on Social Lives of Immigrant Muslim Bangladeshi Women in Chicago" Presented at the annual meeting of American Sociological Association, Boston, MA.
49. Banerjee, Pallavi. "We are not White or Black or Brown, we are Indians": Indian Americans – Intermarriage and Formation of Racial and Ethnic Categories". Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of Association of Black Sociologists, Boston, MA.
50. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Immigrant Bangladeshi Women: Patriarchy and Religious Participation." Presented at the annual meeting of Society for Women Sociologists, Las Vegas, NV.
51. Banerjee, Pallavi. "A Comparative Study of the Lives of People in Indo-Bangladesh and Indo-China Borderlands: Pre and Post Globalization". Presented at the annual meeting of Midwest Sociological Society, St. Louis, MO.

**2007**

52. Banerjee, Pallavi. "The Indo-Bangladesh and Indo-China borderlands: Problematizing the global-local perspective" at a one-day Workshop on Euro-Asian Borderlands organized by the Center for East Asian and Pacific Studies, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, IL.

**2006**

53. Banerjee, Pallavi. "Social Capital As Determinant(s) of Occupation Among Multiethnic Low-Income Immigrants in Chicago" with Pratim Sengupta, Poster presentation at the UIC Interdisciplinary Immigration Initiative Spring Conference, UIC, Chicago, IL.

**TEACHING AND MENTORING EXPERIENCE****Teaching****University of Calgary**

Graduate Seminar in Qualitative Method (WI 2023)  
 Community Engaged Research and Codesigning with the Community (FA 2022)  
 Senior Qualitative Methods (WI 222)  
 Special Topics in Feminist Theory (WI 21, WI 222)  
 Graduate Seminar in Sociology of Gender Relations (WI 18, FA 18 WI 21)  
 Graduate Seminar in Race and Ethnic Relations (FA 19)  
 Directed Reading for Senior Undergraduate Student: Yazidi Refugee Families and the Canadian Education System (SU 2019)  
 Sociology of the Families (FA15, WI 16, FA 17, WI 18)  
 Seminar in Family and Immigration (WI 16, WI 17, FA 18, WI 20)  
 Introductory Research Methods (WI 17, FA 17, WI 18)  
 Directed Reading for MA Student: Globalization and Gender (SP/SU 2018)  
 Directed Reading for Doctoral Student: Global Masculinity and Family (FA 2018)

[\*WI – Winter: January-April; FA – Fall: September-December; SP/SU – Spring/Summer: May-August; SU – Summer: July-August.]

**Vanderbilt University**

Contemporary Social Issues: Gender and Families (SP 15)  
 Contemporary Social Issues: Ethnicity and Families (FA14, FA13)  
 Gender in Society (SP14)

[\*SP – Spring: January-May; FA – Fall: August-December]

### University of Illinois at Chicago

Introduction to Sociological Research Methods (SU11)

Senior Research Experience: Making Alternative and Minority Families Visible (SP11)

Social Problems (SU09, FA08)

[\*SP – Spring: January-May; FA – Fall: August-December; SU – Summer: June-Aug]

### Teaching Interests

Sociology of Immigration and Transnationalism Immigration and Gender; Alternative and Minority Families; Feminist Methodologies; Women in the Global Markets; Sociological Theory and Qualitative Methods

### Training in Teaching and Learning

- Teaching Mentorship Program, Taylor Institute, Center for Teaching and Learning, University of Calgary
- Certification of Participation in Center for Teaching at Vanderbilt University
- Two semesters of Teaching Seminar for Graduate Students at UIC
- Attended workshops on effective teaching at UIC and Vanderbilt University

### Student Mentorship: Supervision / Committee Member

#### Principal Supervisor/Advisor/Co-Supervisor

1. Sepideh Borzoo, **Doctoral Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2020 – Ongoing  
Defense date: June 2023, Sepideh interviewed for a postdoctoral fellow position at the Women's Leadership Lab at Stanford University, U.S.A. (awaiting results)
2. Carieta Thomas, **Doctoral Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2019 – Ongoing (Principal Supervisor, Pallavi Banerjee, Co-supervisor, Naomi Lightman).  
Defense date: June 2023, Carieta will join Sociology Department at Carleton University, Ottawa, as an Assistant Professor on tenure-track in July 2023.
3. Pedrom Nasiri, **Doctoral Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2020 – Ongoing
4. Fatemeh Ejaredar, **Doctoral Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2022 – Ongoing
5. Chetna Khandelwal, **Doctoral Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. January 2023 – Ongoing
6. Riann Lognon, **Master's Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. January 2023 – present
7. Tanner Short, **Master's Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2020 – present
8. Souzan Korsha, **Master's Student**, Co-Supervisor, Department of Engineering, University of Calgary. 2020 – present
9. Lauren Rutherglen, **Master's Student**, Department of Public Policy, University of Calgary. 2020 – 2021 (Graduated).  
Currently: Media and Policy Analyst, Department of Defense, Government of Canada
10. Chetna Khandelwal, **Master's Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2020 – 2022 (Graduated).  
Currently: Doctoral Student at the Sociology Department at University of Calgary

11. Melanie Jong, **Master's Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2020 – 2022 (Graduated).  
Currently: Healthcare Research Analyst, Alberta Health, Edmonton.
12. Isabel Fandino, **Master's Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2018 – 2021. (Graduated).  
Currently: Advisor, Student Conduct Office at University of Calgary
13. Negin Saheb Javaher, **Master's Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2018- 2020 (Graduated).  
Currently: Lecturer, Langara College, Department of Sociology & Anthropology
14. Co-Supervised with Fiona Nelson – Sweta Ghosh, **Doctoral Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2018 – 2019

### Supervisory Committee Member

1. **Member of the Supervisory Committee** – *Chene Redwood* **Doctoral Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2019 – Ongoing
2. **Member of the Supervisory Committee** – *Chelsea Klinke*, **Doctoral Student**, Department of Anthropology, University of Calgary. 2021 – ongoing.
3. **Member of the Supervisory Committee** – *Durga Kale*, **Doctoral Student**, PhD Candidate Department of Classics and Religion, University of Calgary. 2018-present
4. **External Examination Member of Master's Thesis Committee** – *Jill Hoselton*, Faculty of Social Work. University of Calgary. 2022
5. **Member of the Supervisory Committee** – *Syed Hammad Ali*, **Doctoral Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2017 – 2020 (Graduated)
6. **External Committee Member on the Doctoral Dissertation Committee** – *Hansini Munasinghe*, PhD Candidate, Department of Sociology, University of Iowa. 2019 - ongoing
7. **External Committee Member on the PhD Dissertation Committee** – *Soumit Chacko*, PhD Candidate, Department of Sociology, Loyola University, Chicago. 2016 – 2020 (Graduated)
8. **External Examination Member of Master's Thesis Committee** – *Harrison Boss*, Department of Psychology, University of Calgary. 2019
9. **External Examination Member of Master's Thesis Committee** – *Natasha Karim*, Department of Communication and Media Studies. University of Calgary. 2017
10. **Internal-External member of PhD Candidacy Exam Committee** – *Caroline Claussen*, PhD Candidate, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2016
11. **Internal-External member of Masters Thesis Committee** – *Salome Boateng*, MA student, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2016
12. **Interim Supervisor** – Sweta Ghosh, **Doctoral Student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2017
13. **Interim Supervisor** – *Victoria Stamper*, **MA student**, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary. 2016

### Honours Thesis Supervision at University of Calgary

1. Sheema Ahmad (2022-2023)
2. Rupindar Brar (2020-2021)
3. Juliana Castillo (2019-2020)
4. Kennedy Novak (2018-2019)
5. Isabel Fandino (2017-2018)
6. Auska Adhikari (2017-2018)

## PUBLIC SOCIOLOGY

### Media and Press

1. Interviewed by Stephanie Babych at the *Calgary Herald*, With economy on the rise, Alberta leads country in interprovincial migration, March 22, 2023.
2. Interviewed by Lakshita Malik from the Mobilities and Methods Lab for the *New Books Network Podcast* on The Opportunity Trap. July 6, 2022.
3. Interview by Sophia Lopez at the Gauntlet, U of C professor receives government funding for anti-racism and equity programs research. June 13, 2022.
4. Interviewed by Michael Rodriguez at the *Calgary Herald*, Calgary professor receives \$1M federal grant for immigrant, refugee youth research. May 12, 2022.
5. Interviewed by CTV Calgary News at 6:00 p.m. on receiving IRCC funds to do anti-racism work with BIPOC immigrant and refugee youth on May 12, 2022.
6. Quoted in the CTV News story: Calgary professor receives \$1M in funding to research with immigrant, refugee youth, May 12, 2022
7. Interviewed by Jock Wilson for CHQR 770 Radio show Drive, on receiving IRCC funds to do anti-racism work with BIPOC immigrant and refugee youth on May 12, 2022.
8. Interviewed for Technically Human Podcast: The Opportunity Trap: Tech's Visa Problem, Ethical Tech at CalPoly. April 2022.
9. Interviewed on The Opportunity Trap, by Faculti.Net. March 22, 2022.
10. Interviewed by Brittany Gervais at the *Calgary Herald*. Calgary organizations renew efforts to support women in workforce post-COVID. March 8, 2022.
11. Interviewed for both TV and Online Print by Dr. Teri Fikowski on Hate Crimes in Calgary against Muslims, CTV, 660News, June 16, 2021
12. Interviewed for both TV and Online Print by Dr. Henna Saaed, Women vs Men Vaccination Disparity, CTV, 660News, May 7, 2021.
13. Interviewed for International Women's Day at Mount Royal University's Bissett School of Business highlighting Women's Entrepreneurship Knowledge Hub, March 8, 2021.
14. Interviewed for both TV and Online Print by Kathy Le, Gender gap: Women still fall short of men in the workforce and health care system, **CTV**, March 8, 2021.
15. Interviewed on **The Chronicle Herald**. By Olivia Condon. "Researchers say racist, angry outbursts part of a bigger problem as hate crime in Calgary increases." Sep 22, 2020.
16. Interviewed on **Tristate Area Radio Mirchi 1600 AM** on gendered household division of labour in South Asian Families, Aired on August 28, 2019, 4:30 p.m. (EST)
17. Invited to comment on **TV Asia, New York City, Center Stage** Talk Show's season premiere panel discussion on the topic of gender equality and South Asian career woman, Aired on Jan 14, 2019, 7:30 p.m. (EST).
18. Interviewed at the **Danielle Smith Talk Show on CHQR 770 AM (Calgary)** to discuss the UN Migration Pact. Nov 13, 2018
19. Quoted in **The MEL Magazine**, in a feature entitled: In 1976, More than 6 Million Men in India were Coerced into Sterilization, by C. Brian Smith, May 1, 2018.
20. Quoted in **The Economic Times** (*print and online*), in the article entitled: There's still hope for H-4 visa holders. Here's why, by Ishani Dattagupta, Apr 29, 2018.
21. Quoted in the **Calgary Herald**. Nearly 30 years later, Family Day celebrated by an increasingly diverse society. by Valerie Fortney, Feb 16, 2018.
22. Quoted in the **Public Radio International**. The children of H-1B visa holders are growing up - and still waiting for green cards, by Sonia Paul, Feb 13, 2018.
23. Quoted in **The Economic Times**, in the article entitled: Indo-American families face uncertainties as Trump admin plans to rollback H4 spouse visa by Ishani Dattagupta, Jan 7, 2018.
24. Quoted in **Mary Review Magazine** (print and online) in the article entitled: "Life Inside the Golden Cage" by Julianne Hing, Sep 2017.
25. Featured in the University of Calgary, **Faculty of Arts Newsroom** in an article entitled: Studying US Policy that Affects Highly Skilled South Asian Workers.
26. Quoted in *The Economic Times*, in the article entitled: "Why children of H-1B workers may now have to leave America" by Ishani Dattagupta, Oct 22, 2017.
27. Quoted **in The Calgary Herald** in the article, entitled: "Calgary bucking national trend of couples with fewer kids, census data." by Alana Smith, August 2, 2017.
28. Interviewed by the **Council on Contemporary Families** entitled: "Immigration/Politics/Talk" published in **The Society Pages**, December 20, 2016.

30. Quoted in **The CBC news Calgary** in the article, entitled: *Women make up vast majority of those leaving Alberta, Statistics Canada data suggests*, Sep 29, 2016.
31. Quoted in **The Calgary Metro** in article, entitled: *Hate graffiti on Calgary school a danger to refugee and non-refugee students*, Feb 21, 2016
32. Quoted in **The Economic Times** Blog, entitled: *Punjabi Canadians won 18 seats in the recent election in Canada*, Oct 25, 2015
33. Research cited and quoted in **The Economic Times** Blog, entitled: *For H-1B visa holders, double income will be a reality soon*. July 13, 2015
34. Research cited and quoted in **The Huffington Post** Blog, entitled: *Work Permits For Spouses of H1-B Visa Holders Will Help Families, Economy*. July 7, 2015.
35. Interviewed by the **Uptown Radio, New York City: The End of the "Trailing Spouse" Visa**. By Adelle Pontay, April 17, 2015
36. Research cited and quoted in **The Economic Times** Blog, entitled: *US Visa: Spouses of H-1B work permit holders to be eligible for employment authorization*. March 2, 2015
37. Mention in the **American Sociological Association Footnotes**, Volume 42 • Number 6 • July/August 2014
38. Research cited and quoted in **The Washington Post** blog, entitled: *Spouses of high-skilled immigrants aren't allowed to work. That's finally changing*. May 9, 2014
39. Research mentioned in the **American Immigration Law Office Blog**, in a post entitled: *Can Spouses of US Visa Holders Work In The USA?* April 15, 2013.
40. Research featured in the story "Three Things Immigrant Families can Teach All Americans" published in the Berkeley web magazine **Greater Good: The Science of a Meaningful Life**. April 13, 2013.
41. Research Excerpted at *Unconventional Wisdom: News You Can Use, A Survey of Recent Family Research and Clinical Findings*. Publication by **Council on Contemporary Families**, Stephanie Coontz and Joshua Coleman (eds.)
  - "Love-Hate Relationship with Technology in Transnational Lives of Indian Immigrant Women." 6th annual edition, April 20, 2014.
  - "How Do Today's Children Understand Race?" 5th annual edition, April 23, 2012.
  - "The Role Of Religious Involvement In The Lives Of Immigrant Muslim Women: Repressive Or Liberating Force?" 3rd annual Edition, April 2, 2010.

## ACADEMIC SERVICES/ OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

### Service to the Profession/Discipline/Community

- 2023-25 **Elected Chair** Society for the Study of Social Problem, Gender Division.
- 2022-24 **Elected Co-Chair** of Sister-to-Sister Committee (Advocacy and Support for Women and non-Binary people of Colour) Sociologists for Women in Society.
- 2022- **Expert Legal Testimony** for Immigration cases in Canada.
- 2021-24. **Elected Council Member**, Sex and Gender Section, American Sociological Association.
- 2020- **Founding Co-Chair** of Sociologists for Women in Society-North (Canada Chapter)
- 2020 **Grant Adjudicator** for the **Social Science and Humanities Research Council of Canada**
- 2021 **Organizer** of Biweekly Feminist Salon, Department of Sociology, University of Calgary
- 2019-21 **Member** of American Sociological Association **Sex and Gender Programs Committee**
- 2020 **Member** of Canadian Sociological Association, Nominations Committee
- 2021-23 **Member** of American Sociological Association **Jesse Bernard Award Committee**
- 2021 **Member of Best Student Paper Award Committee**, American Sociological Association, International Migration Section.
- 2020- **Member of Carework Network Advisory Committee**
- 2020-22 **Elected Co-Chair**, Academic Justice Committee, Sociologists for Women in Society.
- 2019-22 **Member, Editorial Board: Gender and Society**.
- 2019-22 **Member, Editorial Board: Journal of Family and Economic Issues (JFEI)**
- 2019 **Co-Organizer**: departmental colloquia by sociologist Dr. Amy Brainer.



- 2019 **Co-Organizer:** public lecture by world-renowned sociologist, Dr. Barbara Risman [March 2019.]
- 2018-19 **Appointed Member: Awards Committee** for the Public Sociology Award of the International Migration Section of American Sociological Association.
- 2018-19 **Appointed Member: Awards Committee** of the **Canadian Sociological Association** for Lifetime Achievement Award and Best Student Paper Award.
- 2019 **Organizer and Chair:** a major plenary entitled, People of Color Coping Survival/Thriving Session at the Winter Meetings of the Sociologists for Women in Society, Denver, CO.
- 2018-19 **Appointed Member** of the **National Programs Committee** for the Sociologists for Women in Society responsible for conceiving, planning, and organizing conference program.
- 2018 **Appointed Member** of the **Task Force on creating an Ombuds Committee for Sexual Harassment for the Sociologists for Women in Society**
- 2018 **Panel Organizer:** "Transnational Spaces and Intersectionality in the Context of Global Migration" at the *Canadian Ethnic Studies Conference* in Banff, Alberta, October 2018
- 2018 **Panel Organizer:** with Dr. Naomi Lightman, "Refugees, Citizenship Capital and the Boundaries of Inclusion" at the *National Metropolis Conference*, Calgary, March 2018
- 2017 **Invited Scholar:** at the "Breakfast with Scholar session" to speak about Intersectionality at the Sociologists for Women in Society Conference, Albuquerque, New Mexico, February 2017.
- 2016 **Panel Organizer:** "Configurations of Power and the Marginal in Global Contexts" at the National Women's Studies Association Conference in Montreal, Quebec, November 2016
- 2017-18 **Elected member of the Board of Directors** (Nominated by Dean of Faculty of Arts) of *Canadian Research Institute of Law and the Family*.
- 2016-18 **Elected Member** of the **Nominations Committee, Sociologists for Women in Society**
- 2016 **Session Organizer** – Main Gender Sessions - at **American Sociological Association** Conference in Seattle, August 2016
- 2015-16 **Member of Programs Committee, Southern Sociological Association**, Annual Conference, 2016
- 2014 **Member, Local Arrangements Committee** for winter meeting of **Sociologists for Women in Society**, Nashville.
- 2010 **Presider**, Regular Session: Immigration, Family and The Politics of Home and Belonging at Section on Asians and Asian Americans, at **American Sociological Association Conference**, Atlanta, GA.
- 2009 **Session Organizer, Discussant and Presider**, Migration Flows, Gender and Religion at Midwest Sociological Society annual meeting, Des Moines, IA.
- 2008 **Discussant**, Family/Work Conflicts and Well-Being Session at Midwest Sociological Society St. Louis, MO.
- 2007 **Presider**, Contemporary Families: Into the Future Session at the Midwest Sociological Society meeting. Chicago, IL.

### Service to the Department/University

- 2023-26 Elected Member on Faculty of Arts, Research and Scholarship Committee.
- 2023 Co-Chair, Department of Sociology's Committee on Scholarly Events and Presentations (COSEP) Committee
- 2022 Co-Chair, Dimensions Equitable Pathways and Parallel Pathways, Visible Minorities and Racialized People Task Force
- 2021-22 Vice Chair of the Faculty of Arts, Equity Diversity, and Inclusion Committee.
- 2021-22 Co-Chair and Committee Member, Equity Diversity and Inclusion Committee, Department of Sociology
- 2021 Member of Search Committee, Black Literature, Department of English
- 2020-23 Member of the Committee of Calgary Distinguished Writers' Program
- 2020-23 Elected Member on Faculty of Arts Equity Diversity and Inclusion Committee.
- 2019-21 Member of the Women Studies Program Advisory Committee Member, University of Calgary

- 2019 Sociology Department Representative to The Faculty Association of the University of Calgary.
- 2019 Member of the Sociology Department Advisory Committee for Merit Review, University of Calgary.
- 2018 Member of the Sociology Headship Advisory Selection Committee Meeting.
- 2018 Member, Social Committee, Sociology Department, University of Calgary.
- 2017-19 Member of the Graduate Committee, Sociology Department, University of Calgary.
- 2018 Co-Organized a talk by the renowned international scholar, Dr. Vivek Kumar Professor, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi India on Casteism in India.
- 2017 Organized talk by international scholar, Dr. Espita Halder, Assistant Professor, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India on Gender and Islam in India on the occasion of the 2017 Diversity Week at the University of Calgary.
- 2016 Research Presentation to Dr. Daniel Sansfaçon, the Director of Analysis and Integration for Status of Women, Canada (February 2016).
- 2016 Lunch meetings with Deputy Minister of Alberta on the Status of Women on her visit to campus (January 2016)
- 2015 Organized book talk by international scholar, Dr. Georgiann Davis (Assistant Professor of Sociology at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, on the medical management of intersex at the Q-Centre at the University of Calgary, November 2015.
- 2015-16 Member, Social Committee, Sociology Department, University of Calgary.
- 2014-15 Member, Speaker's Committee, Sociology Department, Vanderbilt University
- 2012-13 Member, student advisory board, Asian-American Studies Department, University of Illinois at Chicago.
- 2011 Member, new Ph.D. cohort recruitment day committee, Sociology Department, University of Illinois at Chicago.
- 2007-08 Graduate Student Representative, Ph.D. Students' Admissions Committee, Sociology Department, UIC.
- 2006-08 Graduate Representative to the Council on Contemporary Families, University of Illinois at Chicago.
- 2005-07 Sociology Representative to Graduate Employees Organization, University of Illinois at Chicago.

### Peer Reviewer

- Stanford University Press, Palo Alto, CA (Book Reviewer)
- New York University Press, New York, (Book Reviewer)
- Rowman & Littlefield Press, Boulder, CO (Book Reviewer)
- Parkland Institute (Peer review: report on migrant workers in Alberta)
- Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Grant Adjudicator, 2018
- Invited External grant referee in the scientific evaluation of proposals submitted to the *European Research Council*, Consolidator and Advanced Grant, 2016
- American Sociological Review;
- American Journal of Sociology;
- Gender & Society;
- Work and Occupation;
- Social Problems;
- Sociological Perspective;
- Canadian Ethnic Studies
- Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies
- Journal of International Migration and Integration
- Journal of Family Issues;
- Women, Gender and Families of Color;
- Youth & Society;
- City and Communities;
- Psychology & Society;
- Journal of Comparative Family Studies;
- Social Currents.

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Canadian Ethnic Studies Association (2018- present )
- American Sociological Association (2006-present)
- Canadian Sociological Association (2015-present)
- Society for the Study of Social Problems (2011-present)
- Southern Sociological Society (2012-present)
- Sociologists for Women in Society (2008-present)
- National Women's Studies Association (2012-present)
- Association of Asian American Studies (2011-present)

## PREVIOUS NON-ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- 2001-2004 Youth Program Coordinator (Field Operations), Children International (USA) Field Office - SAHAY Calcutta, India.
- Duties Included: Designing and implementing community development programming for underprivileged youth and children in India, Nepal and the Philippines. Managing and directing about 100 field staff (program managers and social workers) across India, Philippines, and Nepal.
- 1999-2001 Project Assistant – Education for the Girl Child in Eastern India, UNICEF, India