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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Gender and work, family, kin, unpaid family labor, reproduction of gender inequality, intergenerational ties, comparative sociology, social demography, Latin America.

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

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2020-present Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Massachusetts, Amherst.

## EDUCATION

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- 2020 Ph.D., Sociology, The University of Texas at Austin.  
Dissertation: “*Transitions to Work and Work Precarity: Three Studies on Women’s Work in the Americas.*” Committee: Gloria González-López, Kelly Raley, Abigail Weitzman;  
Chairs: Jennifer Glass and Ken-Hou Lin.  
Comprehensive Exam: Demography.
- 2012 M.A., Sociology, Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú  
Thesis: “*Political Demands of Indigenous Peoples in Peru: An Approach from Indigenous Peoples’ Organizations,*” graded outstanding and recommended for publication.
- 2003 B.A. Library and Information Science. Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú.  
Graduated with Distinction.

## PUBLICATIONS, MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW AND IN PROGRESS

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### Peer-Reviewed Publications

- 2021 Aragão, Maria Carolina and **Aida Villanueva**. “How do Mothers Work?: Kin Coresidence and Mothers’ Work in Latin America.” *Demographic Research*, 45(30): 917-956.
- 2021 Zanatta Coutinho, Raquel, **Aida Villanueva**, Abigail Weitzman, and Leticia Marteleto. “Zika Virus Public Health Crisis and the Reproduction of Gender Inequality in Brazil.” *Reproductive Health*. 18(40).
- 2020 **Villanueva, Aida** and Ken-Hou Lin. “Motherhood Wage Penalties in Latin America: The Significance of Labor Informality.” *Social Forces*. 99(1): 59-85.
- 2018 Marteleto, Leticia and **Aida Villanueva**. “The Educational Consequences of Adolescent Childbearing and Union Formation in Brazil.” *Studies in Family Planning*. 49(3): 183-211.

- 2012 **Villanueva, Aida.** “En torno a la representación especial indígena en el Perú: percepción de líderes indígenas y características del modelo peruano.” *Debates en Sociología*, 37: 43-76.

*Other Publications (Selected)*

**Villanueva, Aida.** 2013. “Indigenous Representation in the Peruvian Congress: Perceptions of Indigenous Leaders and Characteristics of the Peruvian Model” (chapter). In: *Cases of Exclusion and Mobilization of Race and Ethnicities in Latin America*, ed. by Marc Becker. Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 225p.

*Manuscripts in Progress and Under Review*

Aragão, Maria Carolina and **Aida Villanueva.** “Gender and Children’s Racial Classification in Brazil.” *Revise and Resubmit.*

**Villanueva, Aida** and Jose Carlos Aguilar. “Household Structure, Income Shocks and Mothers’ Paid Labor during the COVID-19 Pandemic: Evidence from a High-Mortality Context.”

**Villanueva, Aida** and Maria Carolina Araújo. “Girls’ Unpaid Domestic and Care Work in Brazil: Connections to Mothers’ Employment and Educational Implications.”

Gonalons-Pons, Pilar, Kelly Musik, Jennifer L. Glass and **Aida Villanueva.** Does Having Children Make you Poor? Trends in Family Poverty Following First Births, 1984-2014.

**Villanueva, Aida.** “Children’s Sex Composition and Mothers’ Labor Outcomes in Mexico: Exploring Potential Associations in a Context with Low Female Labor Force Participation.”

**Villanueva, Aida.** “Gender Wage Disadvantages and South-South Migration: An Analysis on Immigrants in Argentina and Chile.”

**SELECTED GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS**

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*Post Graduate School:*

2022 UMass Amherst, Center for Research on Families. CRF Family Research Scholar: year 2022-23.

*Graduate School:*

2018 Graduate School Fellowship, University of Texas at Austin: \$10,000

2017 Graduate School Excellence Award, University of Texas at Austin: \$5,000

2015 Obtained funding support for research activities from the C.B. Smith Sr. Chair in US-Mexico Relations, University of Texas at Austin: \$2,320.

**RECENT INVITED TALKS**

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2022 TBD, Fall 2022. Guest speaker: Population Studies Center Colloquium, University of Pennsylvania.

2022 TBD, Fall 2022. Guest speaker: Seminar Series at the Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais (Brazil), Department of Demography & Centro de Desenvolvimento e Planejamento Regional (CEDEPLAR).

- 2021 Keynote speaker in the Conference “Motherhood and Work”, hosted by The Motherhood Project (Maynooth University - Ireland). Presentation entitled “Social & Demographic Trends shaping Motherhood & Work in Middle-Income Latin American Countries.” (June 24<sup>th</sup>).

#### **SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

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- 2021 Villanueva, Aida. “Children’s Sex Composition and Mothers’ Labor Outcomes in Mexico: Exploring Potential Associations in a Context with Low Female Labor Force Participation”. Population Association of America, Annual Conference, Session 95. May 5-8.
- 2019 Villanueva, Aida and Maria Carolina Aragão. “Daughters’ Unpaid Domestic and Care Work in Brazil: Connections to Mothers’ Employment and Educational Impacts”. Society for the Study of Social Problems, Annual Meeting, Session 107. New York, August 9-11.
- Aragão, Maria Carolina and Aida Villanueva. “Household Composition and Mothers’ Labor Outcomes in Brazil and Peru”. American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting, Roundtable 2266. New York, August 10-13.
- 2018 Hubert, Celia and Aida Villanueva. “Trabajo doméstico y maternidad temprana en adolescentes de Brasil y México.” Latin American Association of Population, Biannual Meeting, Session SR27. Puebla (México), October 23-26.
- 2017 Villanueva, Aida and Leticia Marteleto. “Educational Stratification in Brazil: A focus on Indigenous Youth”. American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting, Roundtable. Montreal, August 12-13.
- 2016 Marteleto, Leticia, Aida Villanueva and Teresa Castro Martin. “The Educational Consequences of Adolescent Childbearing and Union Formation in Brazil”. Population Association of America, Annual Meeting, Session 6-2. Washington, DC, March 31-April 2.
- 2015 Villanueva, Aida, Ken-Hou Lin. “The Motherhood Penalty in Latin America: Evidence from Argentina, Brazil, Ecuador, Mexico & Peru”
- American Sociological Association, Annual Meeting, Session 490. Chicago, August 22-25.
- Population Association of America, Annual Conference, Session 19-2. Washington, DC, March 31-April 2.
- 2011 Villanueva, Aida. “Political Representation of Indigenous Peoples in the Peruvian Parliament: Institutional Limitations and Indigenous Demands.” Conference “Ethnicity, Race and Indigenous Peoples in Latin America and the Caribbean,” U.C. San Diego, November.
- Paper selected for publication as chapter in the conference proceedings’ book: *Cases of Exclusion and Mobilization of Race and Ethnicities in Latin America*, ed. by Marc Becker. Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 225p. 2013.

#### **SELECTED TEACHING-RELATED EXPERIENCE**

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*University of Massachusetts, Amherst*

Instructor: “Graduate Statistics I”, graduate course. Fall 2022.

Instructor: “Data Collection and Analysis” (Social Research Methods), undergraduate course. Fall 2020-Spring 2022.

Instructor: “The Family”, graduate seminar. Fall 2021.

*University of Texas at Austin*

Teaching Assistant, “Regression Analysis and Causal Inference”, graduate course. Spring 2020.

Statistical Consultant, Population Research Center: Fall 2019.

Teaching Assistant, “Introduction to Social Research Methods”, undergraduate course. Spring 2017, Fall 2015.

Teaching Assistant, “Population and Society”, undergraduate course. Spring 2019; Spring & Fall 2016.

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#### **SELECTED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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Research Fellow, November 2009-July 2013. Inter-American Development Bank (IADB), Knowledge and Learning Division; Washington, DC.

Librarian. 2007-2009. Pontifical Catholic University of Peru, University Library System. Subject librarian. Created and led the program: “Information Services for Visually Impaired People”. Lima, Peru.

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#### **SELECTED ADVISING AND STUDENT-RELATED SERVICES**

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*University of Massachusetts, Amherst. Sociology Department.*

Dissertation Committee Member for Ashley Garner

Co-Chair in Comprehensive Exam for Grazielle Valentim Figueredo

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#### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND SERVICE**

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*Ad - Hoc Reviewer:* American Sociological Review, Social Forces, Journal of Family Issues, Work and Occupations, The Sociological Quarterly, Demographic Research, British Journal of Sociology, Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities, Applied Economics.

*Membership in Professional Organizations:* American Sociological Association (ASA), Population Association of America (PAA), Latin American Population Studies Association (ALAP), The Society for the Study of Social Problems (SSSP), Eastern Sociological Society (ESS), Work and Family Researchers Network (WFRN), Red Andino Amazónica en Estudios de Población (RAAEP).

*Internal Professional Service:* University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Department of Sociology.

2021-2022: Committee Member, Colloquia and Special Events Committee (CASEC)

2022-2023: Committee Member, Personnel Committee.

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#### **FOREIGN LANGUAGES**

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Spanish, native proficiency.

Portuguese, proficient reading.