

Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

BA, 1995; Louisiana State University; Sociology

MA, 1999; Louisiana State University; Sociology

PhD, 2001; Louisiana State University; Sociology

- “The Mediating Effects of Civic and Economic Structures on the Relationship Between Concentrated Disadvantage and Black and White Rates of Violent Crime, 1980-1990”
- Research Interests: Social Demography; Stratification and Inequality; Religion

Administrative Appointments:

2018-Present Interim Dean, LSU College of Humanities & Social Sciences

2014-2018 Associate Dean, LSU College of Humanities & Social Sciences

2012-Present Director, Louisiana Population Estimates Program

2013-Present Full Professor, Department of Sociology, Louisiana State University

2007-2013 Associate Professor of Sociology, Department of Sociology, Louisiana State University

2000-13 Research Associate (Special Sworn Status), Center for Economic Studies, Washington D.C. Census Research Data Center, Chicago Federal Reserve U.S. Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce

2001-2007 Assistant to Associate Professor of Sociology, Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Social Work, Mississippi State University

2001-2009 Research Fellow, Social Science Research Center, Mississippi State University

Awards and Fellowships

2014-2015 Southeastern Conference Academic Leadership Program Fellow

2014 2013 LSU Rainmaker Mid-Career Award

2009 Recognized as LSU Rainmaker
1997 ICPSR Fellowship to Attend Summer Program in Statistics
1995 Fred Frey Award for Outstanding Undergraduate Paper

Publications

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

Cope, Michael R., Matthew R. Lee, Tim Slack, Troy C. Blanchard, Jeff Carney, Forbes Lipschitz, and Lydia Gikas. Forthcoming. "Geographically Distant Social Networks Elevate Preparedness for Coastal Environmental Threats." *Population and Environment*, 39(3): 277-296.

Cope, Michael R., Tim Slack, Troy C. Blanchard, and Matthew R. Lee. 2016. "It's Not Whether You Win Or Lose, It's How You Place The Blame: Assessing Perceptions of Blame for the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill." *Rural Sociology*, 81(3):295-315.

Blanchard, Troy, Samuel Stroope, and Charles Tolbert. 2014. "Bringing the Congregations Back in: Religious Markets, Congregational Density, and American Religious Participation." *Religions* 5(3):929-947.

Blanchard, Troy C., Bobbie DeCuir, Gail Bonhomme, Billy R. Stokes, and Craig J. Forsyth. 2014. "Do Changes in Educational Attainment Impact Rates of Poverty for Communities?: A Longitudinal Evaluation of the Viability of Policy Aimed at reducing Poverty through Increasing Educational Attainment In Louisiana, 1970-2000." *Contemporary Journal of Anthropology and Sociology* 4(1): 27-36.

Buffington, Anne, Colleen McKee, Kathleen Ragsdale, Troy C Blanchard, Dorris Baggett, Linda H Southward. 2014. "Impact of Mississippi Healthy Students Act of 2007 on District-and School-Level Health Policies: School Officials' Perspectives." *Journal of School Health* 84(5):285-293.

Cope, Michael, Tim Slack, Troy Blanchard, and Matthew Lee. 2013. "Does Time Heal All Wounds? Community Attachment, Natural Resource Employment, and Health Impacts in the Wake of the BP Deepwater Horizon Disaster." *Social Science Research*.

Hannah, Heather, Rahel Mathews, Linda H. Southward, Ginger W. Cross, Jonathan Kotch, Troy Blanchard, and Arthur G. Cosby. 2012. "Use of Paid Child Care Health Care Consultants in Early Care and Education Settings: Results of a National Study Comparing Provision of Health Screening Services Among Head Start and Non-Head Start Centers." *Journal of Pediatric Health Care* 27:5.

Blanchard, Troy C., Jing Li, Carson Mencken, and Charles Tolbert. 2012. "Entrepreneurial Environment and the Prevalence of Diabetes in U.S. Counties." *ISRN Public Health* (2012), Article ID 359473.

Southward Linda, Kathleen Ragsdale, Colleen McKee, Anne Buffington, Doris Baggett, Troy Blanchard, and John Edwards. 2012. "Public school parents' perspectives on the 2007 Mississippi Healthy Students Act: Findings from 2009-2011." *Journal of Mississippi State Medical Association*, LIII(8), 247-252.

Blanchard, Troy C., Charles Tolbert, and Carson Mencken. 2012. "The Health and Wealth of U.S. Counties: How the Small Business Environment Impacts Alternative Measures of Development." *Cambridge Journal of Regions, Economy, and Society* 5(1):149-162.

Lee, Matthew and Troy C. Blanchard. 2012. "Attachment and Negative Affective States in the Context of the BP Deepwater Horizon Disaster." *American Behavioral Scientist* 56(1):24-37.

Blanchard, Troy C., Billy Stokes, Bobbie DeCuir, Gail Bonhomme, and Craig Forsyth. 2011. "Does Education Solve the Problem of Poverty? A Panel Analysis of Educational Attainment and Place Poverty in Louisiana Parishes, 1990-2000." *International Journal of Sociological Research* 4(1):1-11.

Winters, Lisa, Wanda Rushing, Martin Levin, and Troy C. Blanchard. 2011. "Deindustrialization, Class, and Adolescents: Changing Gender Attitudes in Middletown." *Sociology Mind* 1(3): 14-20.

Berthelot, Emily, Troy C. Blanchard, and Timothy Brown. 2011. "Commuting and Theft: The Effect of Journey to Work on Patterns on Crime Rates." *Kentucky Journal of Anthropology and Sociology* 1(2): 39-54

Cossman, Ronald, Jeralynn S Cossman, Wesley L James, Troy Blanchard, Richard Thomas, Louis G Pol, Arthur G Cosby. 2010. "Correlating pharmaceutical data with a national health survey as a proxy for estimating rural population health." *Population Health Metrics* 8:25.

Howell, Frank M., Jeremy R. Porter, Phil B Mason and Troy B. Blanchard. 2010. "Spatial Contours of Potential Biomass Crop Production: An Extension and Measures of Change." *Journal of Rural Social Sciences* 25(2):1-32.

Porter, Jeremy R., Frank M. Howell, Philip B Mason and Troy C. Blanchard. 2009. "Existing Biomass Infrastructure and Potential Biomass Production in the U.S." *Journal of Maps* v2009:206-218.

Tolbert, Charles, Troy Blanchard, and Michael Irwin. 2009. "Measuring Migration: Profiling Residential Mobility Across Two Decades." *Journal of Applied Social Science* 3(2):24-38.

Gupta, Ruchi, John Pascoe, Troy Blanchard, Diane Langkamp, Paula Duncan, Peter Gorski, and Linda Southward. 2009. "Child Health in Child Care: A Multi-State Survey of Head Start and Non-Head Start Child Care Directors." *Journal of Pediatric Health Care* 23(3):143-149.

Blanchard, Troy C. and Emily Berthelot. 2008. "The Supply Side of Crime: Assessing the Impact of Current Work Patterns and Offender Activities on Burglary Rates." *International Journal of Crime, Criminal Justice, and Law* 3(2):71-79.

Berthelot, Emily R., Troy Blanchard, and Timothy Brown. 2008. "Scots-Irish Women and the Southern Culture of Violence: The Influence of Scots-Irish Females on High Rates of Southern Violence." *Southern Rural Sociology* 23(2):157-170.

Blanchard, Troy, John Bartkowski, Todd Matthews, and Kent Kerley. 2008. "Faith, Morality, and Mortality: The Ecological Impact of Religion on Population Health." *Social Forces* 86(4):1591-1620.

Cossmann, Ronald, Jeralynn Cossmann, Wes James, Troy Blanchard, Richard Thomas, Louis Pol, and Arthur Cosby. 2008. "Evaluating Heart Disease Prescriptions-Filled as a Proxy for Heart Disease Prevalence Rates for Small Geographic Areas." *Journal of Health and Human Services Administration* 30(4):503-528.

Cossmann, Jeralynn, Ronald Cossmann, Wes James, Carol Campbell, Troy Blanchard, and Arthur Cosby. 2007. "Persistent Clusters of Mortality in the U.S." *American Journal of Public Health* 97(12):2148-2150.

Blanchard, Troy. 2007. "Conservative Protestant Congregations and Racial Residential Segregation: Evaluating the Closed Community Thesis in Metropolitan and Nonmetropolitan Counties." *American Sociological Review* 72(3):416-433.

Morton, Lois Wright and Troy Blanchard. 2007. "Starved for Access: Life in Rural America's Food Deserts." *Rural Realities* 1(4):1-10.

Blanchard, Troy and Todd Matthews. 2006. "The Configuration of Local Economic Power and Civic Participation in the Global Economy." *Social Forces* 84(4):2241-2258.

Kerley, Kent, Todd Matthews, and Troy Blanchard. 2005. "Religiosity, Religious Participation, and Negative Prison Behaviors." *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* 44(4):443-457.

Blanchard, Troy, Martin Levin, and Jeralynn Cossmann. 2005. "Data Sources for the Estimation of Hierarchical Models of Individual Mortality Outcomes." *Journal of Economic and Social Measurement* 29(4):473-485.

Irwin, Michael, Troy Blanchard, Charles Tolbert, Thomas Lyson, and Alfred Nucci. 2004. "Why People Stay: The Impact of Community Context on Nonmigration in the USA." *Population* 59(5):567-592. <Lead Article>

Blanchard, Troy, Jeralynn Cossmann, and Martin Levin. 2004. "Multiple Meanings of Minority Concentration: Incorporating Contextual Explanations into the Analysis of Individual-Level U.S. Black Mortality Outcomes." *Population Research and Policy Review* 23(3):309-326.

James, Wesley, Ronald Cossman, Jeralynn Cossman, Carol Campbell, and Troy Blanchard. 2004. "A Brief Visual Primer for the Mapping of Mortality Trend Data." *International Journal of Health Geographics* 3:7.

Tolbert, Charles, Forrest Deseran, and Troy Blanchard. 2003. "Communities of Interest, Social Justice, and Congressional Redistricting: The Case of Louisiana's Fourth District in the 1990's." *Social Justice* 30(4):91-107.

Blanchard, Troy, Michael Irwin, Charles Tolbert, Thomas Lyson, and Alfred Nucci. 2003. "Suburban Sprawl, Regional Diffusion, and the Fate of Small Retailers in a Large Retail Environment, 1977-1996." *Sociological Focus* 36(4):313-331.

Peer Reviewed Book Chapters

Tolbert, Charles, F. Carson Mencken, Troy C. Blanchard, and Jing Li. 2016. "American Civic Community over Space and Time", in *Recapturing Space: New Middle-Range Theory in Spatial Demography*, Frank M. Howell, Jeremy Porter, and Stephen Matthews eds. Switzerland: Springer International Publishing Company.

Blanchard, Troy and Todd Matthews. 2007. "Retail Concentration, Food Deserts, and Food Disadvantaged Communities in Rural America", in *Remaking the North American Food System*, Claire Hinrichs and Thomas Lyson eds. Lincoln: University of Nebraska Press.

Cossman, Ronald E., Cossman, Jeralyn S., James, Wesley L., Blanchard, Troy C., and Cosby, Arthur. 2004. "Mortality Rates Across Time: Does Persistence Suggest "Healthy and Unhealthy Places" in the United States?" In *WorldMinds: Geographical Perspectives on 100 Problems*, edited by Janelle, D.G., Warf, B., and Hansen, K. Amsterdam: Kluwer Press.

Policy Publications

(Note that these policy reports have received front page news coverage in a National and State media outlets, such as Time Magazine, USA Today, The Times Picayune, The Advocate, and The Louisiana Radio Network)

Blanchard, Troy C. 2015. "Louisiana Municipal Population Estimates, July 1, 2014." Louisiana Population Estimates Program, Department of Sociology, LSU.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2014. "Louisiana Parish Population Estimates, July 1, 2013." Louisiana Population Estimates Program, Department of Sociology, LSU.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2014. "Louisiana Municipal Population Estimates, July 1, 2013." Louisiana Population Estimates Program, Department of Sociology, LSU.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2013. "Louisiana Parish Population Estimates, July 1, 2012." Louisiana Population Estimates Program, Department of Sociology, LSU.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2013. "Louisiana Municipal Population Estimates, July 1, 2012." Louisiana Population Estimates Program, Department of Sociology, LSU.

Cowley, Amanda D., Mark J. Schafer, and Troy Blanchard. 2012. "Racial and Ethnic Groups in the Gulf of Mexico Region: Latinos." LSU AgCenter Research Report #115. LSU AgCenter.

Cowley, Amanda D., Mark J. Schafer, and Troy Blanchard. 2012. "Racial and Ethnic Groups in the Gulf of Mexico Region: Vietnamese." LSU AgCenter Research Report #116. LSU AgCenter.

Cowley, Amanda D., Mark J. Schafer, and Troy Blanchard. 2012. "Racial and Ethnic Groups in the Gulf of Mexico Region: Asians." LSU AgCenter Research Report #117. LSU AgCenter.

Cowley, Amanda D., Mark J. Schafer, and Troy Blanchard. 2012. "Racial and Ethnic Groups in the Gulf of Mexico Region: Croatians." LSU AgCenter Research Report #119. LSU AgCenter.

Paul, Crystal, Amanda D. Cowley, Mark J. Schafer, and Troy Blanchard. "Racial and Ethnic Groups in the Gulf of Mexico Region: Cajuns." LSU AgCenter Research Report #118. LSU AgCenter.

Blanchard, Troy C. and Karen Paterson. 2009. "The Growing Hispanic Population in Louisiana: New Evidence from the July 1, 2008 Population Estimates by Race and Ethnicity" CAPER Fact Sheet #11: May 2009.

Lee, Matthew R. and Troy C. Blanchard. 2009. "Murder and Public Health: The Gardere Community in 2008 as a Case in Point" CAPER Fact Sheet #10: January 2009.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2009. "Population Projections of Louisiana Parishes through 2030." Office of Electronic Services, Division of Administration, State of Louisiana.

Troy C. Blanchard and Matthew R. Lee. 2008. "Poverty Estimates for Baton Rouge and New Orleans, 2007" CAPER Fact Sheet #9: August 2008.

Troy C. Blanchard. 2008. "Population Estimates by Age, Race, Sex and Hispanic Origin for East Baton Rouge, Ascension, and Livingston Parishes." CAPER Fact Sheet #8: August 2008.

Blanchard, Troy and Thomas Lyson. 2006. *Food Availability and Food Deserts in the Nonmetropolitan South*. Food Assistance Needs of the South's Vulnerable Population, Number 12.

Blanchard, Troy and Thomas Lyson. 2003. *Retail Concentration, Food Deserts, and Food Disadvantaged Communities in Rural America*. Final Report for Food Assistance Grant Program, Southern Rural Development Center-Economic Research Service, USDA.

Blanchard, Troy and Thomas Lyson. 2002. *Access to Low Cost Groceries in Nonmetropolitan Counties: Large Retailers and the Creation of Food Deserts*. Proceedings of the Rural Diversity Conference, November 2002.

Tolbert, Charles, Troy Blanchard, Michael Irwin, Thomas Lyson, and Alfred Nucci. 2001. "Engaging Business: Civic Engagement and Locally Oriented Firms." *Southern Perspectives* Volume 5, Number 2.

Funded Research

Blanchard, Troy C. 2017. "Louisiana Population Estimates Program." LSU AgCenter-Louisiana Treasury. Funded at \$75,000. Project Dates: July 2017-June 2018.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2016. "Louisiana Population Estimates Program." LSU AgCenter-Louisiana Treasury. Funded at \$75,000. Project Dates: July 2016-June 2017.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2015. "Louisiana Population Estimates Program." LSU AgCenter-Louisiana Treasury. Funded at \$75,000. Project Dates: July 2015-June 2016.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2014. "Louisiana Population Estimates Program." LSU AgCenter-Louisiana Treasury. Funded at \$75,000. Project Dates: October 2014-June 2015.

Finucane, Melissa, et al. 2014. "Consortium for Resilient Gulf Communities." Gulf of Mexico Research Initiative. Funded at \$8,000,000.00. LSU Subaward: \$936,000.00. Project Dates: April 2015-December 2018.

Blanchard, Troy C. "Louisiana Population Estimates Program." \$75,000. LSU AgCenter. Project Dates: October 1, 2013-June 30, 2014.

Blanchard, Troy and Mark Schafer. "Ethnic Groups and Enclaves Affected by OCS." Mineral and Management Service Environmental Studies Program. \$755,229. Funded January 29, 2010-July 31, 2014.

Blanchard, Troy C. "Proposal for Louisiana Population Estimates Program." \$130,356. LSU AgCenter. Project Dates: October 1, 2012-June 30, 2013.

Blanchard, Troy C. "Social Impact Analysis." \$62,851. Project Under Non-Disclosure Agreement. Dates: July 1, 2013-December 31, 2013.

Lee, Matthew. Troy C. Blanchard, Tim Slack, Jeff Carney, and Kirby Goidel. "Vulnerability and Resilience in Threatened Coastal Louisiana Communities." \$190,086. National Sea Grant College Program (NOAA). Funded July 1, 2012-June 30, 2014.

Blanchard, Troy and Tim Slack. "Tracking Community Resilience in the Wake of the Deepwater Horizon Disaster: Assessing the Evidence." \$60,553. BP Exploration and Production, GRI III. Funded July 1, 2011-December 31, 2011.

Slack, Tim and Troy Blanchard. “Understanding the Social Impacts of the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill in the Context of Community Vulnerability and Resiliency.” \$128,016. BP Exploration and Production, GRI II. Funded July 1, 2011-June 30, 2012

Blanchard, Troy, Fredrick Weil, Tim Slack, Justine Tinkler, Sarah Becker, Kirby Goidel, William Bankston, and Susan Dumais. “Tracking Community Resilience in the Wake of the Deepwater Horizon Disaster: Developing Infrastructure for Analyzing the Impact on Coastal Communities.” \$65,974. BP Exploration and Production, GRI I. Funded August 27, 2010 August 26, 2011.

Fannin, Matt, Troy Blanchard, Mark Schafer, and Tim Slack. “A Prospectus” Louisiana Coastal Marine Institute, Minerals and Management Service. \$90,373. Funded July 1, 2009-June 30, 2011.

Blanchard, Troy. “The Flow of Talent in Louisiana: An Analysis of Louisiana Migration Trends.” Louisiana Department of Economic Development, Division of Administration, State of Louisiana. \$33,925. Funded August 1, 2009-December 31, 2009.

Schafer, Mark, Troy Blanchard, Matt Fannin, and Tim Slack. “Improving Capacity for Institutional Analysis of the Oil and Gas Industry for the Gulf of Mexico Region.” Louisiana Coastal Marine Institute, Minerals and Management Service. \$404,553. Funded July 1, 2009-June 30, 2011.

Blanchard, Troy. The Social Context of Mortality: Evaluating the Link Between Community Organization and U.S. Life Expectancy. LSU Faculty Research Grant Program. \$7,525. Funded August 1, 2008-July 31, 2009.

Blanchard, Troy. Population Projections for Louisiana Parishes. Louisiana Division of Administration, Office of Electronic Services. \$19,024. Funded May 1, 2008-September 30, 2008.

Weil, Fredrick and Troy Blanchard. The Contribution of Social Capital and Social Organization to Disaster Recovery. National Science Foundation. \$210,200. Funded March 1, 2008-February 28, 2010.

Blanchard, Troy and Charles Tolbert. Collaborative Research on Organizational Determinants of Job Mobility: An Analysis of U.S. Longitudinal Employer-Employee Data. National Science Foundation. \$149,082. Funded September 1, 2006-August 31, 2009.

Blanchard, Troy and Charles Tolbert. Rural Retail Firms and Workers in the Age of the Big Box: Evidence from the Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics Program. USDA National Research Initiative. \$267,300. Funded August 15, 2006-August 14, 2009.

Southward, Linda and Troy Blanchard. Research in Early Care and Education Settings (RECES)—Phase II. Early Childhood Learning Institute and the U.S. Department of Health and

Human Services. \$100,000. Funded April 1, 2005-May 31, 2006.

Southward, Linda and Troy Blanchard. Research in Early Care and Education Settings (RECES)—Phase I. Early Childhood Learning Institute and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. \$70,000. Funded September 1, 2004-March 31, 2005.

Cossman, Ronald, Lynne Cossman, and Troy Blanchard. Estimating Morbidity with Prescription Data. Office of Rural Health Policy, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. \$129,000. Funded September 1, 2004-August 31, 2005.

Blanchard, Troy. Food Deserts in the U.S.: A Multilevel Analysis of Food Deserts and Nutrition Related Outcomes. Office of Rural Health Policy, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. \$65,026. Funded July 1, 2003-June 30, 2004. Co-PI.

Blanchard, Troy. Sizing Up the Big Box Retailer: The Impact of Large Retailing on Local Rural Economies. Research Initiation Program, Mississippi State University. \$9,985. Funded January 2003-December 2003. PI.

Tolbert, Charles and Troy Blanchard. Delineation of U.S. Commuting Zones with 2000 Census Data. Economic Research Service, USDA. \$32,900. Funded October 1, 2002-September 30, 2003. Co-PI.

Blanchard, Troy and Thomas Lyson. Retail Globalization and Food Access in the South. Southern Rural Development Center and Economic Research Service, USDA. \$29,000. Funded October 1, 2002-September 30, 2003. PI.

Irwin, Michael and Troy Blanchard. Rural Civic Community and Population Stability: Linking Civic Structure and Individual Migration Behavior. National Research Initiative Competitive Grants Program, USDA. \$132,000. Funded December 1, 2002-November 31, 2005. Co-PI.

Cossman, Lynne, Troy Blanchard, and Martin Levin. Contextual Correlates of Mortality II. Office of Rural Health Policy, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. \$77,248. Funded July 1, 2002-June 30, 2003. Co-PI.

Cossman, Lynne, Troy Blanchard, and Martin Levin. Contextual Correlates of Mortality. Office of Rural Health Policy, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. \$75,037. Funded July 1, 2001-June 30, 2002. Co-PI.

Conference Presentations

Cope, Michael R., Matthew R. Lee Tim Slack, and Troy C. Blanchard. “Geographically Differentiated Support Resources on Perceived Household Preparedness in Disaster Prone Coastal Communities.” Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Rural Sociological Society, Madison, WI, 2015.

Vanessa Parks, Michael R. Cope, Tim Slack, Troy C. Blanchard, and Matthew R. Lee. "Behavioral Disruption and the Deepwater Horizon Disaster." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, 2015.

Cope, Michael R., Tim Slack, Troy C. Blanchard, and Matthew R. Lee. "Social Vulnerability and Intended Migration Following a Technological Disaster: The BP Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill and Southeast Louisiana." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Rural Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, 2014.

Slack, Tim, Michael R. Cope, Troy C. Blanchard, and Matthew R. Lee. 2013. "Vulnerability to Negative Health Impacts Following the BP Deepwater Horizon Disaster: Examining the Influence of Time, Community Attachment, and Natural Resource Employment." Paper invited by the President of the Rural Sociological Society for a joint session at the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association and the Rural Sociological Society, New York, NY, 2013.

Cope, Michael R., Tim Slack, Troy C. Blanchard, and Matthew R. Lee. 2013. "It's Not Whether You Win or Lose, It's How You Place the Blame: Recreancy and the 2010 BP Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Rural Sociological Society, New York, NY, 2013.

Cope, Michael R., Tim Slack, Troy C. Blanchard, and Matthew R. Lee. 2012. "Vulnerability and Resiliency in Coastal Louisiana: Assessing the Impacts of the BP Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill." Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Rural Sociological Society, Chicago, IL, 2012.

Cope, Michael R., Tim Slack, and Troy C. Blanchard. 2012. "Vulnerability, Resiliency, and Community Disruption in Coastal Louisiana: Assessing the Social Impacts of the BP Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill." Paper presented at annual meetings of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA, 2012.

Blanchard, Troy and Christopher Kenny. 2011. "Summary of Human Impacts of Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill." The Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill Conference, Baton Rouge, LA.

Blanchard, Troy. 2011. "Health Impacts of Deepwater Horizon Drilling Disaster on Coastal Louisiana Residents" The Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill Conference, Baton Rouge, LA.

Blanchard, Troy. 2011. "Oil and Gas Employment and Population in Louisiana." Bureau of Ocean Energy Management Information Transfer Meeting.

Blanchard, Troy. 2010. "Oil and Gas Employment and Population in Louisiana." LSU Center for Natural Resource Economics and Policy.

Berthelot, Emily and Troy Blanchard. 2009. Predicting Social Capital with Social Disorganization. Paper Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meetings.

Schafer, Mark, Makiko Hori, and Troy Blanchard. 2009. Regional Contexts: The Spatial Dynamics of School Performance in Louisiana. Paper Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meetings.

Maddox, David, Troy Blanchard, and Fredrick Weil. 2009. Stress and Social Support in New Orleans' Disaster Recovery. Paper Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Annual Meetings.

Blanchard, Troy C. and Matthew Lee. 2008. Religious Homogeneity and Lethal Violence. Paper Presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings.

Berthelot, Emily, Troy C. Blanchard, and Tim Brown. 2008. Commuting and Theft: The Effect of Journey to Work Patterns on Crime Rates, A Spatial Analysis. Paper Presented at the American Society of Criminology Annual Meetings.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2007. LEHD and Possibilities for Research on Job Mobility, Stratification and Inequality, and the Potential for Linking to Health Data. Paper Presented at the Southern Demographic Association Meetings.

Tolbert, Charles M., Michael D. Irwin, Troy C. Blanchard, and Alfred R. Nucci. 2006. Nonmetro Bound: Attributes and Correlates of Metropolitan Adults Who Migrate to Rural America. Paper Presented at the Southern Demographic Association Meetings.

Cossman, Ronald E., Jeralynn S. Cossman, Wesley L. James, Troy Blanchard, Richard Thomas, Louis G. Pol, Arthur G. Cosby. 2006. Comparing Dissimilar Health Data Sets. Paper Presented at the Southern Demographic Association Meetings.

Cossman, Jeralynn S., Ronald E. Cossman, Wesley L. James, Troy Blanchard, Richard Thomas, Louis G. Pol, Arthur G. Cosby. 2006. Testing Prescription Data as a Proxy Measure for County-Level Diabetes Prevalence. Paper Presented at the Southern Demographic Association Meetings.

Matthews, Todd and Troy Blanchard. 2005. Patterns of Spatial Inequality in U.S. Poverty Rates. Paper Presented at the Southern Demographic Association Meetings.

Cossman, Ronald, Jeralynn Cossman, Wesley James, Arthur Cosby, Troy Blanchard, Richard Thomas, and Louis Pol. 2005. Chronic Illness Versus Death: Do These Patterns Match? Paper Presented at the Southern Demographic Association Meetings.

Irwin, Michael D., Troy Blanchard, Alfred R. Nucci, Charles M. Tolbert, and Thomas A. Lyson. 2004. The Effect of Life Course Transitions on Mobility: Comparisons Between 1990 and 2000. Paper Presented at the Southern Demographic Association Meetings.

Blanchard, Troy C. and Michael Irwin. 2004. Community Capital or Creative Capital? The Role of Social Context on the Flow of Talent in the U.S. Paper Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Meetings.

Matthews, Todd and Troy C. Blanchard. 2004. The Forgotten Debate over Community Power in the Social Sciences and its Enduring Relevance Today. Paper Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Meetings.

Tolbert, Charles, Troy Blanchard, and Alex Trouteaud. 2004. U.S. Commuting Zones for 2000. Poster Presented at the Population Association of America Meetings.

Blanchard, Troy and Thomas Lyson. 2003. Food Access and Nutrition Related Outcomes in the Rural South. USDA, Economic Research Service, Food Assistance Conference, Washington D.C. Invited Presentation.

Blanchard, Troy. 2003. The Contextual Effect of Income Inequality and Civic Community on the Individual Risk of Mortality for U.S. Adults. Paper Presented at the Southern Demographic Association Meetings.

Tolbert, Charles, Troy Blanchard, Michael Irwin, Thomas Lyson, and Alfred Nucci. 2003. A Spatial Model of Rural Labor Market Inequality. Paper Presented at the Rural Sociological Society Meetings.

Blanchard, Troy. 2003. Multi-Level Explanations of Rural Nutrition and Health Related Outcomes. Paper Presented at the Rural Sociological Society Meetings.

Blanchard, Troy, Jeralynn Cossman, and Martin Levin. 2003. Data Sources for the Estimation of Hierarchical Models of Individual Mortality Outcomes. Paper Presented at the Population Association of America Meetings.

Cossman, Ronald, Jeralynn Cossman, Troy Blanchard, Wesley James, and Carol Campbell. 2003. Spatial Implications of Different Mortality Standardization Schemes. Poster Presented at the Population Association of America Meetings.

Blanchard, Troy. 2003. Community Context and U.S. Mortality. Paper Presented at the Southern Sociological Meetings.

Tolbert, Charles, Troy Blanchard, and Alfred Nucci. Your Place or Mine? The Plausability of Place and Other Sub-County Typologies. Paper Presented at the 2002 Measuring Rural Diversity Conference. Invited Presentation.

Blanchard, Troy and Thomas Lyson. 2002. Access to Low Cost Groceries in Nonmetropolitan Counties: Large Retailers and the Creation of Food Deserts. Paper Presented at the 2002 Measuring Rural Diversity Conference. Invited Presentation.

Blanchard, Troy C. 2002. Who Benefits from the Rural-Urban Gap in Mortality: A Race Disaggregated Analysis of Mortality in U.S. Counties, 1970-1990. Paper Presented at the Rural Sociological Society Meetings.

Irwin, Michael, Troy Blanchard, Charles Tolbert, Alfred Nucci, and Thomas Lyson. 2002. Civic and Economic Structure and Individual Migration Patterns. Paper Presented at the American Sociological Association Meetings.

Irwin, Michael, Troy Blanchard, Charles Tolbert, Alfred Nucci, and Thomas Lyson. 2002. Leaving Home: Modelling the Effect of Civic and Economic Structure on Individual Migration Patterns. Paper Presented at the Population Association of America Meetings.

Cossmann, Jeralyn Sitting, Troy Blanchard, and Martin Levin. 2002. Contextual Correlates of Mortality: Are There Healthy Places to Live? Poster Presented at the Population Association of America Meetings.

Blanchard, Troy, and Madelyn Wagner. 2002. Civic Infrastructure, Income Inequality, and Mortality in U.S. Counties, 1990. Paper Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Meetings.

Kerley, Kent, Jeralyn Sitting Cossmann, and Troy Blanchard. 2002. Family Capital, Delinquency, and Illicit Drug Use. Paper Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Meetings.

Cossmann, Jeralyn Sitting, Troy Blanchard, and Martin Levin. 2002. Contextual Correlates of Mortality: Are There Healthy Places to Live? Paper Presented at the Southern Sociological Society Meetings.

Irwin, Michael, Troy Blanchard, Charles Tolbert, Thomas Lyson, and Alfred Nucci. 2001. Dwelling Together: Community Civic Structure and Residential Integration. Paper Presented at the Southwestern Social Science Meetings.

Irwin, Michael, Troy Blanchard, Alfred Nucci, Charles Tolbert, and Thomas Lyson. 2001. Modeling the Effect of Civic and Economic Structure on Individual Migration Patterns. Paper Presented at the Southern Demographic Association.

Blanchard, Troy C., Charles Tolbert, Michael Irwin, Thomas Lyson, and Alfred Nucci. 2001. Do the Costs Outweigh the Benefits?: The Effects of Large Retailers on Local Business Environments. Paper Presented at the Annual Meeting Rural Sociological Society.

Blanchard, Troy, Carson Mencken, and Asha Luthra. 2001. Concentrated Disadvantage and Homicide in the Nonmetro U.S.: A Race Specific Analysis of Homicide in Nonmetro Counties. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.

Manning, Amy, Charles Tolbert, Troy Blanchard, and Fredrick Weil. 2001. What if the South has Plenty of Social Capital, But Not the Kind that Benefits It?: The Case of Baton Rouge. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.

Blanchard, Troy. 2000. Residential Exposure and Civic Community Structure: An Analysis of Residential Exposure in Selected U.S. Counties, 1990. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association.

Irwin, Michael, Troy Blanchard, Charles Tolbert, Thomas Lyson, and Alfred Nucci. 2000. Civic Community and Rural Inequality: Racial Segregation and Civic Structures. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association.

Deseran, F.A. and Troy Blanchard. 2000. Who's Next? Social Capital, Occupational Attachment, and Succession in the Louisiana Shrimp Industry. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Rural Sociological Association.

Mencken, Carson, Charles Tolbert, and Troy Blanchard. 2000. Inequality and Spatial Autocorrelation in Mid-South Counties. Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Association.

Deseran, Travis and Troy Blanchard. 1999. Class and Gender: Changes in the U.S. Class Structure for Men and Women, 1980 to 1990. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.

Blanchard, Troy. 1999. The Effect of Contingent Labor on Earnings and Earnings Disparities in the U.S. Labor Market. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.

Blanchard, Troy. 1998. Earnings Differentials and Contingent Labor in the U.S. Labor Market. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.

Deseran, F.A., Deborah Tootle, and Troy Blanchard. 1997. Home or Just a Place to Work: Community Satisfaction and Occupational Satisfaction among Louisiana Shrimpers. Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Rural Sociological Society.

Blanchard, Troy. 1997. Earnings Determination and High Tech Employment. Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Southern Sociological Society.

Professional Activities

Peer Review Activities

Ad hoc Reviewer, *American Sociological Review*

Ad hoc Reviewer, *Social Problems*

Ad hoc Reviewer, *Social Forces*

Ad hoc Reviewer, *Rural Sociology*

Ad hoc Reviewer, *Agriculture and Human Values*

Ad hoc Reviewer, *Sociological Focus*

Ad hoc Reviewer, *Sociological Spectrum*

Ad hoc Reviewer, *Deviant Behavior*

Organizational Service

Program Committee, Southern Sociological Society, 2012-2013
 Secretary-Treasurer, Southern Demographic Association, 2007-2009.
 Listserv Manager, Southern Sociological Society, 2003-2007.
 Assistant Secretary Treasurer of the Southern Sociological Society, 2001-2007.
 Chair of Graduate Student Business Meeting, Rural Sociological Society, 2001-2002.
 Faculty Liaison, Sociology Graduate Student Association, Louisiana State University
 2000-2001.
 President, Sociology Graduate Student Association, Louisiana State University, 1997-
 1999.

Selected National Media Coverage

April 2012 “Small Business Does a Body Good?” *Inc Magazine*
 February 2012 “Study of the Day: Towns With Small Businesses Have Healthier People” *The Atlantic*
 July 4, 2004 “Rural Poor Struggle to Find Healthy Food” Associated Press National Release
 June 7, 2004 “Not Too Rich or Too Thin” in *Time Magazine*
 May 3, 2004 “Are You Rich Enough to be Thin?” in *USA Today*

Departmental/University Teaching and Service

Students Advised

2013-Present	Joseph Clark, Doctoral Student, Major Professor
2011-2015	Will Breyerton, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2011-2015	Michael Cope, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2011-2014	David Maddox, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2011-2014	Donovan Ceasar, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2012-2015	Ali Yuksek, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2012-2016	Ya-Feng Lin, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2013-2016	Win Guan, Doctoral Student, Major Professor
2010-2014	Brett Lehmann, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2008-2015	Kayla Fontenot, Doctoral Student, Major Professor
2008-2013	Skylar Gremillion, Doctoral Student, Major Professor
2011-2012	Amanda Cowley, Master’s Student, Committee Member
2008-2013	Chantel Dufrene, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2009-2013	Sarah Walsh, Doctoral Student, Major Professor
2008-2012	Lisa Winters, Doctoral Student, Major Professor
2009-2012	Candice Myers, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2009-2011	Jessica Doucet, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2008-2010	Jessica Pearce, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2008-2011	Raymond Barranco, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2008-2010	Emily Berthelot, Doctoral Student, Co-Major Professor
2008-2009	Matt Wilkinson, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2007-2009	Shaun Thomas, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2006-2008	Rosa Nigro, Doctoral Student, Committee Member

2006-2008	Jeremy Porter, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2006-2007	Wesley James, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2004-2007	Todd Matthews, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2006-2007	William Sansing, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2002-2007	Penelope Blankenship, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2003-2007	Debjani Chakrabarti, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2003-2006	Michael Taquino, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2003-2007	Michelle Estis-Sumerel, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2001-2004	Madelyn Wagner, Master's Student, Major Professor
2003-2006	Angelo Gaspard, Master's Student, Major Professor
2005-2006	Rachelle Graham, Master's Student, Major Professor
2003-2005	Albert Jiminez, Master's Student, Committee Member
2003-2005	Wesley James, Master's Student, Committee Member
2002-2005	Yousef Al-Mlaifi, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2003-2005	Paulette Meikle-Yaw, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2001-2005	Steve Grice, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2002-2004	Madalla Al-Iblei, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2002-2004	Jeff Schultz, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2002-2003	Laura Sun, Doctoral Student, Committee Member
2002-2003	Thomas Kerson, Doctoral Student, Committee Member

Departmental/University Activities

Louisiana State University

Member, IT Finance Committee, 2017-2018
Member, IT Governance Committee, 2017-2018
Member, Chief Data Officer Search Committee, 2017
Member, Director of Center for Academic Studies Search Committee, 2017
Member, Director of Admissions Search Committee, 2017
Member, Political Science Departmental Review Committee, 2014
Chair, Sociology Faculty Search Committee (Three Assistant Professor Lines), 2013-Present
Member, Dean of Humanities and Social Sciences Search Committee, 2013-Present
Member, Undergraduate Committee, 2013 Present
Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, 2013-Present
Member, Graduate Policy Committee, 2013-Present
Member, Vice Chancellor for Office of Research and Economic Development Search Committee, 2012-2013
Chair, Academic Committee, LSU NCAA Internal Review, 2011-2012
Organized Award Submission Effort for 2013 Distinguished Teaching Award
Organized Award Submission Effort for 2012 Rainmaker's Award
Member, Graduate Dean Search Committee
Ad Hoc Reviewer for Internal Grant Programs, Office of Research and Economic Development
Member, Social Science Research Council, 2010-Current
Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, 2008-2010
Member, Graduate Policy Committee, 2008-2010
Member, Advisory Committee, 2007-2009

Member, Faculty Recruitment Committee, 2007-2008

Mississippi State University

Member, Department Head Search Committee, 2006-2007

Member, University Faculty Senate, 2004-2007

Member, Department Appeals Committee, 2004-2005

Member, Graduate Admissions Committee, 2004-2007

Faculty Advisor, Alpha Kappa Delta Student Association, 2002-2004

Chair, Demography Area Committee, 2003-2004,

Member, Demography Area Committee, 2005-2007

Member, Qualifying Exam Committee, 2002-2006.

Member, Graduate Policy and Procedures Committee, 2002-2004

Departmental Website Manager, 2002-Present

Alternate Representative to the Arts and Science Council, 2001-2003

Assistant Professor Representative to the Advisory Committee, 2001-2002

Member, Undergraduate Sociology Committee, 2001-2003

Courses Taught

Introductory Sociology, Undergraduate Level

Methods of Social Research, Undergraduate Level

Social Research Practice, Undergraduate Level

Population Problems, Split Level

Research Design, Graduate Level

Seminar in Social Stratification, Graduate Level

Data Management in the Social Sciences, Graduate Level

Demographic Techniques, Graduate Level

Seminar in Population, Graduate Level

Seminar in Labor Markets, Graduate Level

Multilevel Analysis-Spatial Regression, Graduate Level

Sociology of Religion, Split Level

Memberships

Alpha Kappa Delta Sociology Honors Society

American Sociological Association

Southern Sociological Society