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**EMPLOYMENT**

- 2018 – *Assistant Professor*, Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- 2018 – *Faculty Fellow*, Carolina Population Center, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- 2016 – 2018 *Postdoctoral Research Fellow*, Department of Sociology and Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- 2016 – 2018 *Postdoctoral Scholar*, Carolina Population Center, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

**EDUCATION**

- 2016 Ph.D., Sociology, Vanderbilt University  
*Dissertation: Different Shades of Health: The Joint Consequences of Skin Color, Race, Gender, and Social Class in a Life Course Context*  
  
Committee: Tyson Brown (Chair); C. André Christie-Mizell; Dan Cornfield; Hedwig (Hedy) Lee  
  
Doctoral exams: Social Stratification and Medical Sociology (*with distinction*)
- 2013 M.A., Sociology, Vanderbilt University
- 2011 B.A., Psychology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

**RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS**

Race & Ethnicity, Medical Sociology, Life Course and Aging, Social Stratification of Health, Quantitative Methodology

## PUBLICATIONS

Gaydos, Lauren, Robert A. Hummer, **Taylor W. Hargrove**, Carolyn T. Halpern, Jon M. Hussey, Eric A. Whitsel, Nancy Dole, and Kathleen Mullan Harris. 2019. "The Depths of Despair Among US Adults Entering Midlife." *American Journal of Public Health* 109(5):774-780.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2018. "BMI Trajectories in Adulthood: The Intersection of Skin Color, Gender, and Age among African Americans." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 59(4):501-519.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2018. "Light Privilege? Skin Tone Stratification in Health among African Americans." *Sociology of Race & Ethnicity*. doi: 10.1177%2F2332649218793670

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2018. "Intersecting Social Inequalities and BMI Trajectories from Adolescence to Early Adulthood." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 59(1):56-73.

Matilda White Riley Early Stage Investigator Paper Award, *National Institutes of Health (NIH)*, Office of Behavioral and Social Science Research (OBSSR)

Brown, Tyson H., and **Taylor W. Hargrove**. 2017. "Psychosocial Mechanisms Underlying Older Black Men's Health." *Journal of Gerontology, Series B: Psychological Sciences* 73(2):188-197.

Pearlman, Jessica, Lisa D. Pearce, Dirgha J. Ghimire, Prem Bhandari, and **Taylor W. Hargrove**. 2017. "Community, Household, and Individual Factors Related to Post-Marital Living Arrangements in Historically Patrilocal Settings." *Demography*. 54(4):1425-1449.

Brown, Tyson H., Liana J. Richardson, **Taylor W. Hargrove**, and Courtney S. Thomas. 2016. "Using Multiple-Hierarchy Stratification Approaches to Understand Health Inequalities: The Intersecting Consequences of Race, Gender, SES and Age." *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 57(2):200-222.

Distinguished Contribution to Scholarship Article Award (Honorable Mention), *American Sociological Association*, Section on Race, Gender and Class

**Hargrove, Taylor W.**, and Tyson H. Brown. 2015. "A Life Course Approach to Inequality: Examining Racial and Ethnic Differences in the Relationship between Early Life Conditions and Health in Later Life among Men." *Ethnicity & Disease* 25(3):313-320.

Brown, Tyson H., **Taylor W. Hargrove**, and Derek M. Griffith. 2015. "Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Men's Health: Examining Psychosocial Mechanisms." *Journal of Family and Community Health* 38(4):307-318.

Brown, Tyson H., and **Taylor W. Hargrove**. 2013. "Multidimensional Approaches to Examining Gender and Racial/Ethnic Stratification in Health." *Women, Gender, and Families of Color* 1(2):180-206.

## MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW OR IN PROGRESS

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** “Health Contextualized: Inequalities in Physiological and Psychological Functioning at the Intersection of Race, Skin Color, and Place.”

**Hargrove, Taylor W.**, Carolyn T. Halpern, Lauren Gaydos, Jon Hussey, Eric Whitsel, Nancy Dole, Robert A. Hummer, and Kathleen Mullan Harris 2018. “Race/Ethnicity, Gender, and Trajectories of Depressive Symptoms Across Early- and Mid-Life Among the Add Health Cohort.”

**Hargrove, Taylor W.**, Kathleen Mullan Harris, and Liana J. Richardson. “The Relationship between Skin Tone and Preterm Birth among African American Women.”

Brown, Tyson H, and **Taylor W. Hargrove.** “Racial Inequality in Health: The Roles of SES, Stressors, and Physiological Dysregulation.”

Fishman, Samuel H., Robert A. Hummer, **Taylor Hargrove**, Gracia Sierra, Daniel A. Powers, Richard G. Rogers. “Leveling the Playing Field? Racial/Ethnic/Nativity Disparities in Infant Mortality among Low Risk Women in the United States.”

## GRANTS

Jan 2019 – “Geography of Health Inequalities: Contextual Data Merge for Wave V of the  
June 2019 National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent to Adult Health.” National Institute of Aging, Grant R24 AG045061. Principal Investigator. Total direct costs \$15,000.

Sept 2018 – “Health Disparities: Inflammatory Response, Immune Function, and  
Aug 2020 Environmental (In)Congruence.” National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Grant R21 HD095448-01. Principal Investigator (MPI: Lauren Gaydos). Total direct costs \$305,742.

June 2015 – “Mechanisms Underlying Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Women’s Health: The  
Dec 2016 Roles of Childhood Adversity, Adult SES, Stress, Discrimination and Neighborhood Conditions.” Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Center for Health Policy at Meharry Medical College, Mini-Grant Pilot Project Award. Co-Investigator (PI Tyson Brown). Total direct costs \$20,000.

2014 “Trajectories of Stress, Discrimination, and Health.” Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Center for Health Policy at Meharry Medical College, Independent Research Grant. Principal Investigator. Total direct costs \$2,500.

## AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

2019 OBSSR Matilda White Riley Early Stage Investigator Paper Award, *National Institutes of Health*

2018 Award for Peer Reviewing Excellence, *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*

2011 – Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health Policy Fellowship  
2016

2014 Research Productivity Award, Department of Sociology, Vanderbilt University.

### **INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2019. “Health Contextualized: Inequalities in Health at the Intersection of Race, Skin Color, and Place.” Presentation at the Research Center for Group Dynamics Seminar Series, University of Michigan Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, Ann Arbor, MI in March.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2017. “Do Majority Spaces Matter? Investigating the Intersecting Consequences of Race, Skin Color, and Neighborhood Racial Composition on Physiological Functioning in Early Adulthood.” Presentation at the Sociology Department Colloquium Series, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN in September.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2017. “What’s Color Got to Do with It? Examining Skin Tone Differences in BMI Trajectories among African Americans.” Presentation at the Sociology Department Colloquium Series, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC in January.

### **SELECT CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

**Hargrove, Taylor W.**, Carolyn T. Halpern, Lauren Gaydosh, Jon Hussey, Eric Whitsel, Nancy Dole, Robert A. Hummer, and Kathleen Mullan Harris 2018. “Race/Ethnicity, Gender, and Trajectories of Depressive Symptoms Across Early- and Mid-Life Among U.S. Young Adults.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, CO in April.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.**, Kathleen Mullan Harris, and Liana J. Richardson. 2017. “The Relationship between Skin Tone and Preterm Birth among African American Women.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Chicago, IL in April.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2016. “Race, Cumulative Stressors, and Functional Limitations among Men in the Health and Retirement Study.” Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA in November.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2016. “Combining Intersectionality and Life Course Perspectives to Examine the Joint Consequences of Race, Gender, and SES on BMI Trajectories across Adolescence and Early Adulthood.” Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington, D.C. in April.

Thorpe, Roland J., **Taylor W. Hargrove**, Lauren Parker, and Tyson H. Brown. 2015. “The Relationship between Race, Psychosocial Factors, and Mobility Decline in Men in the Health and Retirement Study.” Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL in November.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2015. "Fit One, Fit All?: A Critical Evaluation of the Stress Process Model Among African-American Young Adults." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL in August.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2015. "Examining Racial and Ethnic Differences in the Relationship between Early Life Conditions and Health in Later Life among Men." Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, San Diego, CA in April.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** and Tyson H. Brown. 2015. "Gender and Racial/Ethnic Stratification in Health: Using a Multidimensional Approach to Understanding Disparities in Health." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA in March.

Brown, Tyson H. and **Taylor W. Hargrove.** 2014. "Multidimensional Approaches to Gendered and Racial Stratification of Health Trajectories." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association of America, San Francisco, CA in August.

Brown, Tyson H., **Taylor W. Hargrove,** and C. André Christie-Mizell. 2014. "Racial/Ethnic Health Disparities: The Consequences of SES, Discrimination, and Neighborhoods." Paper presented at the Fourteenth International Conference on Social Stress Research, Vancouver, Canada in June.

Brown, Tyson H., Liana J. Richardson, **Taylor W. Hargrove,** and Courtney S. Thomas. 2013. "Gendered Racial Stratification of Health Trajectories: Integrating Intersectionality and Life Course Perspectives." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, LA in April.

**Hargrove, Taylor W.** 2011. "Attitudes and Behavior: Early Life Course Social and Environmental Determinants of Household Fission in the Chitwan Valley Region of Nepal." Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Southern Demographic Association, Galveston, TX in October.

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

2016      Awarded Participant, Training Workshop for Grantwriting Uncovered: Maximizing Strategies, Help, Opportunities, Experiences (GUMSHOE), Wayne State University

2015      Awarded Participant, Summer Training Workshop on African American Aging, Michigan Center for Urban African American Aging Research (MCUAAAR), Wayne State University

2015      Certificate in Health Policy, Robert Wood Johnson Center for Health Policy, Meharry Medical College

2014      Statistical Horizons Workshop, Washington D.C., "Longitudinal Data Analysis Using Stata" (Dr. Paul Allison)

- 2013 Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR) Workshop, Chapel Hill N.C., “Structural Equation Modeling” (Dr. Kenneth Bollen)
- 2012 Summer Institute on Health and Health Policy, Meharry Medical College, “Race, Ethnicity, and Health” (Dr. David Williams) and “Achieving Health Equity: Frameworks, Data Tools, and Policy Interventions” (Dr. Camara Jones)

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Sociology 422: Sociology of Mental Health & Illness, Department of Sociology, Undergraduate, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2018-2019.

Guest Lecturer, Department of Sociology, Undergraduate, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2017.

Guest Lecturer, Department of Sociology, Graduate, Duke University, 2016.

Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, Undergraduate, Vanderbilt University, 2011-2016.

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Reviewer for *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*, *Work & Occupations*, *Journals of Gerontology*

Session Co-organizer and Moderator, Population Association of America, 2016

Graduate Student Representative, American Sociological Association, Medical Sociology Section, 2015-2017

Co-Chair, Sociology Department Brown Bag Seminar Series, 2012-2013

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

American Sociological Association  
Population Association of America  
Interdisciplinary Association for Population Health Science  
Gerontological Society of America