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Employment

Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of California, Berkeley, 2020-Present
Faculty Affiliate, Berkeley Population Center

NICHD Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Texas at Austin Population Research Center, 2019-2020

Education

Ph.D. in Sociology, University of Chicago, 2014-2019

M.A. in Sociology, University of Chicago, 2014-2016

B.A. in Philosophy, University of Chicago, 2008-2012

Publications

Journal Articles

Lagos, Danya and D'Lane Compton. (2021). Evaluating the Implementation of the Two-Step Gender Identity Question in the 2018 General Social Survey. *Demography* 58(2), 763-771
<https://doi.org/10.1215/00703370-8976151>

Lagos, Danya. (2019). Hearing Gender: Voice-Based Gender Classification Processes and Transgender Health Inequality. *American Sociological Review* 84(5), 801-827
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0003122419872504>
★ 2020 American Sociological Association (ASA) Section on Body and Embodiment Graduate Student Paper Award

Lagos, Danya. (2018). Looking at Population Health Beyond 'Male' and 'Female': Implications of Transgender Identity and Gender Nonconformity for Population Health. *Demography* 55(6), 2097-2117
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s13524-018-0714-3>
★ 2019 Honorable Mention, ASA Section on Sociology of Population Student Paper Award

Schilt, Kristen and Danya Lagos. (2017). The Development of Transgender Studies in Sociology. *Annual Review of Sociology* 43, 425-443
<https://doi.org/10.1146/annurev-soc-060116-053348>

Book Reviews

Lagos, Danya. (2021). Review of *Gender Theory in Troubled Times* by Kathleen Lennon and Rachel Alsop. *Contemporary Sociology*, Forthcoming

Lagos, Danya. (2020). Review of *Trans Kids: Being Gendered in the Twenty First Century* by Tey Meadow. *Social Forces* 98(4), e32

Encyclopedia Article

Lagos, Danya. (2020). Health Determinants. In *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Trans Studies*, eds. Abbie E. Goldberg and Genny Beemyn

Work in Progress

Research Papers

Lagos, Danya. Has There Been a Transgender Tipping Point? Gender Identification Differences in U.S. Cohorts Born Between 1935 and 2001 (Revise & Resubmit at *American Journal of Sociology*)

Mittelman, Joel and Danya Lagos. Transgender Youth Health Disparities in the United Kingdom: Findings from the Millenium Cohort Study (Under Review)

Lagos, Danya. Capitalism and Trans Identity

Lagos, Danya. Seeing Gender: Perceptions of Group Threat and the Classification of Gender Ambiguous Faces in the United States and the United Kingdom

Schneider, Daniel, Kristen Harknett, Rebecca Wolfe, and Danya Lagos. On the Basis of Gender: Inequality in Precarious Working Conditions between Cisgender, Transgender, and Nonbinary Workers During COVID-19

Grants and Fellowships

External

Time's Up, Measure Up Research Grant for "On the Basis of Gender: Inequality in Precarious Working Conditions between Cisgender, Transgender, and Nonbinary Workers during COVID-19," Time's Up Foundation. Daniel Schneider (PI) and Danya Lagos (PI) (\$50,000), 2021

Summer Institute in Computational Social Science Research Grant, NYU SICSS (\$2,500), 2018

Honorable Mention, National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Research Fellowship Program, 2016

Honorable Mention, NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program, 2015

Segal Americorps Education Award (\$11,100), 2014

Internal

Pilot Grant for Population Research, Berkeley Population Center (\$20,000), 2020

Fuerstenberg Fellowship, University of Chicago (\$6,250), 2016-2017

Fuerstenberg Fellowship, University of Chicago (\$12,500), 2015-2016

CSGS/SSD Pre-Dissertation Research Grant for Gender/Sexuality Studies, University of Chicago, 2015

Five Year Social Sciences Fellowship, University of Chicago, 2014-2019

Research Presentations

Invited Talks

Lagos, Danya. (2021). Has There Been a Transgender Tipping Point? Gender Identification Differences in U.S. Cohorts Born Between 1935 and 2001." *Louisiana State University Sociology Department Colloquium* - Virtual

Lagos, Danya (2020). Has There Been a Transgender Tipping Point? Gender Identification Differences in U.S. Cohorts Born Between 1935 and 2002. *Berkeley Demography Brown Bag Talks* - Virtual

Conference and Workshop Paper Sessions

Lagos, Danya. (2020). Is there a "Lost Generation" of Transgender Men in the U.S.? Examining the Population Dynamics and Social Contexts of the 1945-1954 Cohort. *World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH) Scientific Symposium* - Virtual

Lagos, Danya. (2019). Framing and Making the Case for Quantitative Studies of Transgender Populations. *ASA Annual Meeting* - New York, NY

Lagos, Danya. (2019). Voice-Based Gender Classification Processes and Transgender Health Inequality. *Eastern Sociological Society (ESS) Annual Meeting* - Boston, MA

Lagos, Danya. (2019). Voice-Based Gender Classification Processes and Transgender Health Inequality. *University of Chicago Social Theory and Evidence Workshop* - Chicago, IL

Lagos, Danya. (2018). Health, Identity Processes, and Transgender Voices: A Quasi-Experimental Study of Gender Misclassification in Phone-Based Surveys. *ASA Annual Meeting* - Philadelphia, PA

Lagos, Danya. (2017). The U.S. Transgender Health Landscape: A Multilevel Analysis of Self-Rated Health in 27 States. *Population Association of America (PAA) Annual Meeting* - Chicago, IL

Lagos, Danya. (2017). The U.S. Transgender Health Landscape: A Multilevel Analysis of Self-Rated Health in 27 States. *University of Chicago Social Theory and Evidence Workshop* - Chicago, IL

Lagos, Danya. (2016). Nondiscrimination Policies and the U.S. Transgender Health Landscape. *University of Chicago Gender & Sexuality Studies Workshop* - Chicago, IL

Lagos, Danya. (2016). Parents' and Friends' Roles in LGBT Trajectories: Multidimensional Networks of Influence. *ESS Annual Meeting* - Boston, MA

Rountable and Working Group Presentations

Lagos, Danya. (2020). Measuring Gender Classifications and Perceptions of Transgender Populations in the US and UK. *University of California, Berkeley Gender and Sexuality Working Group* - Virtual

Lagos, Danya. (2018). Repurposing Methodological Errors in Survey-Based Research. *NYU Summer Institute in Computational Social Science (SICSS)* - New York, NY

Lagos, Danya. (2017). The U.S. Transgender Health Landscape: A Multilevel Analysis of Self-Rated Health in 27 U.S. States. *ASA Annual Meeting* - Montréal, QC

Lagos, Danya. (2016). Nondiscrimination Policies and the U.S. Transgender Health Landscape. *University of Chicago Quantitative Social Science Working Group* - Chicago, IL

Lagos, Danya. (2016). Nondiscrimination Policies and the U.S. Transgender Health Landscape. *University of Chicago Gender & Sexuality Studies Working Group* - Chicago, IL

Lagos, Danya. (2016). Adolescent Sexual Orientation: Can We Distinguish Between Peer Influence and Peer Selection? *ASA Annual Meeting* - Seattle, WA

Lagos, Danya. (2015). Telework as Intervention in Transgender Occupational Inequality. *Sociologists for Women and Society (SWS) Winter Meeting* - Washington, DC

Teaching Experience

University of California, Berkeley

Advanced Study in Substantive Sociological Fields: Gender (Graduate), Fall 2020

LGBTQ Topics in Health and Medicine (Undergraduate), Fall 2020

New York University

Introduction to Sociology (Undergraduate, Teaching Assistant), Spring 2019

University of Chicago

Sociology of Human Sexuality (Undergraduate and Graduate, Teaching Assistant), Spring 2017

Social Science Inquiry (Undergraduate, Teaching Assistant), Fall 2016; Winter 2017; Spring 2017

Quantitative Data Analysis (Graduate, Teaching Assistant), Spring 2016

Spanish Language Assistant (Undergraduate, Department of Romance Languages), Fall 2015

Professional Service

Session Organizer, PAA Annual Meeting Session on Sexual and Gender Minorities, 2021

Graduate Student Paper Award Committee Member, ASA Section on Body and Embodiment, 2021

Panelist, "Knowing When and Where to Submit," Symposium on Advancing Trans, Nonbinary, and Intersex Scholarship, Sociologists for Trans Justice, 2020

Panelist, "COVID-19 and the Academic Job Market," University of Chicago Social Theory and Evidence Workshop, 2020

Guest Speaker, "Research and Publishing Strategies," University of Texas at Austin Sociology Department Job Market Workshop, 2020

Session Organizer, ASA Annual Meeting Workshop on Publishing and Presenting Transgender Studies, 2019

Presider, ASA Annual Meeting Invited Session on Intersex Studies, 2019

Professional Organization Liaison, Sociologists for Trans Justice, 2018-2019

Ad Hoc Reviewer for *American Journal of Sociology* (x4), *Gender & Society* (x4), *American Sociological Review* (x3), *American Journal of Preventive Medicine* (x2), *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* (x2), *Journal of Marriage and Family* (x2), *Socius* (x2), *Body & Society*, *Demography*, *International Journal of Transgender Health*, *International Journal of Transgenderism*, *Journal of Homosexuality*, *LGBT Health*, *Men and Masculinities*, *PLOS ONE*, *Population Review*, *Research in Social Stratification and Mobility*, *Scientific Reports*, *Social Currents*, *Sociological Science*, *The Sociological Quarterly*, *Springer Books*, 2016-Present

Sociology Department Steward, Graduate Students United (GSU-AFT), 2015-2018

Mentoring and Advising

M.A. Thesis Committee

Osmani, Dhurata. *From the Inside Out: The Social Power of Emotions in Post-War Kosovo*. Committee: Laura Enriquez (Chair) and Danya Lagos. University of California, Berkeley Department of Sociology, 2021

Qualifying Exam Committee

Osmani, Dhurata. Committee: Neil Fligstein, Cihan Tugal, Danya Lagos, and Bruce Hall (History). University of California, Berkeley Department of Sociology, 2021

Departmental Service

University of California, Berkeley Sociology

Graduate Admissions Committee, 2021

Guest Speaker, "Campus Visits and Job Talks," Department Job Market Workshop, 2020

Panelist, "Faculty Trajectories," Berkeley Sociology Summer Research Program on Race, 2020

University of Chicago Sociology

Reviewer for Undergraduate Thesis Prize, Department of Sociology, 2015

Treasurer, Society for Social Research (SSR), 2014-2015

University Service

University of California, Berkeley

Guest Speaker, Spring Semester Welcome Reception, Chicanx Latinx Student Development Office, 2021

Scholarship Selection Committee, Advertising Research Foundation Workforce Initiative for Diversity and Excellence (ARF-WIDE), 2021

University of Chicago

Co-Coordinator, Gender & Sexuality Studies Workshop, 2016-2017

College Admissions Interviewer, University of Chicago Alumni Schools Committee, 2012-2013

LGBTQ Student Advisory Board, 2011-2012

Community Group Facilitator, Office of LGBTQ Student Life, 2010-2011

Public Engagement

Co-Organizer with Luke Thibault: "Talking Union, Talking Queer." *Democratic Socialists of America (DSA) Queer Socialists Working Group Webinar*, January 2021

Co-Organizer with Luke Thibault: Interview with Sarah Schulman: "The History of ACT UP." *DSA Queer Socialists Working Group Webinar*, October 2020

Co-Organizer with Luke Thibault: Interview with John D'Emilio: "Capitalism and Gay Identity." *DSA Queer Socialists Working Group Webinar*, July 2020

Interviewed by Eric Schmid: "The 2020 Census Is Underway, But Nonbinary and Gender-Nonconforming Respondents Feel Counted Out." *St. Louis Public Radio*, March 2020

Research Profiled by Emily K. Carian, "More Inclusive Gender Questions Added to the General Social Survey." *Stanford Clayman Institute for Gender Research*, May 2019

Professional Memberships

American Sociological Association (ASA)

Sections: Sex & Gender, Population, Body and Embodiment, Marxist Sociology

Population Association of America (PAA)

World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH)

Berkeley Faculty Association

UC Berkeley Latinx Faculty Association

Languages

Spanish (Fluent)

English (Fluent)