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EDUCATION

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Ph.D., Urban Studies. 2010

Auburn University

M.P.A., Public Administration. 2002

Magna Cum Laude

Butler University

B.A., Political Science, Spanish minor. 2000

DISSERTATION

Can Government Mandate Citizens' Voice?: A Case Study in Transportation Policy

Advisor: Dr. Stephen L. Percy

Committee: Dr. Nancy K. Frank, Dr. Joel S. Rast, Dr. Joseph A. Rodriguez, and
Dr. Amanda I. Seligman

TEACHING AND RESEARCH INTERESTS

Teaching and research interests are focused on environmental justice, social inequality, social justice, transportation equity, race and ethnicity, African Americans, historic (metropolitan) development, urban development, regionalism, urban policy and planning, urban politics, nonprofit management and leadership, public administration, and public administration-organization and leadership.

Primary research interests revolve around questions of equity and justice in transportation, mobility, and access planning, specifically with regard to transit agencies approaches to include citizen participation and/or civic engagement in the transportation decision-making process.

ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH APPOINTMENTS

Tennessee State University, Nashville, Tennessee

B.S. Urban Studies Program Coordinator, Department of Social Work and Urban Studies. 2020-Present

Description of position:

I provide oversight for the program and regularly engage the other faculty members in decisions about curricula and assessment. I am also the point of contact to ensure activities, such as admissions, curricula, and assessment are taking place. In this position I share the same responsibilities as the department chair, but at the individual program level.

Tennessee State University, Nashville, Tennessee

Department Assessment Coordinator, Department of Social Work and Urban Studies. 2020-Present

Description of position:

I work with faculty in developing effective, meaningful, and manageable strategies for the assessment of student learning for the program. I also work with faculty to facilitate the collection and management of data for reporting in the university's assessment system. I also work closely with the university's Managing Executive Director of Institutional Effectiveness to receive updates on the assessment processes and trainings.

Tennessee State University, Nashville, Tennessee

Associate Professor, Department of Social Work and Urban Studies. 2017-Present

Teaching experience:

Undergraduate:

UNIV 1000-Freshman Orientation: Service to Leadership

URBS 2010-Introduction to Urban Studies (on ground/online/hybrid course)

URBS 3000-Community Leadership & Public Service (online course)

URBS 3670-History of Urban America* (online/hybrid course)

URBS 3030-Urban Policies and Issues (online course)

URBS 3910- Urban Politics (online course)

URBS 4700-American Government Institutions & Urban Governance (online/hybrid course)

URBS 4990-Independent Study in Urban Studies

URBS 4900/4905-Senior/Internship

NPMN 2100-Introduction to Nonprofit Management (online/hybrid course)

NPMN 3100 Volunteer Management & Board Development (online/hybrid course)

Graduate (Masters Level):

PADM 6980- Strategic Planning for Non-profit Organizations* (online course)

PRST 5310-Leadership in Organizations (online course)

*Developed courses

Tennessee State University, Nashville, Tennessee

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Social Work, and Urban Studies.

2011-2016

Teaching experience:

Undergraduate:

UNIV 1000-Freshman Orientation: Service to Leadership

URBS 2010-Introduction to Urban Studies (on ground/online/hybrid course)

URBS 3000-Community Leadership & Public Service (online course)

URBS 3670-History of Urban America* (online/hybrid course)
URBS 3030-Urban Policies and Issues (online course)
URBS 3910- Urban Politics (online course)
URBS 4700-American Government Institutions & Urban Governance (online/hybrid course)
URBS 4990-Independent Study in Urban Studies
URBS 4900/4905-Senior/Internship
NPMN 2100-Introduction to Nonprofit Management (online/hybrid course)
NPMN 3100 Volunteer Management & Board Development (online/hybrid course)
Graduate (Masters Level):
PADM 6980- Strategic Planning for Non-profit Organizations* (online course)
PRST 5310-Leadership in Organizations (online course)
*Developed courses

Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Adjunct Professor, Department of Social and Cultural Sciences. 2010-2011

Teaching experience:

Undergraduate:

SOCI 4250-African American Social Thought (hybrid course)

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Associate Lecturer, Department of Africology. 2005-2008

Teaching experience:

Undergraduate:

Africol 100- Black Reality: Survey of African-American Society (on ground course)

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Lecturer, Urban Studies Programs. 2005- 2007

Teaching experience:

Undergraduate:

Urb Std 250-Exploring the Urban Environment (on ground course)

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Africology.
2004-2005

Teaching experience:

Undergraduate:

Africol 100- Black Reality: Survey of African-American Society (on ground course)

Faculty Supervision: Ahmed Mbaila, Ph.D

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Graduate Research Assistant, Urban Studies Programs. 2003-2004

Research experience:

Worked closely with Margo Anderson, Ph.D., professor of History and Director of Urban Studies Programs and Victor Greene, Ph.D., professor Emeritus of History, on the Milwaukee History Conference. I was the Ph.D. student representative on the Urban Studies Programs Faculty 2003-2004 and I was the 2004 Coordinator for the Urban Studies Programs Student Forum.

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Multicultural Affairs and Institute on Multicultural Relations. 2003

Research experience:

Worked closely with Diane Pollard, Ph.D., professor of Educational Psychology in the School of Education and Gary L. Williams, director of the Department of Multicultural Affairs on the research project entitled, "The Major Role Families Play in Influencing Outcomes for Their Children." I assisted with the preliminary research activities and the preparation of the larger proposal. I worked closely with the Institute on Multicultural Relations Writing Proposal Team to engage in brainstorming activities on the research proposal.

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science. 2002-2003

Teaching experience:

Undergraduate:

PolSci 103-Introduction to Political Science Research (on ground course)

Faculty Supervision: Steven Red, Ph.D.

PolSci 105-State and Local Politics (on ground course)

Faculty Supervision: Robert Weber, Ph.D.

Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science. 2000-2002

Teaching experience:

Undergraduate:

POLI 5370-Nonprofit Management (on ground course)

Faculty Supervision: Robert W. Drakeford, Ed.D.

Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama

Graduate Research Assistant, Alabama Cooperative Extension System. 2000-2002

Research experience:

Worked closely with Robert W. Drakeford, Ed.D. on various 4-H projects. I also interacted with volunteers and agents within the state of Alabama and worked on a grant within Escambia County. I had the opportunity to lecture throughout the semester as a graduate teaching assistant within Robert W. Drakeford's Political Science class (POLI 5370) *Nonprofit Management*.

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Wisconsin Department of Transportation Southeast Region

Policy Analyst-Advanced, Project Development Section (PDS)-Program Controls Team, Waukesha, Wisconsin. 2010-2011

Wisconsin Department of Transportation Southeast Region

Program Planning Analyst Senior (Urban Regional Planner), Multimodal Division, Waukesha, Wisconsin. 2006-2009

Wisconsin Department of Transportation Southeast Region

Intern, Multimodal Division, Waukesha, Wisconsin. 2004-2006

United States Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration's (DOTFHA) Summer Transportation Internship for Diverse Groups (STIPDG) Wisconsin Department of Transportation

Federal Intern/Program Planning Analyst Senior, Waukesha, Wisconsin. 2005

City of Auburn

Intern, Environmental Services Department, Auburn, Alabama. 2001

State of Indiana's Governor's Summer Internship Program

Intern, Indiana Family and Social Services Administration (FSSA), Indianapolis, Indiana. 1999

Indiana U.S. Representative Julia Carson Internship Program

Intern, Indiana's 7th Congressional District Office, Indianapolis, Indiana. 1998-1999

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed:

- Johnson, G.S., Gray, V., Richardson, N. L., Rainey-Brown, S.A., Triplett, K.L., and Bowman, L. (2017). Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) in the Twenty First Century: An Exploratory Case Study Analysis of Their Mission. *Race, Gender, & Class Journal*, 24(3-4).
- Rankin, N.R., Johnson, G.S., Dejanis, R.B., Grant, H.W., and Triplett, K.L. (2015). MARTA Service Cuts in Hotlanta: Using the Regime Theory & the Environmental Justice Framework to Analyze Transportation Racism in Hotlanta. *Race, Gender, & Class Journal*, 22(3-4), 55-82.
- Triplett, K.L. (2015). Citizen Voice and Public Involvement in Transportation Decision-making: A Model for Citizen Engagement. *Race, Gender & Class Journal*, 22(3-4), 83-106.
- Carman, Terry D., Johnson, G.S., Torres, A.O., and Triplett, K.L. (2012). Environmental Justice and Safety Restraint in Atlanta, Georgia. *Race, Gender & Class Journal*, 19(3-4), 217-240.
- Johnson, G. S. & Triplett (Stephenson), K. L. (2011). Environmental Justice and Transportation: An Analysis of Public Involvement at Pennsylvania Department of Transportation. *Race, Gender & Class Journal*, 18(3-4), 348-71.

Professional/popular press:

- Triplett, K.L., Ivey, S., Moore, L.W., and Howell, E. (2016). Best Practices and Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement: A Project for the Tennessee Department of Transportation. *American Planning Association (APA): Transportation Planning Division (TPD) News*.
- Triplett, K.L., Ivey, S., Moore, L.W., Benson, B., Howell, E, Mersereau, J., and Nelson, D. (2015). Best Practice Document: "Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement." Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT)'s Long Range Planning Division.
- Binkley, Y, Robinson, C, Stanley, R, Streams, M.E., & Triplett, K. (2012). "Public libraries: a white paper prepared for the Nashville 2040 General Plan process." Nashville, TN: Metropolitan Nashville Davidson County Government.

Conference Proceedings:

- Triplett, Kimberly L. and Jacob T. Thompson (2018). Published Abstract. *Roundtable Discussion: Identifying Transit Options for Nashville Metro*. In Mid-Southern Interdisciplinary Sciences Association (MISA) 2nd Annual Conference Proceedings. Nashville, TN: Fisk University.
- Triplett, Kimberly L. and Rebecca M. Moore (2016). *e-Mentoring & Advising Exploratory Case Study at an HBCU*. In Dominguez, N. & Gandert, Y. (Eds.) 9th Annual Mentoring Conference Proceedings: Developmental Networks: The Power of Mentoring and Coaching. Albuquerque, NM: University of New Mexico.

Pedagogical Works:

- August 2007 Third Edition: Urban Planning Syllabus cited within the Environmental Justice Curriculum Resource Guide compiled by Robert D. Bullard, Ph.D., Glenn S. Johnson, Ph.D., Chad G. Johnson, Environmental Justice Resource Center Clark Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia 30314.

WORKING PAPERS AND MANUSCRIPTS

- Working Paper: Triplett, K.L., Ivey, S., Moore, L.W., and Howell, E. Identifying Policy Gaps Associated with Implementing Innovative Public Involvement Strategies.
- Working Paper: Triplett, K. L. and Moore, R.M. e-Mentoring & Advising within an HBCU: A Click Away.
- Triplett, K.L., Ivey, S., Moore, L.W., and Howell, E. (submitted 2016). Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement: A Case Study of Tennessee Department of Transportation. March 2016 Submitted to *Journal of Public Management and Social Policy*.
- Christophe, A., Choudhury, K., Gray, L.D., Johnson, G. S., & Triplett, K. L. (submitted 2013). The Siting of Landfills in Four Low-Wealth Communities: An Exploratory Environmental Justice Case Study. April 2013 Submitted to *Race, Gender & Class Journal*.
- Johnson, G.S., Shafiei, F., Triplett, K.L., & Gray, L.D. (submitted 2013). ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE at the INTERNATIONAL LEVEL: Global Environmental Degradation, Inequalities, Risks, and Human Rights Violations Abroad Reader. 2013 Submitted to Linus Publications, Inc.

PRESENTATIONS-CONFERENCES

- Thompson, J.T. and Triplett, K.L. "After the Referendum: Fixing Traffic in Nashville, TN." Poster Presentation at the 99th Transportation Research Board (TRB) Annual Meeting. Washington, District of Columbia. January 11 -16, 2020.
- Triplett, K.L. and Thompson, J.T. "*Identifying Transit Options for Nashville Metro*." Roundtable Discussion at the 2nd Annual Mid-Southern Interdisciplinary Sciences Association (MISA). Franklin, Tennessee. November 1-2, 2018.
- Triplett, K.L. "*Identifying Innovative Public Involvement Policy Gaps*." Roundtable Discussion at the 1st Annual Mid-Southern Interdisciplinary Sciences Association (MISA). Franklin, Tennessee. October 18-20, 2017.

- Triplett, K. L. and Moore, R. M. “*e-Mentoring & Advising Exploratory Case Study at an HBCU.*” *Presentation at the 9th Annual Mentoring Conference.* Albuquerque, New Mexico: University of New Mexico. October 24-28, 2016.
- Triplett, K. L. “Citizen Voice and Public Involvement in Transportation Decision-making: A Plan for Implementing the Public Participation Process (PPP) Model for Citizen Engagement.” Presented at the 2016 Race, Gender & Class Conference. New Orleans, Louisiana. March 31-April 2, 2016.
- Triplett, K.L. (co-presenting), Ivey, S., Moore, L.W., and Howell, E. [TSU Undergraduate student]. “Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement: A Case Study of Tennessee Department of Transportation.” Presented at the 2016 Conference of Minority Public Administrators (COMPAN) National Conference. Jackson, Mississippi. February 17-19, 2016.
- Gibran, Joan and Kimberly L. Triplett (co-presenting) “Housing Education: HUD Higher Education Initiative.” Presented at the 45th Annual Meeting of the Urban Affairs Association (UAA). Miami, Florida. April 8-11, 2015.
- Chilton, K., Furseth, O., Triplett, K. Who Benefits from European Investment in a Mid-Sized US City? The Bad News from Chattanooga, Tennessee. Paper Presentation and Submission at the City Futures 2014: “Cities as Strategic Places and Players in a Globalized World.” Paris, France. June 18-29, 2014.
- Triplett, K. L. “Citizen Voice and Public Involvement in Transportation Decision-making: A Model for Citizen Engagement.” Presented at the 2014 Race, Gender & Class Conference. New Orleans, Louisiana. March 27-29, 2014.
- Triplett, K. L. “Increasing Citizen Voice in Transportation-Related Decision Making: Model for Citizen Engagement.” Presented at Transportation Research Board (TRB)’s 93rd Annual Meeting. Washington, D.C. January 12-16, 2014.

PRESENTATIONS-INVITED TALKS, OUTREACH, SERVICE

- Triplett, K.L. “History of Urban Design and Rise of Nashville.” Guest Lecturer. Bill Purcell, Mayor of Nashville 1999-2007 and past Dean of the College of Public Service and Urban Affairs (known now as the College of Public Service) was a guest speaker. Lectured to Nashville Civic Design Center Social Conscious Design 101. June 10, 2020.
- Triplett, K.L. “Research Capacities: Urban Studies & Urban Policy and Planning.” Presented at Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) visit to TSU campus. The audience was TDOT) Long Range Planning Division and the LRP Staff (Research Division), TSU Research and Sponsored Programs directors and staff, and TSU faculty and staff. Tennessee State University on Friday, September 21, 2018.
- Triplett, K.L. and Villalobos, J. D. Co-Moderated for the “Environment Justice” panel at the 2016 Race, Gender & Class Conference. New Orleans, Louisiana. March 31-April 2, 2016.
- Triplett, K. L. Moderated for the “Education & Health Disparities” panel at the 2016 Conference of Minority Public Administrators (COMPAN) National Conference. Jackson, Mississippi. February 17-19, 2016.
- Triplett, K.L. presented at TSU’s Advisement Center’s Academic Foci group. The audience was undecided undergraduate students. TSU Wednesday, November 4, 2015.
- Triplett, K.L. “Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement: A Case Study of Tennessee Department of Transportation.” Presented on American Planning Association (APA) Transportation Planning Division’s Webinar entitled *Public Involvement for Transportation Planning*. October 21, 2015.

- Triplett, K.L., Ivey, S., Moore, L.W., Benson, B. [TSU graduate student], and Howell, E. [TSU Undergraduate student]. “Tennessee Department of Transportation: Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement” Presented/Facilitated the TDOT Public Engagement Workshop. TDOT Headquarters in Nashville, Tennessee. April 29, 2015.
- Triplett, K.L, Benson, B. [TSU graduate student], and Howell, E. [TSU undergraduate student]. “Tennessee Department of Transportation: Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement.” Presented at the College of Public Service’s Research Brown Bag Series on Friday, April 24, 2015.
- Triplett, K.L, Benson, B. [TSU graduate student], and Howell, E. [TSU undergraduate student]. Conducted Focus Group Session on TDOT grant entitled “Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement” to obtain feedback from Urban Studies undergraduate students about the public involvement process and perceptions of previous public engagement activities conducted by TDOT. Focus Group session took place in Dr. Kimberly L. Triplett’s Introduction to Urban Studies (URBS 2010) class on February 3, 2015 at the Avon Williams Campus of TSU in Nashville, Tennessee.
- Triplett, K.L. “Tennessee Department of Transportation: Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement.” Presented at the Fall 2014 Division of Research and Sponsored Program (RSP) Research Forum I “Research: Celebrating Excellence” at Tennessee State University on September 24, 2014 for Broadening Participation Research Efforts with National Science Foundation (NSF) and the TDOT.
- Triplett, K.L. (co-presenting), Ivey, S., Moore, L.W., Howell, E. [TSU Undergraduate student], and Mersereau, J. [U of Memphis Graduate student]. “Tennessee Department of Transportation: Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement” Presented at the 2014
- Transportation Innovation Planning Inspiration: TN APA/TRB ADC-10 Summer Workshop. Nashville, Tennessee. August 26-29, 2014.
- Triplett, K. L. Presentation for the College of Public Service & Urban Affairs’ Advisory Board on TDOT Grant. Tennessee State University on May 6, 2014.
- Triplett, K. L. Panelist for TSU’s Title III Administration’s Panel Discussion on “Preparing for Thesis and Dissertation Research.” Presentation for Tennessee State University Graduate Students on Tuesday, March 4, 2014.
- Triplett, K.L. Co-Moderated and co-coordinated panel for 28th Annual Fall Symposium, Tennessee Chapter of the American Society for Public Administration. “Urban-Suburban-Rural: Comparing and Contrasting the Geographic Differences of Work.” Audience of regional public and nonprofit professionals, faculty and students. Nashville, TN. December 12, 2013.
- Triplett, K.L. (co-moderated, co-presented, and co-coordinated) with Cantey, N. for the College of Public Service & Urban Affairs’ College Faculty Institute workshop. “2013 Grant Writing & Collaboration Workshop: Working across the Aisles: Partnering STEM & Social Sciences in Research.” Audience of College of Public Service & Urban Affairs faculty members, social science faculty, and panelists from STEM academic disciplines at TSU. Friday, February 22, 2013.
- Triplett, K. L. Co-Moderated and co-coordinated panel for 27th Annual Fall Symposium, Tennessee Chapter of the American Society for Public Administration. “Empowering communities through the use of information, data and research.” Audience of regional public and nonprofit professionals, faculty and students. Nashville, TN. December 13, 2012.
- Triplett, K. L. Earth Day Environmental Justice Program Panelists. Tennessee State University on Friday, April 27, 2012.
- Triplett, K.L. Panelists at the Department of Public Administration’s “Ph.D. Roundtable Discussion on Ph.D. Journeys,” Audience department faculty and current doctorate students within the Public Administration doctoral program on Friday, October 14, 2011.

- Triplett (Stephenson), K.L. “Can Government Mandate Citizens’ Voice?: A Case Study in Transportation Policy.” Presented Dissertation findings at Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) Southeast Regional Office, to WisDOT Upper Management, Policymakers, and Planners, in Waukesha, Wisconsin on December 15, 2010.
- Triplett (Stephenson), K. L. “Can Government Mandate Citizens’ Voice?: A Case Study in Transportation Policy.” Presented at the 2010 Urban Studies Programs at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee 15th Annual Student Forum in Milwaukee, Wisconsin on April 10, 2010.
- Triplett (Stephenson), K. L. “Can Government Mandate Citizens’ Voice?: A Case Study in Transportation Policy.” Presented at the 2008 Urban Studies Programs at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee 15th Annual Student Forum in Milwaukee, Wisconsin on April 11, 2008.
- Triplett (Stephenson), K. L. Urban Planning Theory and Practice. Guest Lecturer within the Urban Studies Programs Department at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Lectured to Urban Studies 250:001: *Exploring the Urban Environment* on March 15, 2007.
- Triplett (Stephenson), K. L. State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation’s Proposal on Southeastern Freeway Project: An Investigative Look within the 1st Corridor. Guest Lecturer within the Department of Sociology at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Lectured to Sociology 224: *American Minority Groups* on November 15, 2006.
- Triplett (Stephenson), K. L. From Social Destruction to Economic Revitalization: Following Former Mayor John Olof Norquist’s Evolving Attitude on Freeways in Milwaukee, 1970-2004. Presented at the 2005 Urban Studies Programs at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee 10th Annual Student Forum in Milwaukee, Wisconsin on May 7, 2005.

GRANTS

- Agency: Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT)
Grant: “Best Strategies for Hiring, Retaining, and Utilizing Minorities and Women” Joint research grant with University of Memphis, Tennessee State University, Vanderbilt University. The focus of this research is to assess TDOT’s goals, challenges, and practices with regard to attracting and retaining diverse talent and to develop a comprehensive framework for successful hiring and retention of minorities and women.
PI: Stephanie Ivey, PhD, PE; Co-PI: Hiba Baroud, PhD; Co-PI: Janey Camp, PhD; Co-PI: Ms. Meredith Powers; Co-PI: *Kimberly L. Triplett, PhD, MPA*
Started: April 2019- June 2020
Timeframe: 2018-2020
Amount: \$69,710.00
Co-PI Participation on grant: coordinate with the research team to conduct literature review, data collection, examine best practices, analysis, and preparation of reports and publications.
- Agency: Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT)
Grant: “Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement for TDOT” Joint research grant with Tennessee State University and University of Memphis on the development of Tennessee Department of Transportation’s (TDOT) Best Practices for Public Involvement & Outreach Efforts. PI: *Kimberly L. Triplett, PhD, MPA*; Co-PI: Stephanie Ivey, PhD, PE and Co-PI: Larry W. Moore, PhD, PE
Started: February 2014- April 2015
Timeframe: 2013-2015
Amount: \$123,373

PI Participation on grant: lead and managed grant team (colleagues from University of Memphis and undergraduate/graduate students) through eight tasks of this applied research project which developed innovative strategies to gain greater public participation in transportation decision-making and provide access for citizens to participate across state of Tennessee four regions.

- Agency: Fair Housing Initiatives Programs-Education and Outreach Initiatives: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.
 Grant: HUD FHIP/EOI Grant: Regional/Local Community Based (EOI-R/L/C-B)-Higher Education Component (EOI-HEC) Proposal “Sustainable Fair Housing Education & Collaborative Outreach.” PI: Joan Gibran, PhD; Co-PI: Cara Robinson, PhD; *Co-PI: Kimberly L. Triplett, PhD, MPA*
 Started: January 2014 (18 months)
 Timeframe: 2013-2015
 Amount: \$100,00
 Co-PI Participation on grant:
 Prepared proposal documents with faculty along with prepared the Budget and Budget Narrative for the proposal. Community Partners coordinator prepared meeting materials and was the liaison for community partners throughout the grant.
 Attending grant meetings and help with supporting documents throughout the grant.
- Agency: Research and Innovative Technology Administration: U.S. Department of Transportation.
 TRCLC Grant: University Transportation Center (UTC). PI: Dr. Deo Chimba, PhD, PE, PTOE, *Co-PI: Dr. Kimberly L. Triplett, PhD, MPA*
 “Development of Decision Support Tools to Assess Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety: Focus on Population, Demographic and Socioeconomic Spectra”
 Potential Start Date: May 2015
 Timeframe: 2014-2017
 Amount: \$170,093.00
 Co-PI Participation on grant: Prepared proposal documents with faculty along with proposal narrative. Provide assistances on grant activities throughout the summer months of the grant.

HONORS & AWARDS

- 2018 Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) was awarded by American Association of State Highway Transportation Officials’ (AASHTO) Research 2018 Sweet Sixteen Award for high-value research projects. The prestigious award for the research project entitled RES2013-47, *Innovative Strategies for Public Involvement for TDOT* was led by Tennessee State University’s Dr. Kimberly L. Triplett, PhD, MPA who served as PI and Co-PIs from University of Memphis Drs. Stephanie Ivey and Larry Moore. This project has helped to implement changes that has helped TDOT enhance their public participation efforts by identifying and putting into practice innovative, successful strategies that ensures future

public participation efforts involve a diverse mix of stakeholders and yield significant public input.

- 2016 Awarded Summer Writing Retreat participation through TSU's Office of Research and Sponsored Programs.
- 2016 Received a Research Enhancement Award (REA) for receiving Tennessee Department of Transportation Grant in 2013. A portion of the award went to College of Public Service within the Department of Social Work and Urban Studies.
- 2015 Awarded Summer Writing Retreat participation through TSU's Office of Research and Sponsored Programs.
- 2014-2015 Awarded Faculty Cultural Roadmap (FCR) position from Tennessee State University Title III.
- 2009 Received a Conference Travel Grant to attend the 2009 "Black Women Academics in the Ivory Tower: Research and Praxis" March 5-6, 2009 at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey from the Urban Studies Programs Department and Dean Rodney Swain, College of Letters and Science, at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- 2008-2009 Urban Studies Programs' Research Grant Award (Dissertation Research, \$2,000.00)
- 2007-2008 Received a nomination to serve as an International Delegate at the International Scholar Laureate Program (ISLP) for Summer 2008
- 2006-2007; 1999-2000 The National Dean's List
- 2005 Internship with the U.S. Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration Summer Transportation Internship Program for Diverse Groups (STIPDG) This program is one of the top five federal experiences in transportation education.
- 2004-2007 Internship with the state of Wisconsin's TOPjobs Program
- 2004-2007 The Chancellor's List
- 2002 Terrell Guthrie 4-H Volunteer Leaders Association Award
- 2001 Award recipient of the Certificate of Excellence in Graduate Studies from the Department of Political Science and the College of Liberal Arts.
- 2000-2002 Outstanding Minority Graduate Student in the College of Liberal Arts- Auburn University
- 1999-2000 Congressional Black Caucus Scholarship, Congresswoman Julia Carson
- 1999-2000 Butler Top 100 Students Award
- 1998-2000 Future Leaders Award, Butler University
- 1996-2000 Morton Finney Scholar, Butler University

PROFESSIONAL & COMMUNITY (OUTREACH) SERVICE

- Reviewer, *Journal of Public Management & Social Policy*. 2018-present.
- Conference Planning Committee Member, 83rd Annual Association of Social and Behavioral Scientists, Inc. (ASBS) Conference, Nashville, TN. Tennessee State University host college 2017-2018.
- Volunteer Scribe, Race, Equity, and Leadership (REAL) Talk: A Forum about Race, Equity, and Leadership. Office of Mayor Megan Barry and facilitated by Lipscomb University's College of Leadership & Public Service. Stakeholders within the city of Nashville, Tennessee

where able to participate in a community dialogue event at the Music City Center on September 10, 2016.

- Stakeholder (University), United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) Ladders of Opportunity: Every Place Counts Design Challenge. Invited to participate as a university stakeholder two-day design workshop to utilize well-established community partnership networks along the Historic Jefferson Street Corridor, to provide input, synthesize ideas with community residents and business owners, and pursue implementation funds for projects that improve the connectivity between neighborhoods that have bisected by I-40.
- Grant Proposal Reviewer for Transportation Research Center for Livable Communities (TRCLC). Tier 1 University Transportation Center funded by the U.S. Department of Transportation. 2016.
- Stakeholder Advisory Member, Tennessee Chapter of the Southeastern Health Equity Council (SHEC). 2013-2016.
- Member, Community Research Partners Committee. 2013-2015.
- Committee Member, NashvilleNext subcommittees: Natural Resources & Hazard Adaptation Resource Team and Land use, Transportation & Infrastructure (LUTI) Resource Teams. 2013-2015.
- Advisory Member, A People's Guide to Nashville, TN. 2014-Present.
- Committee Member, Transportation Research Board (TRB)'s National Public Involvement in Transportation Committee (ADA60). 2014-2015.
- Committee Member, Transportation Research Board (TRB)'s National Public Transportation Planning and Development Committee (ADA60). 2014-2015.
- Committee Member of Transportation Research Board (TRB)'s National Environmental Justice in Transportation Committee (ADD50). 2014-2015.
- Reviewer, *Transportation Research Record: Journal of the Transportation Research Board*. Technical Committees: Public Involvement in Transportation Committee and Environmental Justice in Transportation Committee. 2011-2016.
- Reviewer, *Public Administration Quarterly (PAQ)*'s Symposium on "Accountability in Nonprofits Agencies." June 2014.
- Council Member, TN-ASPA (Tennessee chapter of the American Society for Public Administration). 2012-2014. Elected by chapter membership.
- Coordinator of Urban Studies Programs Student Forum, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. 2004.

UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, & DEPARTMENT SERVICE

- Chair, Tennessee State University Faculty Senate. 2020-2022.
- Chair, Urban Studies Program Faculty Search Committee for the College of Public Service. Appointed by Interim Department Chair-Prof. Delores Butler and Interim Dean-Dr. Elizabeth Williams. 2020-2021.
- Academic Advisor for the Urban Studies Program at the Spring 2021 Virtual Major Fair hosted by the Office of Academic Affairs. March 15, 2021.
- Academic Advisor for the Urban Studies Program at the Fall 2021 Virtual Undergraduate Orientation and Advisement for Adult, Distance Learners, Veterans and Transfer Students hosted by Office of Student Support Services for Adult and Distance Learners. August 14, 2021.
- Academic Advisor for the Urban Studies Program at the Spring 2021 Virtual Undergraduate Orientation and Advisement for Adult, Distance Learners, Veterans

and Transfer Students hosted by Office of Student Support Services for Adult and Distance Learners. January 23, 2021.

- Committee Member, Social Work Program Faculty Search Committee for the College of Public Service. Appointed by Interim Department Chair-Prof. Delores Butler. 2021.
- Committee Member, Tenure and Promotion Committee for the College of Public Service. Appointed Interim Dean-Dr. Elizabeth Williams. 2020.
- Student Application Evaluation Panelist, Tennessee State University Dwight David Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship Program (DDETFP) 2020 Local Competition for HBCU by FHWA. 2020-present.
- Urban Studies Program Coordinator. Urban Studies Program in the Department of Social Work and Urban Studies within the College of Public Service at Tennessee State University. 2020-present.
- Urban Studies Assessment Coordinator. Urban Studies Program in the Department of Social Work and Urban Studies within the College of Public Service at Tennessee State University. 2020-present.
- Committee Member, Tennessee State University's Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) Steering Committee. 2019-present.
- Curriculum to Career (C2C) Mentor, Tennessee State University. Appointed by Drs. Kimi Bonner and Samantha Morgan-Curtis, Sixty to Success (S2S) Co-Directors. 2018-2021.
- Committee Member, Tennessee State University's Search Committee for the Vice President of Business & Finance. Committee Chair: Dr. Lesia L. Crumpton-Young, Vice President for Research and Institutional Advancement & Chief Research Officer. Spring 2018.
- Chair Elect, Tennessee State University Faculty Senate. 2018-2020.
- Faculty Senator, Tennessee State University Faculty Senate. Elected by College of Public Service faculty. 2017-present.
- Committee Member, Tennessee State University's Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) Topic Research Committee. Appointed by Dr. Alisa L. Mosley, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs & SACSCOC Accreditation Liaison. 2017-present.
- Committee Member, Public Administration Faculty Search Committee for the College of Public Service. Appointed by Department Chair-Dr. Rodney Stanley. 2017-2018.
- Committee Member, Public Administration Faculty Search Committee for the College of Public Service. Appointed by Department Chair-Dr. Rodney Stanley. 2016-2017.
- Recruitment Representative for the Department of Social Work and Urban Students, "TSU Advisement Day" at Southwest Tennessee Community College in Memphis, Tennessee on September 28, 2016.
- Academic Audit Faculty Committee Member. Urban Studies Program Academic Audit. 2016-2017. Recruitment Representative for the Department of Social Work and Urban Students, "TSU Advisement Day" at Southwest Tennessee Community College in Memphis, Tennessee on March 15, 2016.
- Participant, Social Work & Urban Studies Program (SWUS) Writing Group within the Department of Social Work & Urban Studies. 2015-present.
- Committee Member, Faculty Senate Student Appeals Committee 2015-2016.
- Committee Member, Public Administration Faculty Search Committee for the College of Public Service and Urban Affairs. Appointed by Department Chair-Dr. Rodney Stanley. Fall 2015.
- Committee Member, Public Administration Faculty Search Committee for the College of Public Service and Urban Affairs. Appointed by Department Chair-Dr. Rodney Stanley. Spring 2015.
- Committee Member, Public Administration Faculty Search Committee for the College of Public Service and Urban Affairs. Appointed by Department Chair-Dr. Rodney Stanley. Summer 2014.

- Member, Research Committee for Department of Sociology, Social Work, and Urban Professions within the College of Public Service & Urban Affairs. Appointed by Department Chair-Dr. Oscar Miller. 2013-2015.
- Committee Member, Public Administration Faculty Search Committee for the College of Public Service and Urban Affairs. Appointed by Department Chair-Dr. Rodney Stanley. 2013-2014.
- Committee Member, Dean Search Committee for the College of Public Service and Urban Affairs. Appointed by President Glenda Glover. 2013.
- Member, Recruitment Committee for Department of Sociology, Social Work, and Urban Professions within the College of Public Service & Urban Affairs. Appointed by Department Chair-Dr. Oscar Miller. 2012-2015.
- Reviewer, Prior Learning Assessment (PLA), for TSU Center for Teaching, Learning, and Technology. 2012-2013.
- Faculty Member, TSU Center for Teaching, Learning, and Technology's Accelerated Program representative for Urban Studies Program. 2012-2013.
- Desire2Learn Training Sequence for online and hybrid teaching with e-Learn (TSU Center for Teaching, Learning and Technology)-completed 2011-2012.
- Member, Academic Audit Committee. Appointed by Dean Bruce Rogers. 2011-2012.
- Faculty Advisor, Living Learning Community Program. Appointed by Dean Bruce Rogers. 2011-2012.
- Academic Audit Faculty Committee Member. Urban Studies Program Academic Audit. 2011-2012.
- Academic Advisor. Urban Studies Program in the Department of Social Work and Urban Studies within the College of Public Service at Tennessee State University. 2011-present.

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PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2020-present National Council of Faculty Senates
- 2020-present member of Transportation Research Board (TRB)
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- 2018-present member of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Inc., Upsilon Sigma Chapter
- 2018-present member of The Association of Social and Behavioral Scientists, Inc. (ASBS)
- 2017-present member of Mid-Southern Interdisciplinary Sciences Association (MISA)
- 2014-2015 member of Urban Affairs Association (UAA)
- 2014-2015 member of Transportation Research Board (TRB)
- 2014-2015 Committee Member of Transportation Research Board (TRB)'s Subcommittees: National Public Involvement in Transportation Committee (ADA60); Public Transportation Planning and Development Committee (AP025); Environmental Justice in Transportation Committee (ADD50)
- 2013-2016 Council Member, Southeastern Health Equity Council (SHEC)
- 2013-2015 Member of the Community Research Partners Committee
- 2012-2015 member of Sisters of the Academy, INC (SOTA)
- 2012-2015 member of American Society for Public Administration
- 2012-2014 member of Text and Academic Authors Associations (TAA)
- 2012-2014 member (council member) of American Society for Public Administration, Nashville, Tennessee 2002-2003 Member of American Society for Public Administration, Milwaukee, Wisconsin Area
- 2002-2003 Member of Public Administration Student Society, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Chapter
- 2002-2003 Member of Pi Alpha Alpha the National Honor Society for the field of Political Affairs and Administration, Auburn University Chapter
- 2002-2003 Member of Pi Sigma Alpha the National Political Science Honor Society, Epsilon Nu Chapter at Auburn University
- 2001-2002 Member of Pi Lambda Sigma-Auburn University's Pre-Law Society
- 2001-2002 Member of Black Graduate and Professional Student Association, Auburn University
- 2000-2002 Member of the National Forum for Black Public Administrators

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