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EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of Michigan, Social Work and Sociology, 2000

Major Examination Field: Social Stratification

Dissertation Title: *Dreams Delivered, Dreams Deferred: Mental and Physical Health Consequences of Social Mobility among Black American Men and Women.*

M.A. University of Michigan, Sociology 1995

M.A. University of Chicago, Social Service Administration 1991

CURRENT POSITIONS

- Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education, Innovation and Technology 2015-
- Director, Interdisciplinary Doctoral Program, Miami University, 2016-

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

- Professor, Department of Family Science and Social Work, Miami University. 2013-
- Associate Professor, Department of Family Studies and Social Work, Miami University. 2008-2013
- Assistant to Associate Professor, School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin-Madison. 2001-2009

FACULTY AFFILIATIONS

- Black World Studies, Miami University, 2011-
- Scripps Gerontology Center, Miami University, 2010-
- Women, Gender and Sexuality Studies, Miami University. 2009-
- Center for Human Development, Learning, and Technology, Miami University. 2008-
- Robert M. La Follette, School of Public Affairs, University of Wisconsin-Madison. 2007-
- Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison. 2002-
- Center for Demography and Ecology. University of Wisconsin-Madison. 2001-
- Adjunct Faculty Associate, Research Center for Group Dynamics, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan. 1999-

AWARDS

Eloise Martin Teaching Enhancement Award	2012, 2013 & 2015
Vilas Life Cycle Award, University of Wisconsin-Madison	2007
Minority Faculty Research Award, University of Wisconsin System	2004
Wisconsin Idea Undergraduate Fellowship (Faculty Research Advisor)	2003
1 st year Assistant Professor Award, Florida State University	2000
Henry Meyer Award, School of Social Work, University of Michigan	1998
American Sociological Association, Minority Fellowship (declined)	1996
Minority Research Fellowship, Council on Social Work Education	1996-1998

PUBLICATIONS

Articles (*peer reviewed)

Roberts, A., Sellers, S. L., Franks, A., and Spahr Nelson, T. (*in press*). Social Work Week: Harnessing the potential of group practice to achieve transformational learning. *Journal of Social Work Education*.*

Kazimierczuk, F., Geller, K., **Sellers, S. L**., Baszile, D., and Smith-Shockley, M. 2017. African American Women and Obesity through the Prism of Race. *Health Education & Behavior*.*

Bonham V., Umeh N., Cunningham B., Abdallah K., **Sellers, S. L.**, and Cooper L. 2017. Primary care physicians' collection, comfort, and use of race and ethnicity in clinical practice in the United

- States. *Health Equity*. 1(1): 118–126.*
- **Sellers, S. L.,** Moss, M., Abdallah, K., Jenkins, J., Calzone, K., and Bonham, V. 2016. Health Professionals' Use of Race in Clinical Decision-Making. *Journal of Nursing Scholarship*. 48(6): 577-586.*
- Schwarz, J., Witte, R., **Sellers, S. L**., Luzadis, R., Weiner, J., Domingo-Snyder, E., and Page, J. 2015. Development, Construction and Psychometric Assessment of the Healthcare Provider Cultural Competence Instrument. *INQUIRY: The Journal of Health Care Organization, Provision, and Financing*. 52: 1-8.*
- Bonham, V., **Sellers, S. L.**, and Woolford, S. 2014. Physicians' knowledge, use, and beliefs about race and genetics: New Measures and New Insights. *BMC Health Services Research*. 14:456. (1st and 2nd authors listed in alphabetical order).*
- Cunningham, B., Bonham, V., **Sellers, S. L.,** Yeh, H., and Cooper, L. 2014. Physicians' Anxiety Due to Uncertainty and Use of Race in Medical Decision-Making. *Medical Care*. 52(8):728-733.*
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Cherepanov, D., Hanmer, J., Fryback, D. and Palta, M. 2013. Interpersonal discrimination and health related quality of life among black and white men and women in the United States. *Quality of Life Research*. 22(6): 1313-1318.*
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Neighbors, H., Zhang, R. and Jackson, J. 2012. The impact of goal-striving stress on physical health of White Americans, African Americans, and Caribbean Blacks. *Ethnicity & Disease*. 22(1): 21-28.*
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Neighbors, H. and Bonham, V. 2011. Goal-striving stress and the mental health of middle class black American men: The protective effects of system blame. *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*. 81(4): 507-18.*
- Snipes, S., **Sellers, S. L.** Cooper, L., Odunlami, A., Fields, J., and Bonham, V. 2011. Is Race Medically Relevant? A Qualitative Study of Physicians' Attitudes about the Role of Race in Treatment Decision-Making. *BMC Health Services Research*. 11: 183.*
- Dykema, J., Stevenson, J., Day, D., **Sellers, S L.**, Bonham, V. 2011. Effects of Incentives and Prenotification on Response Rates, Costs, Nonresponse Bias, and Response Quality in a National Web Survey of Physicians. *Evaluation & the Health Professions*. 34(4): 434-447.*
- Neighbors, H., **Sellers, S. L.**, Zhang, R. and Jackson, J. 2011. Goal-striving Stress and Racial Differences in Mental Health. *Race and Social Problems*. 3(1): 51-62.*
- Frank, D., Gallagher, T., **Sellers, S. L.**, Cooper, L., Price, E., Odunlami, A., and Bonham, V. 2010. Physicians' attitudes regarding race-based therapeutics. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*. 25(5): 384-9.*
- Dooley, J., **Sellers, S.L.**, and Gordon-Hempe. C. 2009. Lemons to Lemonade: How Five Challenges in Teaching Macro Practice Helped Us to Strengthen Our Course. *Journal of Teaching in Social Work*. 29(4): 431-448.*
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Bonham, V., Neighbors, H. and Amell, J. 2009. Effects of racial discrimination and health promoting behaviors on mental and physical health of middle-class African American men. *Health Education & Behavior*. 36(1): 33-44.*

- Bonham, V., **Sellers, S. L.**, Cooper, L., Odunlami, A., Frank, D., Gallagher, T., and Price, E. 2009. Physicians' attitudes towards race, genetics and clinical medicine. *Genetics in Medicine*. 11(4): 279-286.*
- **Sellers, S. L**. and Neighbors, H. 2008. The effects of goal-striving stress on the mental health of black Americans. *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*. 49(1): 92-103.*
- Sosulski, M., Cunningham, A., and **Sellers, S.L.** 2006. Fostering HOPE: Narrative analysis of one teen mom's pursuit of a college education. *Affilia: Journal of Women and Social Work.* 21(3): 1-16.*
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Smith, T., Mathesien, S., and Perry, R. 2006. Perceptions of professional social work journals: Findings from a national survey. *Journal of Social Work Education*. 42(1): 139-160.*
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Ward, E. and Pate, D. 2006. Dimensions of depression: A qualitative study of wellbeing among black African immigrant women. *Qualitative Social Work: Research and Practice*. 5(1): 45-66.* *A portion of the study in:* Ward, E., Sellers, S. L. and Pate, D. A qualitative study of depression among black African immigrant women: Is it just madness. *African American Research Perspectives*.
- **Sellers, S. L.** and Hunter, A. 2005. Private pain, public choices: Influence of problems in the family of origin on career choices among a cohort of MSW students. *Social Work Education*. 24(8): 869-881.*
- Cash, S., **Sellers, S. L.** and Claps, M. 2005. Money equals time: Influence of poverty status on hours spent doing housework. *Journal of Poverty*. 9(2): 89-109.*
- Bonham, V., **Sellers, S.L.** and Neighbors, H. 2004. John Henryism and Physical Health among High SES African American Men. *American Journal of Public Health*. 94(5): 737-738.*
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Mathesien, S., Perry, R. and Smith, T. 2004. Evaluation of social work journal quality: Citation vs reputation approaches. *Journal of Social Work Education*. 40(1): 143-160.*
- Brown, T., **Sellers, S. L.** and Gomez, J. 2002. The relationship between internalization and self-esteem among black adults. *Sociological Focus*, 35(1): 55-71.*
- Carter, P., **Sellers, S. L.** and Squire, C. 2002. Reflections on race/ethnicity, class, and gender inclusive research. *African American Research Perspectives*, 8(1): 111-124. (Authors listed alphabetically).
- **Sellers, S. L.** 2001. Social mobility and psychological distress: Gender differences among black American men and women. *African American Research Perspectives*, 7(1): 117-147.
- Brown, T., Williams, D. R., Jackson, J. S., Neighbors, H., **Sellers, S.L.**, Torres, M. and Brown, K. 2000. Being black and feeling blue: The mental health consequences of racial discrimination. *Race & Society*, 2(2):117-131.*
- Hunter, A. and **Sellers, S. L.** 1998. Feminist attitudes among African American women and men. *Gender & Society*, 12(1): 81-99. (Authors listed alphabetically).*
- Jackson, J. S., Brown, T., Williams, D., Torres, M., **Sellers, S.L.** and Brown, K. 1996. Racism and the physical and mental health status of African Americans: A thirteen year national panel study. *Ethnicity and Disease*, 6(1,2): 132-147.*

Chapters & Monographs

- Jackson, J. S., Caldwell, C. and **Sellers, S. L**. 2012. Conceptual and Methodological Challenges in Studies of Black Populations. P. 3-30 in J. Jackson, C. Caldwell, and S L. Sellers, (eds.), *Researching Black Communities: A Methodological Guide*. University of Michigan Press.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Wilson, C. and Harris, M. 2012. Methodological considerations in the study of work and occupations: The Case of Domestic Workers in New York City. P. 149-167 in J. Jackson, C. Caldwell, and S. L. Sellers, (eds.). *Researching Black Communities: A Methodological Guide*. University of Michigan Press.*
- Govia, I., Jackson, J., and **Sellers, S. L.** 2011. Social Inequalities. P. 727-744 in K. Fingerman, C. Berg, T. Antonucci, and J. Smith. *Handbook of Lifespan Psychology*. NY: Springer.
- Jackson, J., Govia, I., and **Sellers, S. L.** 2010. Racial and Ethnic Influences over the Life-Course. P. 91-103 in R. H. Binstock & L. George (eds.). *Handbook of aging and the social sciences* (7th edition). NY: Academic Press.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Bonham, V., Neighbors, H. and McCoy, S. 2010. Health and health care service use among middle-class black men. P. 209-225 in Waldo Johnson (ed.), *Social Work with African-American Males*. Oxford University Press.
- **Sellers, S. L.** Govia, I. and Jackson, J. S. 2009. Health and black older adults: Insights from a life course perspective. In R. Braithwaite, S. Taylor and H. Treadwell (eds.), Health Issues in the Black Community 3rd Edition. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.
 - Jackson, J. S. and **Sellers, S. L**. 2001. Health and the Elderly. P. 81-96 in R. Braithwaite and Sandra Taylor (eds.), *Health Issues in the Black Community* 2^{nd} *Edition*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.
- Friedrich, K., **Sellers, S. L.** and Burstyn, J. 2008. Thawing Out the "Chilly Climate": Inclusive Teaching in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math. P. 133-144 in D. Robertson and Linda B. Nilson (eds.), *To Improve the Academy: Resources for Faculty, Instructional, and Organizational Development*, San Francisco: Jossey-Bass.*
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Chong, H. and Harris, M. 2007. Theorizing Heterogeneity: Social and Economic Wellbeing of Native Blacks, Afro-Caribbean and African Immigrants in the US. P. 287-305 in R. Coates and R. Dennis (eds.), *The New Black: Alternative Paradigms and Strategies for the 21st Century*. V. 14 *Research in race and ethnic relations*. Amsterdam, The Netherlands: Elsevier.*
- Brown, T., **Sellers, S. L.**, Brown, K. and Jackson, J. S. 1999. Race, ethnicity, and culture in the sociology of mental health. P. 167-181 in C. Aneshensel and J. Phelan (eds.), *Handbook of the sociology of mental health*. NY: Kluwer Academic/Plenum Publishers.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Jackson, J. S. and Hardison, C. 1998. Minority issues. P. 505-52 in M. Hersen and V. Van Hasselt (eds.), *Handbook of clinical geropsychology*. NY: Plenum.
- Taylor, R. and **Sellers, S. L.** 1997. Informal ties and employment among black Americans. P. 146-156 in R. Taylor, J. Jackson, and L. Chatters (eds.), *Family life in black America*. NY: Sage.
- Jackson, J. S. and **Sellers, S. L.** 1997. Psychological, social, and cultural perspectives on minority health in adolescence: A life-course framework. P. 29-49 in D. Wilson, J. Rodrigue, and W. Taylor (eds.), *Health-promoting and health-compromising behaviors among minority adolescents*. Washington DC: American Psychological Association.

Jackson, J. S. and **Sellers, S. L.** 1996. African American health over the life-course: A multi-dimensional framework. P. 301-317 in P. Kato, and T. Mann (eds.), *Health psychology of special populations: Issues of age, gender, and ethnicity*. NY: Plenum.

Books

- Harris, M., **Sellers, S. L.** Clerge, O., and Gooding, F., (eds.). 2017. *Stories from the Front of the Room: How Higher Education Faculty of Color Overcome Challenges and Thrive in the Academy*. MD: Rowman & Littlefield.
- Jackson, J. S., Caldwell, C. and **Sellers, S. L.** (eds.). 2012. *Researching Black Communities: A Methodological Guide*. University of Michigan Press.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Roberts, J. Giovanetto, L. and Friedrich, K. 2007. *Reaching All Students. A Resource Book for Teaching in Science, Technology, Engineering & Math* (2nd edition). Edited volume for the Center for Integration of Research, Teaching & Learning.
 - **Sellers, S. L.**, Roberts, J. Giovanetto, L. and Friedrich, K. 2005. *Reaching All Students. A Resource Book for Teaching in Science, Technology, Engineering & Math.* Edited volume for the Center for Integration of Research, Teaching & Learning.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Friedrich, K., Gunasekera, N., Saleem, T. and Burstyn, J. 2006. *Case studies in inclusive teaching in science, technology, engineering and mathematics* (2nd edition). Madison, WI: Center for the Integration of Research, Teaching and Learning.
 - Sellers, S. L., Friedrich, K., Saleem, T. and Burstyn, J. 2005. *Case Studies for Inclusive Teaching in Science, Technology, Engineering & Math.* Madison, WI: Center for Integration of Research, Teaching & Learning.
- Bowen, L. K. and **Sellers, S. L.** 1994. *Family support & socially vulnerable communities: Three case studies and lessons learned.* Chicago: Family Resource Coalition.
- Bracey, E., Cunningham, M. and **Sellers, S. L.** 1993. *Building Partnerships for Service: Articulation handbook for social work education*. Normal, IL: Illinois State University. (Authors listed alphabetically.)

Other publications

- Friedrich, K., **Sellers, S. L.** Gunasekera, N. and Burstyn, J. 2007. *CIRTL Diversity Resources Workshop: A Facilitator's Guide*. Madison, WI: Center for Integration of Research, Teaching & Learning.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Ampofo, A., and Frazier-Kouassi, S. 2005. Stress, Coping and the Health of Ghanaian Women at the Crossroads of Change. Conference Proceeding, *Global Forum for Health Research*.
- Friedrich, K. and **Sellers, S. L.** 2004. Dance of structural inequality. Facilitation guidelines written for CIRTL. http:cirtl.wceruw.org/diversityinstitute/resources/workshops/structural-inequality/
- Bonham, V., **Sellers, S. L.** and Neighbors, H. 2004. John Henryism and African American Men's Health: Definitely Not the Same Old Song. Letter to the Editor, *American Journal of Public Health*, 94: 1659.
- **Sellers, S. L**. and Amell, J. 2003. Book Review–Changing Methods: Feminists transforming practice. *Affilia*, 18(2): 235-237.
- **Sellers, S. L.** and Neighbors, H. 1999. Goal striving stress, social economic status, and the mental health of black Americans. *Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences*, 896: 469-473.

Under Review

Abdallah, K., Calzone, K., Jenkins, J., **Sellers, S.L.** and Bonham, V. Knowledge of genetic variation among a sample of nurses and general internists.

Works in Progress

Sellers, S.L. Final Exam or Grand Finale: Structuring an undergraduate research methods course for maximal engagement and learning.

Sellers, S. L., Cunningham, B., and Bonham, V. Paradoxes, puzzles, and possibilities: Physician knowledge of human genetic variation, beliefs about race and genetics, and use of race in clinical decision making.

SELECTED SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

Abdallah, K., Moss, M., Jenkins, J., Calzone, K., **Sellers, S.L.** and Bonham, V. New tool for measuring genetic variation knowledge among health professionals. American Society for Human Genetics. October 2015.

Clerge, O., Gooding, F., Harris, M., and **Sellers, S. L.** Stories from the Front of the Room: How Higher Education Faculty of Color Overcome Challenges and Thrive in the Academy. Association of Black Sociologists. August 2015.

Sellers, S. L., Cunningham, B., Cooper, L., and Bonham, V. Is knowledge of human genetic variation associated with use of race in clinical decision making? *Invited Poster Presentation*. National Human Genome Research Institute. January 2014.

Sellers, S. L., Cunningham, B., Cooper, L., and Bonham, V. Physician use of race in clinical decision making and its association with knowledge of and beliefs about human genetic variation. Poster Presentation. Science of Eliminating Health Disparities Summit. National Harbor, MD. November/December 2012.

Cunningham, B., Cooper, L., **Sellers, S. L.,** and Bonham, V. Physician Anxiety due to Uncertainty and the Use of Race in Medical Decision Making. Poster Presentation. Society for General Internal Medicine. Orlando, FL. May 2012.

Hanmer, J., Sellers, SL, Cherepanov, D., Fryback, D. Interpersonal discrimination and health utility scores among black and white men and women in the United States. Poster Presentation. Society for General Internal Medicine. Phoenix, AZ. May 2011.

Wayman, D., **Sellers, S. L.,** Bonham, V. Physicians' Perspectives on Building a Trusting Relationship with Racially Discordant Patients. American Public Health Association. Denver, Colorado. August 2010.

Stevenson, J., Dykema, J., Day, B., **Sellers, S. L.** & Bonham, V. The Use of Advance Contact, Monetary Incentives, and Lotteries to Increase Response Rates in a Web Survey of Physicians. American Association for Public Opinion Research. Hollywood, Florida. May 2009.

Sellers, S. L., Neighbors, H., Zhang, R., and Jackson, J. Does striving make you sick?: The role of goal-striving stress in physical health. And Neighbors, H., **Sellers, S. L.**, Zhang, R., and Jackson, J. Goal-striving stress and mental health. International Conference on Social Stress. Santa Fe, New Mexico. June 2008.

Bonham, V., **Sellers, S. L**. and Frank, D. US Physicians' attitudes towards race, genetics and clinical medicine. Third International Workshop on Genetics, history and public understanding Barcelona, Spain. May 2008.

- **Sellers, S. L.** Interpersonal Discrimination as a Contributor to Health Disparities in Black and White Men and Women. Society for Social Work and Research. Washington, DC. January 2008.
- **Sellers, S. L.** and Newmann, J. Role of material resources in race and gender differences in mental health. Also, organizer and presider for Aging and Life Course Research Discussion Table on Race/Ethnicity Across the Life Course. American Sociological Association. New York, New York. August 2007.
- **Sellers, S. L.** Re-biologizing race: A sociological view of race, genetics, and health disparities. 5th Annual Summer Workshop Disparities in Health in America: Working Toward Social Justice. Houston Texas. June 2007.
- Frank, D., Gallagher, T., Odunlami, A., Cooper, L., **Sellers, S. L.**, Price, E., Phillips, E., and Bonham, V. Physicians' attitudes regarding race-based therapeutics—Poster presentation. Health Services Research & Development Service (HSR&D). Arlington, Virginia. February 2007.
- Odunlami, A., Frank, D. Phillips, E., Price, E., **Sellers, S. L.** and Bonham, V. Primary care physicians' beliefs about collecting and using racial and ethnic information in disease risk assessment and medical decision making. American Public Health Association. Boston, MA. November 2006.
- Bonham, V., Cooper, L., Frank, D., Gallagher, T., Odunlami, A., Phillips, E., Price, E. and **Sellers, S. L.** Primary Care Physicians' Knowledge of Race, Ethnicity, Human Genetic Variation and Health–Poster presentation. 56th Annual Meeting of The American Society of Human Genetics. New Orleans, LA. October 2006.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Bonham, V., Odunlami, A., and Phillips, E. United States Physicians' understanding and use of genetics and race in clinical decision making. International Sociological Association. 16th World Congress of Sociology. Durban, South Africa. July 2006.
- Ampofo, A., **Sellers, S. L.** and Frazier-Kouassi, S. "No, there's no room for depression." Ghanaian women coping with mental health issues. 10th International Women and Health Meeting. New Delhi, India. September 2005.
- **Sellers, S. L.** What is the role of age and education in understanding race and gender differences in depressive and alcohol disorders? American Sociological Association, Aging and Life Course Discussion Table on Race/Ethnicity Across the Life Course. Organizer and presider for this table. Discussant, The Social Context of Mental Health. Society for Study of Social Problems. Philadelphia, PA. August 2005.
- **Sellers, S. L.** and Newmann, J. Intersecting Adversities: Race and gender differences in mental health. Poster Session in Honor of Dr. E. Aracelis Francis. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. New York, New York. March 2005.
- Frazier-Kouassi, S., Ampofo, A., and **Sellers, S. L.** Physical and Mental Health of Ghanaian Women at the Crossroads of Change. Global Forum for Health Research. Mexico City, Mexico. November 2004.
- Neighbors, H., **Sellers, S. L.** and Bonham, V. Goal-striving Stress and Distress in college-educated African-American Men: Race as an Explanation for Mobility Setbacks. American Public Health Association. San Francisco, CA. November 2003.
- Amell, J., **Sellers, S. L.**, Bonham, V. and Neighbors, H. Cumulative effects of discrimination and health promoting behaviors on health of high SES African American men. Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA. August 2003.

- **Sellers, S. L.** Facilitator, Aging and Life Course Discussion Table on Race/Ethnicity Across the Life Course. American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL. August 2002.
- **Sellers, S. L.** Organizer, chair, and presenter. Gender and Mental Health: Patterns, Problems and Promising New Directions. The 8th International Interdisciplinary Congress on Women. Kampala, Uganda. July 2002.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Mathesien, S., Perry, R. and Smith, T. Findings from the National Survey on Social Work Journals. Society for Social Work Research. San Diego, CA. January 2002.
- Gomez, J. and **Sellers, S. L.** Impact of classroom discrimination on career aspirations of black and white female college students. American Psychological Association. San Francisco, CA. August 2001.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Neighbors, H. and Lipps, A. Social origins of stress: Patterns among predictors of goal striving stress among black Americans. Society for the Study of Social Problems. Presider for Association of Black Sociologists Session on the American Dream. Facilitator for American Sociological Association, Aging and Life Course Discussion Table on Race/Ethnicity Across the Life Course. Anaheim, CA. August 2001.
- Jarmon, B. and **Sellers, S. L.** Cultural Diversity in the Caribbean Context. 5th Biennial Conference of Caribbean & International Social Work Educators. Nassau, Bahamas. August 2001.
- **Sellers, S. L.** and Neighbors, H. Effects of goal striving stress on the mental health of black Americans. Association of Black Sociologists 30th Annual Conference. Washington DC. August 2000.
- **Sellers, S. L.** and Williams, D. Neighborhoods and Mental Health. Neighborhoods and Health Conference. Harvard Center for Society and Health. Harvard School of Public Health. Boston, Massachusetts. June 2000.
- Lipps, A. and **Sellers, S. L.** Race-related predictors of goal striving stress. Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Gender and African Americans. Ann Arbor, Michigan. April 2000.
- **Sellers, S. L.** and Neighbors, H. Goal Striving Stress, Socioeconomic Status, and the Mental Health of Black Americans. New York Academy of Sciences Conference--Socioeconomic Status and Health in Industrial Nations: Social, Psychological, and Biological Pathways. NIH. Bethesda, MD. May 1999.
- **Sellers, S. L.** Mental and Physical Health Consequences of Social Mobility among Black Americans. Association of Black Sociologists Annual Conference. San Francisco, CA. August 1998.
- **Sellers, S. L.**, Garcia, D., Gomez, M., McKenny, R., McCoy, K., Washington, T. and Gutierrez, L. Ethnic Identity, Gender Identity, and Attitudes Toward Race and Racism. 60th Anniversary Convention of the Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues. Ann Arbor, MI. May 1996.
- Williams, D., Brown, T., **Sellers, S. L.**, Forman, T. and Jackson, J. Racism and the Health Status of African Americans: Resources and Risk Factors. American Sociological Association Annual Meeting. Washington, DC. August 1995.
- **Sellers, S. L.** Feminist Consciousness Among African American Men and Women. National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting. Minneapolis, Minnesota. November 1994.
- Brown, T., Williams, D., Jackson, J., Neighbors, H., Torres, M., **Sellers, S. L.** and Brown, K. Racism and Mental Health: Findings from the National Study of Black Americans Panel Sample (1987-88 to 1988-89). Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting. Los Angeles, CA. August 1994.

Brown, K., Jackson, J., Williams, D., Torres, M., **Sellers, S. L.** and Brown, T. Changes in Mental Health Status Among African Americans, 1980-1992. Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting. Los Angeles, California. August 1994.

Washington, E., **Sellers, S. L.** and Cunningham, M. Model to Recruit and Train Minority Social Work Students to Work with Minorities and the Urban Poor. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. New York, New York. March 1993.

RESEARCH AND TRAINING GRANTS

Active and previously funded

"Medical Decision Making: The Role of Physicians' Understanding of Race & Human Genetic Variation." Associate Investigator. Social and Behavioral Research Branch, National Human Genome Research Institute, National Institutes of Health. Principal Investigator, Vence Bonham. 2004-2008, 2009-present. \$30,000.

"Organizational, Provider, and Patient Assessments of Cultural Competence." Co-Principal Investigator. Cincinnati Children's Hospital and Medical Center, Principal Investigator, Joshua Schwarz. 2012-2015. \$36,000.

"Dimensions of Diversity that Affect Clinical Interactions and Health Outcomes: A Pilot Study." Center for Human Development, Learning and Technology, Miami University. 2012-2015. \$1000.

"Race, gender and mental health." and "Goal striving-stress and health." EHS Summer Research Grant Award, Miami University. 2008, 2009. \$5000.

"Depression and alcohol abuse among black and white men and women." Committee on Faculty Research Award, Miami University. 2008. \$6000.

"Diversity Supplement to CIRTL Grant." Co-Principal Investigator. National Science Foundation. University of Wisconsin-Madison, Principal Investigator, Robert Mathieu. 2006-2009. \$260,000.

"National Health Measurement Study." Senior Investigator. National Institute on Aging. Principal Investigator, Dennis G. Fryback. 2004-2009. \$15,000.

"Mental Health of Women of African-descent." Principal Investigator. Wisconsin Women's Health Foundation. 2004. \$10,000.

"Gender and Mental Health in the Ghanaian Context." Principal Investigator. Association for the Advancement of Science, Women's International Scientific Cooperation travel grant. 2003. \$8100.

"Health and Well-being of Ghanaian Women." Principal Investigator. Center for Demography & Ecology, University of Wisconsin-Madison, International family and household demography travel award. 2003. \$3000.

"The Health and Well-Being of African Immigrant Children and their Families: Madison Pilot." Principal Investigator. UW-Madison Health & Society Research Competition, sponsored by the RWJ Health & Society Scholars Program at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. 2002-2003. \$40,000.

"Role of occupational stress in racial/ethnic and gender differences in mental health." Principal Investigator. UW-Madison Graduate School. 2002-2003. \$14,000.

"Self-Directed Care Project" Co-Principal Investigator. District 4 Mental Health Program, Department of Children and Families. Jacksonville, Florida. Summer 2001. \$20,000.

"Influence of goal-striving stress on health of black Americans." Principal Investigator. Committee for Black Faculty and Graduate Student Support, Florida State University. 2000-2001 & 2001-2002 \$9000.

"Mental Health Consequences of Social Mobility." NIMH Minority Supplement. Poverty, Risk, and Mental Health Center, University of Michigan. Principal Investigator, Sheldon Danziger. 1997-2000. \$123,000.

Survey Research Center. Institute for Social Research. University of Michigan. Summer course in longitudinal survey design and methods. 1997. \$4000.

"Qualitative Study of Social Mobility." Principal Investigator. Department of Social Work, University of Michigan. 1996-1997. \$1000.

"Linking Social Work Education Across Degree-Levels." Co-Principal Investigator. Illinois Board of Higher Education, Higher Education Cooperation Act. 1990-1993. \$180,000.

Recent Unfunded Submissions

"Refocusing "Cultural Competence" to Improve Pediatric Outcomes: Identifying Intervention Targets through Multileveled Mixed-Methods Research." Co-Principal Investigator.

"Lives at the crossroads of change: A longitudinal mixed methods study of Ghanaian women and their families." Principal Investigator.

TEACHING

EHS 701: Interdisciplinary Doctoral Seminar. Fall 2016; Spring 2017.

FSW/KNH 295: Research Methods. Spring 2013, 2014, 2015; Fall 2014, 2015.

Mastering the Master's Thesis: Writing workshop series for EHS graduate students. Spring 2012.

FSW 201: Introduction to Social Work. Miami University, Oxford. Fall 2008-2012; Spring 2009-2012.

FSW 362: Family Poverty. Miami University, Oxford. Fall 2008-2011; Spring 2009-2012.

Social Work 867: Advanced Macropractice. University of Wisconsin, Madison. Fall 2007.

Social Work 627: Affecting Change in Organizations. University of Wisconsin, Madison. Fall 2005.

Research Supervisor, Worldwide University Network (WUN) Award winner, Hiu Ha Florence Chong, University of York, United Kingdom. Summer 2004.

Faculty mentor, Post-doctoral Fellow--Women's Health and Aging: Research and Leadership Training Grant. Principal Investigator, Molly Carnes, Professor, Department of Medicine & Director, UW Center for Women's Health & Women's Health Research. 2003-2004.

Faculty Mentor, Undergraduate--Research Opportunities Programs, University of Michigan. Summers 1999, 2000 & 2001. University of Wisconsin, Madison. Fall 2003, Spring 2006.

Social Work 442: Social Work with Communities and Organizations, University of Wisconsin, Madison. Spring 2004, 2006, 2007.

Social Work 420/865: Poverty and Social Welfare, University of Wisconsin, Madison. Spring 2002, Fall 2003.

Social Work 944: Social Policy. University of Wisconsin, Madison. Fall 2002.

Social Work 640: Race and Ethnicity in Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison. Fall 2001, 2002, 2003; Spring 2002, Fall 2005.

Instructor, Survey Research Methods, Northern Caribbean University. Mandeville, Jamaica. Summer 2002.

Social Work 4301: Introduction to Social Work Research, School of Social Work, Florida State University. Spring 2000. Also taught Social Policy required Masters course, Fall 2000 and required BSW course, Spring 2000. Florida State University.

SELECTED TEACHING PRESENTATIONS

"A Conversation on Experiences of Faculty of Color: Understanding the Impact on Recruitment and Retention." University of Albany, Albany, NY. April 2017.

"Transforming the Traditional Classroom through a Student-Centered Professional Development Project." Lilly International Conference on College Teaching. Oxford, OH. November 2014.

"Inclusive Teaching and Learning in STEM." 11th Annual Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Education Society (STEMES) Workshop. Washington, DC. June 2007.

"Preparing Future Faculty to Teach Diverse Student Audiences." Council of Graduate Schools. Washington DC. December 2006.

"Case Studies in Inclusive Teaching." Madison Area Technical College (MATC). Spring Mid-Semester Convocation. March 2006.

"Inclusive Teaching Practices." Teaching Academy. University of Wisconsin, Madison. June 2005.

"In Their Own Words: Why students leave STEM fields and what we can do about it." Addressing the student learning experience: Achieving Diversity in STEM Disciplines. CIRTL Forum. University of Wisconsin, Madison. May 2005.

"Introduction to the CIRTL Diversity Resources." CIRTL Diversity Institute Kickoff. University of Wisconsin, Madison. August 2004.

"Diversity in the Classroom." New Educators' Orientation. College of Engineering. University of Wisconsin, Madison. January 2004.

"Classroom Climate: The Faculty and Staff Role." Plan 2008 Campus Forum. University of Wisconsin, Madison. October 2004.

"Teaching for Inclusion." Graduate School Diversity Advisory Committee. University of Wisconsin, Madison. May 2004.

"Multicultural Perspectives in Teaching." TIP Program. College of Engineering. University of Wisconsin, Madison. September 2003.

"Recruitment of Minority Faculty." Plan 2008 Campus Forum. University of Wisconsin, Madison. October 2003.

"Teaching about Inequality: Challenging Oppression through Mindfulness." Teaching Forum. University of Wisconsin, Madison, October 2002.

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL AND DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

University & Departmental

Director, Undergraduate Social Work Program, Department of Family Studies and Social Work, Miami University, 2012-2015.

Member, Benefits Committee, Miami University, 2012-2015

Chair, Faculty Welfare Committee, Miami University, Member since 2010-2015

Member, Committee for the Evaluation of Administrators, Miami University, 2011-2012.

Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Family Studies and Social Work, Miami University, 2011-2012.

Member, Institutional Review Board, Miami University, 2010-

Member, P & T Committee, School of Education, Health & Society, Miami University, 2010-2012.

Founding member & member of coordinating committee, Black Faculty Caucus, Miami University, 2010-2015.

Member, Admissions and Awards committees, Department of Family Studies and Social Work, Miami University, 2009-2015.

Member, MSW program committee, Department of Family Studies and Social Work, Miami University, 2008-2015.

Member, Committee for the Advancement of Teaching, Scholarship, and Awards, School of Education, Health & Society, Miami University, 2009-2011.

Member, Campus Diversity Plan Oversight Committee, University of Wisconsin, Madison. 2007-2009.

Senator, UW-Madison Faculty Senate. 2005-2006.

Member, International Social Work Committee, School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison. 2003-2009.

Member, Development Committee, School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison. 2003-2008.

Chair, Student Awards Committee, School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison. 2002-2008.

Member, Grievance Committee, School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison. 2001-Chair, Spring 2003, Fall 2007.

Member, Steering Committee, Center for Demography of Health and Aging. University of Wisconsin, Madison. 2002-2009.

Member, Director's Search Committee, School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison. 2003-2004.

Executive Committee, Center for the Study of Cultural Diversity in Healthcare. University of Wisconsin Medical School. 2002-2004.

Member, Faculty Recruitment Committee, School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison. 2002-2003.

Member, Curriculum Committee, School of Social Work, University of Wisconsin, Madison. 2001-2002.

Member, Graduate Policy Sub-committee, School of Social Work, Florida State University. 2000-2001.

Member, Faculty Search Committee, School of Social Work, Florida State University. 2000-2001.

Member, Ad hoc Committee on Admissions, School of Social Work, Florida State University. 2000-2001.

Member, Curriculum Committee–Social Policy and Administration Concentration, School of Social Work, Florida State University. 2000-2001.

Alternate Member, Merit Committee, School of Social Work, Florida State University. 2000-2001.

Co-Author, Guidebook for Students in Social Work & Social Sciences and the Handbook of the Joint Program in Social Work and Sociology. 1998.

Co-Chair, Doctoral Student Association. School of Social Work, University of Michigan. 1993-1994.

ProSeminar Coordinator, Department of Sociology. University of Michigan. Developed lecture series outlining a "roadmap" for graduate studies. 1993.

Founding Co-Chair, Association of Black Sociologists, Student Chapter. University of Michigan. Initiated, developed, and coordinated career development workshop series. Wrote newsletter 1994-1996.

State, National and International

Sociology Panelist, National Science Foundation. 2012 & 2013.

Member - at- Large, Association of Black Sociologists. 2010-2014.

Member, African American/Black Community Council of Color. Madison Area Technical College. 2006-2009.

Board Member, New Partnerships for Women. Madison, Wisconsin. 2005-2009.

Nominations Committee Member, American Sociological Association (ASA) Medical Sociology Section. 2004-2005.

Reviewer, Society for Social Work Research, Excellence in Research Award. 2004-2011.

Co-leader, Diversity Team, Center for the Integration of Research, Teaching, and Learning, University of Wisconsin-Madison. 2003-2009.

Member, Program Organizing Committee for 2004, Gender and Health & Mortality Sections, Population Association of America. Summer 2003.

Board Member, Community Partnerships. Madison, WI. 2002-2004.

Ad hoc Reviewer, American Journal of Public Health, Ethnicity & Disease, The Gerontologist, Journal of Caribbean Studies, Journal of Family Issues, Journal of Health and Social Behavior, Journal of Social Work, Journal for Social Work Research, Social Psychology Quarterly, Society and Mental Health.

Editorial Boards, Race & Society, 2000-2005; Issues in Race and Society: An International, Global Journal, 2012-present

Reviewer, 5th Biennial Conference of Caribbean & International Social Work Educators. Florida State University. June 2001.

Presenter, Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Health. Mayor's Initiative on Race Relations. City of Tallahassee. May 2001.

Conference Coordinator, Black Agenda for the 21st Century: Toward a Synthesis of Culture, History, and Social Policy. Center for Afroamerican and African Studies, University of Michigan. 1998-1999.

Member, Behavioral and Social Sciences Section Program Committee, Gerontological Society of America. 1997.

Grant Reviewer, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) High Risk Youth Review Committee, 1995; National Science Foundation 2012, 2013.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

African Studies Association American Sociological Association Association of Black Sociologists Council on Social Work Education National Council on Family Relations Society for Social Work and Research Sociologists of Women in Society