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# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2018-Present Director, Social Policy Institute

Washington University in St. Louis

St. Louis, Missouri

2018-Present **Shanti K. Khinduka Distinguished Professor**

Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School

St. Louis, Missouri

2018-Present **Nonresident Senior Fellow (Global Economy and Development)**

Brookings Institution

Washington, DC

2017-Present **Associate Dean for Policy Initiatives**Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School

St. Louis, Missouri

2015-Present **Full Professor**Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School

St. Louis, Missouri

2015-Present **Director**Centene Center for Health Transformation

Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School

St. Louis, Missouri

2012-2016 **Nonresident Senior Fellow**

Brookings Institution

Washington, DC

2012-2015 **Associate Professor**Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School

St. Louis, Missouri

2012-2018 **Associate Director**Center for Social Development

Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School

St. Louis, Missouri

2012-Present **Adjunct Research** **Associate Professor**

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Social Work

Chapel Hill, North Carolina

2010-2012 **Associate Professor**University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Social Work

Chapel Hill, North Carolina

2008-2012 **Founding Director**Asset-Building Research Group

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Social Work

Chapel Hill, North Carolina

2005-2010 **Assistant Professor**University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Social Work

Chapel Hill, North Carolina

2004-2005 **Post-Doctoral Fellow**Center for Social Development

Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School

St. Louis, Missouri

# EDUCATION

Aug 2004 **Ph.D. in Social Work**

Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School   
St. Louis, Missouri

Aug 2005 **M.A. in Economics**

University of Missouri, St. Louis Graduate School, Department of Economics

St. Louis, Missouri

Jun 1999 **M.A. in Social Work**

University of Haifa, School of Social Work

Haifa, Israel

Jun 1996 **B.A. in Social Work**

University of Haifa, School of Social Work

Haifa, Israel

**HONORS, AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS**

2020 Recipient of Journal of Consumer Affairs Best Article of the Year for “Encouraging Tax-Time Savings with a Low-touch, Large-Scale Intervention: Evidence from the Refund to Savings Experiment” co-authored by Stephen Roll, Blair Russell, and Dana Perantie

2020 Recipient of Washington University’s Outstanding Faculty Mentor Award

2020 Encouraging Tax‐Time Savings with a Low‐Touch, Large‐Scale Intervention: Evidence from the Refund to Savings Experiment. Nominated for *The Journal of Consumer Affairs* 2020 Best Article Award.

2019 Inducted as an American Academy of Social Work and Social Welfare Fellow

2018-Present Installed as the Shanti K. Khinduka Distinguished Professor

Washington University in St. Louis, Brown School

2017 Student Debt and Hardship: Evidence from a Large Sample of Low- and Moderate-income Households. Paper among Most Downloaded Articles from #1 social work publication on Google Scholar, *Children and Youth Services Review*

2016 Named as one of highest-impact social work faculty in terms of scholarly productivity. Article: Hodge, D.R., Kremer, K.P., Vaughn, M.G. (2016). High-Impact Social Work Scholars: A Bibliometric Examination of SSWR and AASWSW Fellows. *Research on Social Work Practice.* Doi: 10.1177/1049731516645929

2016 Selected as advisor for the Financial Opportunity Working Group of the Clinton Global Initiative – America

2014 & 2015 Selected as a member of the Financial Opportunity Working Group of the Clinton Global Initiative – America

2014 Inaugural Fellow of the Society for Social Work and Research

2013 Selected as the Arnulf M. Pins Memorial Lecture Keynote Speaker, The Paul Baerwald School of Social Work, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

2011 Research Associate, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland

2011 Deborah K. Padgett Early Career Achievement Award, The Society for Social Work and Research

2011 Nominee, UNC University-wide Faculty Mentoring Award, Women’s Leadership Council

2011 Steven H. Sandell grant jointly awarded by the Boston College Center for Retirement Research and the Social Security Administration

2009 Awarded Small Grants Competition, National Center for Marriage Research

2009 Awarded Small Grants Competition, National Poverty Center

2008 Smith Richardson Foundation Domestic Public Policy Research Fellowship

2007 & 2008 Nominee, UNC University-wide Faculty Mentoring Award, Women’s Leadership Council

2007 Faculty Fellow, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Center for Community Capital

2007 Research selected as one of 11 research projects for MacArthur Foundation’s $35 million initiative on cost-effectiveness of evidence-based policymaking “The Power of Measuring Social Benefits”

2006 Selected as participant in the National Institutes of Health (NIH) Summer Institute on the Design and Development of Quantitative Research on Social Work Intervention in Health

2005 Faculty Fellow, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Center for Urban & Regional Studies

2005 Faculty Fellow, Washington University, Center for Social Development

2003 Selected as a Fahs-Beck Scholar

2003 Recognized as Washington University Graduate Student Leader, George Warren Brown School of Social Work

2003 Invited to attend the National Conference on Graduate Student Leadership, Washington University, St. Louis, MO

2003 Travel Awardand Invited Participant, 2003 National Poverty Center Summer Workshop: Analyzing Poverty and Welfare Trends Using Census 2000, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

2001 Member Phi Kappa Phi, University of Missouri-St. Louis (master’s in economics)

2001 M.A. Graduate Fellowship, University of Missouri-St. Louis

2000 Ford Foundation Research Fellow

1999 William H. Beveridge Scholarship, Washington University, George Warren Brown School of Social Work

1999 Doctoral Studies Scholarship, University of Haifa

1999 M.A. Exceptional Extra Excellency Graduate (top 1% of graduates across all disciplines), University of Haifa

1999 Early Empirical Thesis Submission Award, University of Haifa, School of Social Work

1998 Advanced Studies Dean’s Award, University of Haifa

1998 M.A. Outstanding Student Award, University of Haifa

1998 Conference Scholarship, University of Haifa

1998 Empirical Research Thesis Award, University of Haifa

1998 Advanced Studies Dean’s Award, University of Haifa

1998 Outstanding M.A. Student, University of Haifa, School of Social Work

1998 Elected to speak at the 1998 School of Social Work Outstanding Student Award Ceremony on behalf of the Outstanding Empirical Thesis and Outstanding M.A.

Student Award winner, University of Haifa

1998 Elected by winners of the 1998-Advanced Studies Dean’s Award Ceremony to speak on behalf of the 1998 awardees, University of Haifa

1997 Master’s Degree Achievement Award, University of Haifa

1996 Distinguished Students Special Award, University of Haifa

1996 B.A. Research Assistant Excellency Award, University of Haifa

1996 B.A. Excellency Award, University of Haifa

1996 Expedited acceptance to master’s degree program (selected for one of two positions for accelerated admission to the master’s program), University of Haifa

1996 B.A. Excellency Graduate, University of Haifa

# EXTRAMURAL RESEARCH GRANTS

2020 **Principal Investigator – *Support the Collection of COVID-19 Data to Better Understand its Impact on Children, Youth, and Families***

Annie E. Casey Foundation ($100,000)

2020-2022 **Principal Investigator – *Research to Rebuild from the COVID-19 Crisis***

JP Morgan Chase Foundation ($600,000)

2019-2021 **Principal Investigator – *Centene Center for Health Transformation***

Centene Corporation ($2,800,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Karyn Quinn, Senior Director of Product Development, Centene Corporation

2019 **Principal Investigator – *Mastercard Founding Sponsorship***

Mastercard Center for Inclusive Growth($1,500,000)

2019-2021 **Principal Investigator – *Behavioral Economics Field Experiments to Improve Financial Well-Being***

MetLife ($1,200,000)

2019 **Principal Investigator – *Cross-Platform Savings at Tax Time Data***

Prosperity Now ($225,000)

Co-Principal Investigators: Mathieu Despard, Visiting Scholar, Social Policy Institute; Stephen Roll, Research Assistant Professor, Social Policy Institute

2018-2020 **Principal Investigator – *Applying Insights from Behavioral Economics to Improve Program Outcomes***

American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee ($103,753)

2018-2019 **Principal Investigator – *Improving Financial Well-Being Through Tax Filing and the Workplace***

J. P. Morgan Chase Foundation ($385,000)

Co-Investigators: Mathieu Despard, Research Assistant Professor, Brown School; Stephen Roll, Research Assistant Professor, Brown School

2018 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings***

Intuit, Inc. ($650,000)

Co-Principal Investigators: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University; Mathieu Despard, Research Assistant Professor, Brown School

2018 **Principal Investigator – *Effects of the ACA on Household Financial Security***

Russell Sage Foundation Presidential Authority Award ($34,994)

Co-Principal Investigators: Emily Gallagher, Assistant Professor, University of Colorado at Boulder; Radhakrishnan Gopalan, Professor, Washington University

2018 **Principal Investigator – *Employer-based Financial Wellness Programs***

Annie E. Casey Foundation ($60,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Mathieu Despard, Research Assistant Professor, Brown School

2017-2019 **Principal Investigator – *Employer-based Financial Wellness Programs***

Kellogg Foundation ($750,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Mathieu Despard, Research Assistant Professor, Brown School

2017-2020 **Principal Investigator – *Behavioral Economics – New Initiatives in Health & Wealth***

Duke University ($100,000)

2017 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings Proposal for Canadian Financial Stability***

Financial Consumer Agency of Canada ($15,000)

2017-2018 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax* *Refunds***

Intuit, Inc. ($650,000)

Co-Principal Investigators: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University; Mathieu Despard, Assistant Professor of Social Work, University of Michigan

2016-2018 **Principal Investigator – *Employer-Based Financial Wellness Programs Project***

JPMorgan Chase Foundation ($400,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Mathieu Despard, Assistant Professor of Social Work, University of Michigan

2016-2017 **Principal Investigator – *Delaying Tax Refunds for EITC Project***

Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center ($15,000)

2016-2017 **Co-Principal Investigator – *Programs to promote savings for children (Child Development Accounts) as a tool for reducing intergenerational poverty: a comparative study on global software development processes, analysis and policy in Israel***

National Insurance Institute of Israel (75,902 Israeli shekels ($19,950 US))

Principal Investigator: Tehila Rafaeli, Bar-Ilan University

2016-2017 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings***

Annie E. Casey Foundation ($100,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2015-2018 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings***

JPMorgan Chase Foundation ($600,000)

Co-Principal Investigators: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University; Mathieu Despard, Assistant Professor of Social Work, University of Michigan

2016-2017 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax* *Refunds*** Intuit, Inc. ($650,000)

Co-Principal Investigators: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University; Mathieu Despard, Assistant Professor of Social Work, University of Michigan

2016-2017 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Ford Foundation ($500,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University; Mathieu Despard, Assistant Professor of Social Work, University of Michigan

2015-2017 **Co-Principal Investigator – *Employer-Based Financial Wellness Programs***

Ford Foundation ($550,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Mathieu Despard, Assistant Professor of Social Work, University of Michigan

2015-2020 **Principal Investigator – *Envolve Center for Health Behavior Change Projects***

Envolve PeopleCare ($7,000,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Karyn Quinn, Senior Director of Product Development, Envolve PeopleCare

2015-2016 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings***

Annie E. Casey Foundation ($100,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2014-2016 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Applications for My Retirement Account (myRA)***

U.S. Department of the Treasury ($1,075,000)

Co-Principal Investigators: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University; Dave Williams, Chief Tax Officer, Intuit, Inc.

2014-2016 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings***

JPMorgan Chase Foundation ($200,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2014-2015 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax* *Refunds***

Intuit, Inc. ($650,000)

Co-Principal Investigators: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University; Mathieu Despard, Assistant Professor of Social Work, University of Michigan;

2014-2016 **Principal Investigator – *Families Caregiving for Children and Adults with Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities in Israel: A National Household Study***

Ministry of Social Affairs, Israel (624,000 NIS) (about $170,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Arie Rimmerman, Richard Crossman Professor of Social Welfare & Social Planning, School of Social Work

2014-2016 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Ford Foundation ($500,000)

Co-Principal Investigators: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University; Mathieu Despard, Assistant Professor of Social Work, University of Michigan

2014-2015 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings***

Annie E. Casey Foundation ($100,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2013-2014 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Intuit, Inc. ($650,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2013-2014 **Principal Investigator – *Research and Innovation Support Services for the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau***

Consumer Financial Protection Bureau ($647,976)

2013-2015 **Principal Investigator** **– *Experimental Evaluation of the Emerge Financial Wellness Program***

Ford Foundation ($550,000)  
Co-Principal Investigator: Mathieu Despard, Assistant Professor of Social Work, University of Michigan

2013 **Principal Investigator** **– *Creating Contingency Savings at Tax Time***  
Center for Financial Security and Mott Foundation ($4,100)  
Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, Duke University

2012-2018 **Principal Investigator – *GEAR UP: Effectiveness of Promising Strategies in Federal College Access Programs***

U.S. Department of Education ($1,000,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Rob Olsen, Abt Associates, Inc.

2012-2014 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Smith Richardson Foundation ($400,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2012-2013 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Intuit, Inc. ($500,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2012-2013 **Principal Investigator – *Emergency Savings Research and Policy Whitepaper***

The Pew Charitable Trusts ($68,477)

2012- 2013 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Ford Foundation ($700,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2012-2013 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Annie E. Casey Foundation ($25,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2011–2012 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Intuit Inc. ($500,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2011–2012 **Principal Investigator – *Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Annie E. Casey Foundation ($45,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

2011–2013 **Principal Investigator *– Facilitating Savings for Low-Income Workers***

Ford Foundation ($350,000)

Co-Principal Investigator:Janneke Ratcliffe, Executive Director, Center for Community Capital, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2011-2012 **Principal Investigator *– Israeli Youth Development Account Policy Proposal***

Israeli Ministry of Social Affairs and Services (25,000 NIS) ($6,504)

2011–2012 **Principal Investigator – *The Long-Term Effects of Individual Development Accounts on Wealth and Retirement Savings: Evidence from a Longitudinal Randomized Experiment***

Steven H. Sandell grant jointly awarded by the Boston College Center for Retirement Research and the Social Security Administration ($45,000)

2010–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Savings for the Future Program***

Economic Empowerment for Women, Israel ($1,500)

2009–2011 **Co-Investigator *– HOPE Accounts for Women***

National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities (RC1MD004447) ($953,855)

Principal Investigator: Marci K. Campbell, Professor of Oncology, Department of Nutrition, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2009–2010 **Principal Investigator *– Assets for Independence Program Knowledge Development Initiative***

**Administration for Children and Families (ACF),** U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHSP2320095624WC) ($748,839)

Co-Principal Investigator:Donna DeMarco, Senior Associate, **Abt Associates**

2009–2010 **Principal Investigator *– Does Homeownership Affect Relationship Stability: Evidence from an Event History Analysis?***

National Center for Family and Marriage Research supported through the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (ASPE grant #3 U01 PE000002-06S3) ($20,000)

Co-Principal Investigators:Pajarita Charles, Doctoral Research Assistant, UNC and Kim Manturuk, Senior Research Associate in Financial Services, UNC Center for Community Capital.

2009–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Facilitating Savings for Low-Income Workers***

Ford Foundation ($431,136)

Co-Principal Investigator:Janneke Ratcliffe, Executive Director of Center for Community Capital, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2009–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

FB Heron Foundation ($25,000)

Co-Principal Investigators:Michael Sherraden, Director of the Center for Social Development, Washington University; William M. Rohe, Director of the Center for Urban and Regional Studies, University of North Carolina; and William Gale, Chair in Federal Economic Policy in the Economic Studies Program, Brookings Institution.

2009–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

Annie E. Casey Foundation ($40,000)

Co-Principal Investigators:Michael Sherraden,William M. Rohe, and William Gale

2009–2010 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

Smith Richardson Foundation Domestic Public Policy Research Fellowship Program ($60,000)

2009–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-*Bein*g***

John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation ($400,000)

Co-Principal Investigators:Michael Sherraden,William M. Rohe, and William Gale

2009–2011 **Co-Investigator *– Evaluation of the Community Advantage Program-CAP V***

Ford Foundation ($1,400,000)

Principal Investigator:Roberto Quercia, Director of the Center for Community Capital, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2008–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

Rockefeller Foundation ($125,000)

Co-Principal Investigators:Michael Sherraden,William M. Rohe, and William Gale

2008–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

Charles Stewart Mott Foundation ($170,000)

Co-Principal Investigators:Michael Sherraden,William M. Rohe, and William Gale

2008–2009 **Principal Investigator *– Evaluation Design for Assets for Independence Programs***

**Administration for Children and Families (ACF),** U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (GS-23F-8198H) ($36,287)

Co-Principal Investigator:William M. Rohe, Cary C. Boshamer Distinguished Professor & Director of the Center for Urban and Regional Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2008–2009 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

Annie E. Casey Foundation ($50,000)

Co-Principal Investigators:Michael Sherraden,William M. Rohe, and William Gale

2008–2009 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

National Poverty Center, University of Michigan at Ann Arbor supported through U.S. Department of Health & Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (ASPE grant #3 U01 PE000002-06S3) ($17,500)

Co-Principal Investigators:Michael Sherraden,William M. Rohe, and William Gale

2008–2010 **Co-Investigator *– Evaluation of the Community Advantage Program-CAP IV***

Ford Foundation ($3,900,000)

Principal Investigator:Roberto Quercia, Professor of City and Regional Planning, Director of the Center for Community Capital, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2007–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation ($750,000)

Co-Principal Investigators:Michael Sherraden,William M. Rohe, and William Gale

2007–2009 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

FB Heron Foundation ($50,000)

Co-Principal Investigators:Michael Sherraden,William M. Rohe, and William Gale

2006 – 2007 **Principal Investigator *– Testing the Impacts of IDAs and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

Fahs-Beck Fund for Research and Experimentation ($15,000)

2006–2007 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being***

Center for Social Development, Washington University in St. Louis ($10,000)

2004–2005 **Co-Principal Investigator *– Wealth Building in Rural America***

National Rural Funders Collaborative, F.B. Heron Foundation, and Kellogg Foundation, ($118,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Michael Sherraden, Benjamin E. Youngdahl Professor of Social Development, Washington University in St Louis

2003–2004 **Principal Investigator *– IDAs for Housing Policy: Analysis of Saving Outcomes and Racial Differences***

Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant

Department of Housing and Urban Development($25,000)

2003–2004 **Principal Investigator *– IDAs for Housing Policy: Analysis of Saving Outcomes and Racial Differences***

Doctoral Dissertation Grant Program

Fahs-Beck Fund for Research and Experimentation ($3,000)

Early Doctoral Student Research Grant

Department of Housing and Urban Development ($15,000)

# INTRAMURAL RESEARCH GRANTS

2020 **Principal Investigator *–* *Economic fallout and policy responses***

McDonnell Academy, Washington University in St. Louis ($55,000)

2020 **Principal Investigator *– Savings Accumulation and Long-Term Child Development***

McDonnell Academy, Washington University in St. Louis ($15,000)

2018-2021 **Principal Investigator *– Social Policy Institute (Seed Funding)***

Washington University in St. Louis ($1,000,000)

2011–2012 **Principal Investigator *– Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill ($16,316)

2010–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Child Development Accounts in Israel: Toward a New Initiative***

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill ($16,200)

2010–2011 **Principal Investigator *– Asset Accumulation Among Low- and Moderate-Income Owners and Renters: Evidence From the Community Advantage Panel.***

Center for Community Capital, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill ($32,207)

2008–2009 **Principal Investigator *– Does Low- and Moderate-Income Homeownership Influence the Quality of the Home Environment?***

Center for Community Capital, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill ($9,275)

2008–2010 **Principal Investigator *– Are Low- and Moderate-Income Homeownership and Neighborhood Context Associated with Social Capital? A Multilevel Analysis.***

Center for Community Capital, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill ($9,275)

2007–2008 **Principal Investigator *– Parental Involvement and Expectations Among Low-Income Homeowners and Renters: Evidence from the Community Advantage Panel.***

Center for Community Capital, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill ($9,275)

2006–2007 **Principal Investigator *– Testing Long-Term Effects of Asset Building: The Impact of Individual Development Accounts on Social and Economic Well-Being.***

University of North Carolina Seed Money for Large-Scale Collaborative Research Proposal ($15,000)

Co-Principal Investigator:William M. Rohe, Cary C. Boshamer Distinguished Professor & Director of the Center for Urban and Regional Studies, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2006–2007 **Co**-**Principal Investigator *– Promoting Well-Being for Low-Income Children with Disabilities and Their Families.***

Seed Money for Large-Scale Collaborative Research Proposal

The Office of the Vice Chancellor for Research and Economic Development

University of North Carolina ($15,000)

Co-Principal Investigator: Susan Parish

2006–2007 **Principal Investigator *– The Effects of Individual Development Accounts on Social and Economic Well-Being: A Longitudinal Randomized Experimental Design***

Jane H. Pfouts Research Grant, School of Social Work, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill ($5,000)

2006–2007 **Principal Investigator *– The Effects of IDAs on Health, Mental Health, and Substance Abuse*** University Research Council, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill ($3,000)

2005–2006 **Principal Investigator – *Individual Development Accounts: A New Path to the American Dream for Low-Income Families.*** (Policy brief)

The Center on Poverty, Work, and Opportunity, Chapel Hill, NC **(**$5,000)

2005–2006 **Principal Investigator – *The Effects of Individual Development Accounts on Homeownership: A Longitudinal Randomized Experimental Design***

Junior Faculty Development Award, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill($7,500)

# PUBLICATIONS

## Guest Journal Editor of Special Issue Grinstein-Weiss, M., Sherraden, M. S. (2015). Starting Early for Financial Success: Capability into Action. *Journal of Consumer Affairs.* [*https://doi.org/10.1111/joca.12063*](https://doi.org/10.1111/joca.12063)

## Articles in Refereed Journals

1. Roll, S., Kondratjeva, O., Bufe, S., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Skees, S. (2021). Assessing the Short-Term Stability of Financial Well-Being in Low- and Moderate-Income Households. *Journal of Family and Economic Issues*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10834-021-09760-w>
2. Jabbari, J., Despard, M., Kondratjeva, O., Gupta, B., & **Grinstein-Weiss, Michal**. Nothing to Show for It: Non-Degreed Debt and the Financial Circumstances Associated with It (2020). *Social Policy Institute Research*. 21. <https://openscholarship.wustl.edu/spi_research/21>
3. Chun, Y., Jabbari, J., Nandan, P., Foell, A. & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** Who relocates, where do they move, and why? (2020). *Social Policy Institute Research.* 39. <https://openscholarship.wustl.edu/spi_research/39>
4. Jabbari, J., Ferris, D., Frank, T., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** COVID-19 Educational Inequities: Shining a Light on Disparities in a Graduate School of Social Work (2020). *Social Policy Institute Research*.40. Submitted to Journal of Social Work Education. http://doi.org/10.7936/5xzq-7m23
5. Roll, S., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Gallagher, E. & Cryder, C. (2020). Can pre-commitment increase savings deposits? Evidence from a tax-time field experiment. *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization.*180, 357-380. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jebo.2020.10.011>
6. Haran, M., Pinto, O., Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Huseynli, A., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2020). Household Savings Decisions in Israel’s Child Savings Program: The Role of Demographic, Financial, and Intrinsic Factors. *Journal of Family and Economic Issues.* 1-19. [https://doi.org/10.1007/s10834-020-09724-6](file:///C:\Users\ethankadet\Library\Application%20Support\Box\Box%20Edit\Documents\10.1007\s10834-020-09724-6)
7. Despard, M**.,**Frank-Miller, E., Zeng, Y., Fox-Dichter, S., Germain, G., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Covington, M. (2020). Employee financial wellness programs: Promising new benefit for frontline workers? *Compensation and Benefits Review.* 52(4), 156-174. <https://doi.org/10.1177%2F0886368720942371>
8. Frank-Miller, E., Fox-Dichter, S., Wolter, S. Hampton, J., Gilbert, K. & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2020). Financial wellness programs in the workplace: Evidence from employers in the caregiving industry. *Journal of Workplace Behavioral Health.* 35(3), 137-157. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15555240.2020.1806719>
9. Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Despard, M., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2020). The Impact of Tax Refund Delays on the Experience of Hardship and Unsecured Debt. *Social Policy Institute Research.* 28. <https://doi.org/10.7936/37s1-bq53>
10. Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Bufe, S., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2020). Using Financial Tips to Guide Dept Repayment: Experimental Evidence from Low- and moderate-Income Tax Filers. *Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics.* 90. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socec.2020.101612>
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3. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2014, April). Savings in America: Behavioral economics and innovative savings promotions. Congressional Caucus Briefing. Washington, D.C.

# NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

2019 ***Tax Time Savings Initiative Partner Convening***

Convened by: the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, the Social Policy Institute

St. Louis, MO

2019 ***Launch Event for the Social Policy Institute***

Organized by the Social Policy Institute

St. Louis, MO

2018 ***Tax Time Savings Initiative Partner Convening***

Convened by: the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, the Center for Social Development

St. Louis, MO

2017 ***Catalyzing a Financially Stable Workforce: How to Choose the Right Financial Wellness Program***

Convened by: the Center for Social Development and Prosperity Now

St. Louis, MO

2017 ***Tax Time Savings Initiative Partner Convening***

Convened by: the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, the Center for Social Development, and the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis

St. Louis, MO

2017 ***St. Louis Consumer Financial Protection Bureau FinEx Session***

Convened by: the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, the Center for Social Development, and Intuit Inc.

St. Louis, MO

2017 ***Social Determinants and Healthcare: Strategies for Healthcare Organizations and Professionals***

Organized by: the Envolve Center for Health Behavior Change

St. Louis, MO

2016 [***Leveraging Tax Time to Build Financial Capability: Research Evidence and Policy Directions***](https://csd.wustl.edu/Publications/Documents/CP16-27.pdf)

Convened by: the Center for Social Development at Washington University in St. Louis, the Cities for Financial Empowerment Fund, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, the Intuit Tax and Financial Center, JPMorgan Chase & Co, and New America

New York City, NY

2016 ***Launch Event for the Envolve Center for Health Behavior Change***

Organized by the Envolve Center for Health Behavior Change

St. Louis, MO

2014 ***Creating Financial Opportunities: The Tax-Time Moment***

Sponsored by: Center for Social Development, Washington University in St. Louis, City of Chicago’s Office of Financial Inclusion, and Intuit Tax and Financial Center

Co-Organizers: Center for Household Financial Stability at the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis and Community Development and Policy Studies Department at the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago

Chicago, IL

2014 ***Addressing Poverty and Financial Inclusion through Asset Building***

Sponsored by: Center for Social Development, Washington University in St. Louis, Brookdale Institute, and the Israeli Ministry for Social Affairs

Co-organizer: Yekutiel Sabah, Head of Research and Planning Division, Israel

New York City, NY

2014 ***The Tax-Man Giveth? Refunds, Savings, and Promoting Economic Security***Sponsored by: Center for Social Development, New America Foundation.

Participants: White House Office on Science and Technology,Internal Revenue Service, Social Security Administration, Congressional Staffers, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, U.S. Treasury, Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, Center for Financial Services Innovation, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, Ford Foundation, Center for Financial Security, Doorways to Dreams (D2D) Fund, and Division of Depositor and Consumer Protection, Ford Foundation, Annie E. Casey Foundation.

Washington, DC

2014 ***The Balance Sheets of Younger Americans: Is the American Dream at Risk?***

Sponsored by: Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, MO and Center for Social Development, Washington University in St. Louis

Co-Organizer: Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, MO and Center for Social Development, Washington University in St. Louis

St. Louis, MO

2013 ***Refund to Savings Initiative: Expert Convening Meeting***Sponsored by: Center for Social Development, Dan Ariely, Intuit, Inc.

Participants: Experts from U.S. Treasury, Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, Center for Financial Services Innovation, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, Ford Foundation, Center for Financial Security, New America Foundation, Doorways to Dreams (D2D) Fund, and Division of Depositor and Consumer Protection.

2013 ***Restoring Household Financial Capability After the Great Recession Research Symposium***

Sponsored by: Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, MO and Center for Social Development, Washington University in St. Louis

Co-organizer: Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, MO and Center for Social Development

2012 ***Expert Convening on Emergency Savings***

Sponsored by: Pew Charitable Trusts   
Co-organizer: Pew Charitable Trusts and Center for Social Development   
Participants: Experts from Bank of America, Center for Financial Services Innovation, Center for Social Development, Consumer Federation of America, Doorways to Dreams (D2D) Fund, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, Pew Charitable Trusts, and Policy Matters Ohio

2011 ***Refund to Savings: Building Savings with Tax Refunds***

Sponsored by: UNC Assets-Building Research Group, Duke University, and Intuit in Chapel Hill, NC

Co-organizer: Dan Ariely, James B. Duke Professor of Behavioral Economics, Duke University

Participants included representatives from U.S. Treasury, Harvard University, IRS, Ford Foundation, & Annie E. Casey Foundation

2010 ***Savings Strategies and Innovations for Low-Income Households***

Sponsored by: Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland and the UNC Assets-Building Research Group in Columbus, OH

Co-organizer: O. Emre Ergungor, Senior Research Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland

2010 ***Creating Opportunity for Children and Youth: An Asset Building Demonstration***

Sponsored by: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Washington

University, Center for Social Development, and the Israeli Ministry for Social Affairs, in New York, NY

Co-organizer: Yekutiel Sabah, Head of Research and Planning Division, Israeli

Ministry of Social Affairs and Services

2010 ***Advancing the Asset Building Research Agenda***

Sponsored by: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, in Washington, D.C.

Co-organizer: Abt Associates

2010 ***Child Development Accounts in Israel: Toward a New Initiative***

Sponsored by: University of North Carolina, Washington University, Center for Social Development, Brookings Institute, Israeli Ministry of Social Affairs, and Brookdale Institute, in Jerusalem, Israel

Co-organizer: Yekutiel Sabah

2009 ***Asset Development in the U.S. and Israel: Current Evidence and Future Initiatives***

Sponsored by: Assets-Building Research Group, Washington University, Center for Social Development

Co-organizer: Yekutiel Sabah

# WORKSHOPS/PANELS/SYMPOSIA ORGANIZED

1. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2020, June). *Jump-Starting America: How Investing in Technology & Science Revives Economies.* Virtual panel hosted by the Social Policy Institute.
2. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2019, Nov). *Evaluating Policies to Build Retirement Assets in Economically Vulnerable Populations*. Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Denver, CO.
3. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2019, Nov). *Gig Economy and the Future of Work*. Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Denver, CO.
4. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2019, Nov). *Challenges and Opportunities in Building Financial Security in Economically Vulnerable Populations*. Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Denver, CO.
5. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2019, June). *New Directions in Savings Policy.* Panel at Tax Time Savings Initiative Convening, St. Louis, MO.
6. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2019, January). *Behavioral Economics Nudgeathon – Next Steps and Using Behavioral Economics to Impact Policy and Practice*. Workshop at the Joint Distribution Committee, Jerusalem, Israel.
7. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2019, January). *Using Behavioral Economics to Impact Policy and Practice*. Workshop at the Ministry of Social Affairs, Jerusalem, Israel.
8. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2018, November). *Tax-Time Saving Among EITC Recipients: Results of a Large-Scale Experiment Informed By Behavioral Economics.* Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Washington, DC.
9. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2018, November). *Changes in Savings Account Ownership: Effects of an Online Tax-Time Intervention.* Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Washington, DC.
10. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2018, November). *ABLE Accounts and the Financial Lives of Low- and Moderate-Income Individuals with Disabilities.* Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Washington, DC.
11. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2018, November). *The Impact of State Earned Income Tax Credit Expansions on Material and Medical Hardships.* Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Washington, DC.
12. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (Organizer). (2018, November). *Can Precommitment Increase Savings Deposits? Evidence from a Tax Time Field Experiment.* Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Washington, DC.
13. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2018, November). *The Impact of the Gig-Economy on Financial Hardship.* Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Washington, DC.
14. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2018, November). *Heterogeneous Effects of Savings on Participation in the Gig Economy.* Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Washington, DC.
15. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2018, October). Finance Forward: Looking at Income Volatility Issues and Solutions in St. Louis with Treasurer Tishaura Jones. Convened by: the Aspen Institute and Lend Up.
16. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2018, September). Exploring Financial Well-Being in America and Its Role in Financial Capability Initiatives. Convened by the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, the Center for Social Development, and Prosperity Now. Symposium organized for the Prosperity Summit.
17. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2018, April 25). *Nudgeathon*. Behavioral Economics Nudgeathon at the Joint Distribution Committee, Jerusalem, Israel.
18. **Grinstein-Weiss, Michal.** (Organizer). (2016, January). *Research Design and Management: Social Work Evaluations with Quasi-Experimental Designs: Challenges and Strategies*. Symposium at the 20th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
19. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** & Despard, M. (Co-organizer). (2016, January*). Striking the balance between work supports and public assistance to reduce material hardship in families: Holes in the social safety net.* Symposium at the 20th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
20. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2016, January). Special Interest Group: Asset-Building and Financial Capability Research Group. Presenter at the 20th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
21. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2015, January). Special Interest Group: Asset-Building and Financial Capability Research Group. Presenter at the Society for Social Work Research's 2015 Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.
22. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (Organizer). (2014, November). *Financial Stability and Mobility for Low-Income Households and Related Populations*. Panel at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s Annual Fall Research Conference, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
23. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2014, January). *Holding On to the House: The Role of Social and Financial Interventions in Promoting and Preserving Low-Income Homeownership.* Symposium at the 18th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Antonio, TX.
24. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2014, January). Special Interest Group: Asset-Building and Financial Capability Research Group. Presenter at the Society for Social Work Research's 2014 Annual Conference, San Antonio, Texas.
25. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** & Testa, M. (Co-organizer). (2013, January). *Building Research Capacity in Social Work: The Role of RCTs in Program and Policy Innovation.* Invited workshop at the 17th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Diego, CA.
26. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2013, January). *Tax Time’s Golden Opportunity: Increasing Financial Security for Low-Income Families.* Symposium at the 17th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Diego, CA.
27. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2012, November). *Tax Time’s Golden Opportunity: How Policy Can Leverage Tax Time to Bolster Savings.* Panel at the 34th Annual Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Baltimore, MD.
28. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2012, June). *Wealth, Assets, and the Ninety-nine Percent.* Symposium at the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2012 Policy Summit, Cleveland, OH.
29. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2012, January). *Exploring the Potential of Assets to Increase Human Capital Using Randomized Experiments*. Symposium at the 16th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
30. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2011, October). *Assets and Human Capital: Can Matched Savings Accounts Impact Education Outcomes?* Symposium at the 2011 Pathways to Prosperity Regional Conference, Durham, NC.
31. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2011, October). *Asset Building Initiatives and Wealth in Low-Income Communities: Evidence from Recent Research*. Symposium at the 2011 Pathways to Prosperity Regional Conference, Durham, NC.
32. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (Organizer). (2011, June). *Assets and Educational Outcomes: New Research From the Field.*Symposium at the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2011 Policy Summit, Cleveland, OH.
33. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2011, January). *Family and Neighborhood Assets: Implications for Child Outcomes*. Symposium at the 15th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Tampa, FL.
34. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (Organizer). (Discussant) (2011, January). *Implementing Large Scale Randomized Trails: Impact on Public Policy and Program Development*. Symposium at the 15th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Tampa, FL.
35. Reid C. & **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (Organizers). (November, 2010). Innovations in Savings: Policy Implications from Experiments in the Field. Symposium at the 32nd Annual Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Boston, MA.
36. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2010, January). *Building assets for low-income children and youth: Emerging research and implications for social work policy and practice*. Symposium at the 14th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Francisco, CA.
37. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2009, October). *Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Social and Economic Well-Being.* Symposium at the 3rd North Carolina Statewide Conference: “Pathways to Prosperity,” Durham, NC.
38. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2009, October). *The Social Impact of Homeownership: Lessons from the CAP study*. Symposium at the 3rd North Carolina Statewide Conference: “Pathways to Prosperity,” Durham, NC.
39. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (Organizer). (2009, October). *Financial Education for Children: Research and Practice*. Symposium at the 3rd North Carolina Statewide Conference: “Pathways to Prosperity,” Durham, NC.

# NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL REFEREED PRESENTATIONS

1. Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Despard, M., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2020, May). *The Impact of Tax Refund Delays on the Experience of Hardships and Incidence of Debt in Low and Moderate-Income Households*. Plenary presentation at the 2020 Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making.
2. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2020, April). *Building Financial Security at Tax Time: Lessons from Five Years of Field Experiments*. Presentation for the Annual Researcher Gathering on Financial Inclusion & Social Protection.
3. Daniels, K. & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2020, April). *The Impact of the Gig-Economy on Financial Hardship among Low-Income Families*. Presentation for Production and Operations Management Society 2020 Conference.
4. Gallagher, E., and Gopalan, R., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Sabat, J. (2020, January). *Medicaid and Household Savings Behavior: New Evidence from Tax Refunds.* Presentation for American Finance Association 2020 Conference.
5. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Pinto, O., Kondratjeva, O., Huseynli, A., Roll, S., Haran, M., & Gottlieb, D. (2020, January). *Demographic, Financial, and Motivational Household Characteristics and Participation in the National Child Savings Program in Israel.* Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research 2020 Conference.
6. Gallagher, E., Gopalan, R., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** & Sabat, J. (2019, November). *Medicaid and Household Savings Behavior: New Evidence from Tax Refunds.* Presentation at the Southern Economic Association 2019 Conference.
7. Daniels, K. & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, November). *The impact of the gig-economy on low-income families.* Presentation at the St. Louis Women in Data Science Conference.
8. Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Bufe, S., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Chun, Y. (2019, November). *Designing Effective Financial Tips to Guide Debt Repayment: Experimental Evidence from Lower-Income Tax Refund Recipients*. Presentation at Association for Public Policy and Management 2019 Conference.
9. Roll, S., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Kondratjeva, O., & Bufe, S. (2019). *Promoting Retirement Savings Accounts during Tax Filing: Evidence from a Field Experiment.* Presentation at Association for Public Policy and Management 2019 Conference.
10. Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Bufe, S., Despard, M., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019). *The Impact of Tax Refund Delays on the Experience of Hardships and Incidence of Debt in Low- and Moderate-Income Households.* Presentation at Association for Public Policy and Management 2019 Conference.
11. Bufe, S., Roll, S., Kondratjeva, O., Hardy, B., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, November). *How Does Savings Affect Participation in the Gig Economy? Evidence from a Field Experiment.* Presentation at Association for Public Policy and Management 2019 Conference.
12. Bufe, S. & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, November). *How Does Financial Well-Being Change Over Time?* Presentation at the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau Financial Well-Being Research Symposium.
13. Gallagher, E., and Gopalan, R., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Sabat, J. (2019, September). *Medicaid and Household Savings Behavior: New Evidence from Tax Refunds*. Presentation for Red Rock Finance 2019 Conference.
14. Gallagher, E., and Gopalan, R., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Sabat, J. (2019, May). *Medicaid and Household Savings Behavior: New Evidence from Tax Refunds.* Presentation for 2019 Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making.
15. Bufe, S., Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** & Despard, M. (2019, January) *Designing Effective Financial Tips to Guide Debt Repayment: Experimental Evidence from Tax Refund Recipients.* Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference, San Francisco, CA
16. Roll, S., Bufe, S., Kondratjeva, O., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, January) *Heterogeneous Effects of Savings on Participation in the Gig Economy*. Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference, San Francisco, CA.
17. Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Despard, M., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** & Zeng, Y. (2019, January) *The Impact of State Earned Income Tax Credit Expansions on Material and Medical Hardships*. Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference, San Francisco, CA.
18. Despard, M., Roll, S., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, January) *Refund Deferral Preferences Among Earned Income Tax Credit Recipients: Policy Implications.* Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference, San Francisco, CA.
19. Sun, S., Roll, S., Kondratjeva, O., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, January) *Assessing the Stability of Financial Well-Being in a Low- and Moderate-Income Population*. Presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research Conference, San Francisco, CA.
20. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, December) *Advancing Social Responsibility through Cross-Sector Partnerships*. University Social Responsibility Network Summit, Haifa, Israel.
21. Daniels, K., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, November) *The Impact of the Gig-Economy on Financial Hardship*. Presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Washington, DC.
22. Despard, M., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** & Roll, S. (2018, November) *Tax-Time Saving Among EITC Recipients: Results of a Large-Scale Experiment Informed by Behavioral Economics*. Presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Washington, DC.
23. Roll, S., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Cryder, C., & Gallagher, E. (2018, November) *Can Precommitment Increase Savings Deposits? Evidence from a Tax Time Field Experiment.* Presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Washington, DC.
24. Bufe, S., Roll, S., Kondratjeva, O., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, November) *Heterogeneous Effects of Savings on Participation in the Gig Economy*. Presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Washington, DC.
25. Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Despard, M., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, November) *The Impact of State Earned Income Tax Credit Expansions on Material and Medical Hardships*. Presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Washington, DC.
26. Davison, G., Bufe, S., Roll, S., Kondratjeva, O., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, November)*ABLE Accounts and the Financial Lives of Low- and Moderate-Income Individuals with Disabilities*. Presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Washington, DC.
27. Despard, M., Friedline, T., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, November). *Changes in Savings Account Ownership: Effects of an Online Tax-Time Intervention.* Presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Washington, DC.
28. Roll, S., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Cryder, C., & Gallager, E. (2018, November). *Can Pre-Commitment Increase Savings Deposits? Evidence from a Tax Time Field Experiment*. Presentation at the Society for Judgement and Decision Making Conference, New Orleans, LA.
29. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Pinto, O., Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Bufe, S., Barkali, N., & Gottlieb, D. (2018, July). *Enrollment and Participation in a Universal Child Savings Program: Evidence from Israel*. Presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management International Conference, Mexico City, Mexico.
30. Kondratjeva, O., Roll, S., Despard, M., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, May). *The impact of state earned income tax credit expansions on materials and medical hardships*. Presentation at the Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making, Boulder, CO.
31. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Pinto, O., Roll, S., Kondratjeva, O., Bufe, S., Barkali, N., & Gottlieb, D. (2018, May). *The Israeli child savings account program: early analysis of household participation decisions*. Presentation at the Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making, Boulder, CO.
32. Roll, S., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Cryder, C., & Gallagher, E. (2018, May). *Can precommitment increase savings deposits? Evidence from a tax time field experiment*. Presentation at the Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making, Boulder, CO.
33. Gallagher, E., Sabat, J., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, May). *Threshold points in the relationship between household liquidity buffers and hardship*. Presentation at the Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making, Boulder, CO.
34. Roll, S., Taylor, S., Bufe, S., Despard, M., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, January). *The Front Lines of Financial Defense: Managing Financial Emergencies in Low-Income Households*. Presented at the Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
35. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Roll, S., Bufe, S., Pinto, O., Gottlieb, D., Schmeltzer, M., Wasserstein, C., & Haran-Rosen, M. (2018, January). *The Israeli Child Savings Account Program: Early Analysis on Implementation and Participation*. Presented at the Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
36. Roll, S., Seefeldt, K., Bufe, S., Schuetz, N., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (2018, January). *Is Credit a Burden or a Lifeline for Vulnerable Populations?*  Presented at the Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
37. Bufe, S., Despard, M., Roll, S., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2018, January). *How Deep in Debt? How Levels of Unsecured Debt Affect Hardship Among Low- and Middle-Income Households*. Presented at the Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
38. Huang, J., Shanks, T., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** & Loke, V. (2018, January). *Child Development Accounts: A Universal and Progressive Asset-Building Policy for Economic Equality.* Presented at the Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
39. Frank-Miller, E., Despard, M., Covington, M., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (2018, January). *Can Financial Capability be Built at Work?* Presented at the Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
40. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Roll, S. P., Pinto, O., Barkali, N., Gottlieb, D., & Gal, J. (2017, December). *Israeli Savings for Every Child Program (SECP)*. Presentation at the International Symposium on Inclusion in Asset Building: Policy Innovation and Social Impacts, Singapore.
41. Gallagher, E. A., Gopalan, R., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (2017, September). *The Effect of Health Insurance on Home Payment Delinquency: Evidence from ACA Marketplace Subsidies*. Presentation at the New Perspectives on Consumer Behavior in Credit & Payments Markets, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, PA.
42. Gallagher, E. A., Gopalan, R., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (2017, July). *The Effect of Health Insurance on Home Payment Delinquency: Evidence from ACA Marketplace Subsidies*. NBER Summer Institute, Health Care Program, Cambridge, MA.
43. Gallagher, E. A., Gopalan, R., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (2017, May). *The Effect of Health Insurance on Home Payment Delinquency: Evidence from ACA Marketplace Subsidies*. Presentation at the Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making, Boulder, CO.
44. Despard, M., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Oliphant, J. E., Perantie, D. C. (2017, January). *Can EITC recipients be encouraged to save at tax time? Findings from a randomized trial*. Paper presented at the Twenty-First Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work & Research, New Orleans, LA.
45. Despard, M., Perantie, D.C., Taylor, S.H., **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Friedline, T., & Raghavan, R. (2016, December). *Student Debt and Hardship: Evidence from a large sample of low- and moderate-income households*. Poster presentation at the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau Research Conference, Washington, DC.
46. Cryder, C., **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Oliphant, J. E., Perantie, D., Taylor, S., Ariely, D., & Despard, M. (2016, November). *Choice architecture and tax refund savings: A large-scale field experiment*. Paper presented at the 37th Annual Conference of the Society for Judgement and Decision Making, Boston, MA.
47. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Perantie, D., Oliphant, J. E., Despard, M., & Roll, S. (2016, November). *Refund to Savings 2015: The impact of a large-scale tax-time savings experiment*. Paper presented at the 38th Annual Fall Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC.
48. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Despard, M., Guo, S., Russell, B. D., & Taylor, S. H. (2016, November). *Financial shocks, liquid assets, and material hardship: The moderating role of race*. Paper presented at the 38th Annual Fall Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC.
49. Despard, M., **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Oliphant, J. E., & Perantie, D. C. (2016, July). *Encouraging EITC recipients to save: Findings from Refund to Savings*. Poster presentation at the 2016 Research and Evaluation Conference on Self-Sufficiency, Washington, DC.
50. Ariely, D. & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2016, May) *Refund to Savings.* Presented at the Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making, Boulder Summer Conference 2016 Information.
51. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Ariely, D., Perantie, D.C., Oliphant, J.E., Taylor, S.H., Russell, R., & Williams, D. (2016, April). *Refund to Savings: Using behavioral insights to nudge saving at tax time.* Oral presentation at the Behavioral Science & Policy Association annual conference, Washington, DC.
52. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Taylor, S., Ren, C., Raghavan, R. & Guo, S. (2016, March). *Using Tax-Time to Promote Material Well-Being for Low- and Moderate-Income Households: Evidence from the Refund to Savings Initiative*. Oral presentation at the American Society for Public Administration annual conference, March 17-20, Seattle, WA**.**
53. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Perantie, D., Russell, B., Oliphant, J. & Despard, M. (2016, January). *Expanding Eligibility Criteria for the Earned Income Tax Credit: Potential Impact on Low- and Moderate-Income Tax Filers with No Dependents.* Presented at the 20th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
54. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Guo, S., Reinertson, V., & Russell, B.(2016, January). *Financial Education and Saving Outcomes for Low-Income Individuals in IDAs: An Application of Propensity Score Analysis.* Presented at the 20th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
55. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Perantie, D., Taylor, S., Rhagavan, R., & Guo, S. (2016, January). *Racial Disparities in Student Debt: Evidence from a National Investigation of Low- and Moderate-Income Households.* Presented at the 20th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
56. **Grinstein-Weiss, Michal.** (2016, January). *Hardships Associated with Student Debt in Low- to Moderate-Income Households.* Presented at the 20th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
57. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Perantie, D., Taylor, S., Rhagavan, R., & Guo, S. (2015, November). *Refund to Savings: Applying Behavioral Nudges to Increase Savings at Tax Time.* Poster presentation at the 36th Annual Conference of the Society for Judgment and Decision Making, Chicago, IL.
58. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (2015, November). *Income volatility for low- to moderate-income households: Evidence for policy and Practice.* Presented at the 37th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association of Public Policy and Management, Miami, Florida.
59. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Perantie, D., Taylor, Guo, S., & Russell, B. (2015, November). *Hardships Associated with Student Debt in Low-and Middle-Income Households.* Presented at the 37th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association of Public Policy and Management, Miami, Florida.
60. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Perantie, D., Taylor, S. Raghavan, R. & Guo, S**.** (2015, November). *Racial Disparities in Student Debt Burden: Evidence from a National Investigation of Low and Moderate-Income Households.* Presented at the 37th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association of Public Policy and Management, Miami, Florida.
61. Russell, B., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Perantie, D., Oliphant, J., Taylor, S. & Ariely, D. (2015, November). *Tax-Time Interventions to Increase Emergency Savings in Financially Volatile, Low-Income Households: Evidence from Refund to Savings.* Presented at the 37th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association of Public Policy and Management, Miami, Florida.
62. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Guo, S., Russell, B., & Oliphant, J. (2015, November). *The mediating role of assets in the relationship between financial shocks and material hardship: An SEM analysis.* Presented at the 37th Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association of Public Policy and Management, Miami, Florida.
63. Taylor, S. & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2015, October). *Racial Debt Divide: Disparities in Education Debt in Low- and Moderate-Income Households.* Presentation at 61st Annual Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education, Denver, CO.
64. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** & Russell, B. (2015, April). *Household Financial Stability and Asset Building*. Presentation at Starting at Home: Using Philanthropy, Research, and Practice to Build a Better Ohio.
65. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Russell, B., Comer, K., & Perantie, D. (2015, April). *Increasing Tax-Time Saving through Behavioral Interventions: Evidence from the 2013 Refund to Savings Experiment.* Poster presented at Federal Reserve Community Development Conference: Economic Mobility, Research & Ideas on Strengthening Families, Communities & the Economy, Washington, DC.
66. Taylor, S., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2015, April). *Refund to Savings: Using Behavioral Economics to Incentivize Saving at Tax Time.* Invited presentation at the 10th Annual Conference on Financial Education, Institute for Financial Literacy, San Antonio, Texas.
67. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Russell, B., Gorham, L. & Key, C.(2015, January).*The Wealth of Young Low- and Moderate-Income Homeowners through the Great Recession.* Paper accepted for presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research annual conference, New Orleans, LA.
68. Luo, L., Perantie, D., **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Comer, K. & Russell, B. (2015, January). *Alternative Financial Services Use Among Low- and Moderate-Income Families: Findings from a Large-Scale National Household Financial Survey.* Paper accepted for presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research annual conference in New Orleans, LA.
69. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Comer, K., Russell, B. & Ariely, D (2015, January). *Exploring Impact of Material Hardships and Financial Shocks on Low-Income Households Using Data from a Large-Scale National Longitudinal Randomized Controlled Trial.* Poster invited for presentation at the Society for Social Work and Research annual conference in New Orleans, LA.
70. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Russell, B., Gorham, L. & Key, C.(2014, November).*The Wealth of Young Low- and Moderate-Income Homeowners through the Great Recession.* Paper presented at the Association of Public Policy and Management Annual Fall Conference in Albuquerque, NM.
71. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Comer, K., Russell, B., & Ariely, D. (2014, November).*Financial Shocks and Household Financial Volatility among Low-Income Tax Filers.* Paper presented at the Association of Public Policy and Management Annual Fall Conference in Albuquerque, NM.
72. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Guo, S. (2014, September). *Financial Education and Saving Outcomes for Low-Income Individuals in IDAs: Does Age Make a Difference?* Paper presented at the Financial Literacy Education Commission Research Symposium at George Washington University, Washington, DC.
73. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Ariely, D., Key, C., Comer, K., and Russell, B. (2014, May). *Refunds to savings: building savings at tax time.* Presented at the 2014 Annual meeting of the Population Association of America, Boston, MA.
74. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M., and Key, C. (2014, January). The effect of individual development accounts on home maintenance appreciation: Evidence from a randomized control trial. Paper presented at the 2014 Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research.
75. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Rohe, W., Key, C., & Tucker, J. (2014, January). *The impacts of IDAs, assets, and debt on future orientation and psychological depression: Evidence from a randomized control trial.* Paper presented at the 2014 Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research.
76. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Comer, K., Russell, B., Key, C., Perantie, D.C., & Ariely, D. (2014, January). *Refund to Savings: Building contingency savings at tax time*. Paper presented at the 2014 Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research.
77. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Shanks, T. & Beverly, S. (2013, November). *Family assets and child outcomes: Evidence and directions*. Paper presented at the 2013 Conference for the Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management, Washington, DC.
78. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Key, C. (2013, November). *Homeownership, the Great Recession, and wealth: Evidence from the Survey of Consumer Finances.* Paper presented at the Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management, Washington, DC.
79. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**.(2013, May). *Refund to Savings: Exploring the intersection of behavioral economics and asset building at tax time and beyond.* Invited poster presentation at the 2013 Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making. Boulder, CO.
80. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**.(2013, May). *Refund to Savings: Exploring the intersection of behavioral economics and asset building at tax time and beyond.* Invited presentation at the Personal Finance Seminar for Professionals Conference at the University of Maryland. College Park, MD.
81. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**.(2013, May). *Refund to Savings: Creating Contingency Savings at Tax Time.* Invited presentation at the Center for Financial Security. Chicago, IL.
82. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Key, C., & Ariely, D. (2013, January).[*Building Savings At Tax Time: A Large-Scale Experimental Intervention*](http://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2013/webprogram/Paper19227.html)*.* Presented at the 17th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Diego, CA.
83. Key, C., Tucker, J., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2013, January). [*Building the Case for Tax-Time Savings: Replicating $aveNYC Findings in a New Cohort*](http://sswr.confex.com/sswr/2013/webprogram/Paper19225.html)*.* Presented at the 17th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Diego, CA.
84. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Ariely, D., & Key, C. (2012, November). *Refund to Savings: Exploring the Intersection of Behavioral Economics and Asset Building At Tax Time.* Paper presented at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s 34th Annual Fall Research Conference, Baltimore, MD.
85. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, June). *Testing Long-Term Impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Net Worth*. Paper presented at the 2011 Policy Summit. Federal Reserve of Cleveland, Cleveland, OH.
86. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Sherraden, M., Gale, W., Rohe, W., Key, C. & Tucker, J*.* (2012, January). *Testing the long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts on Education: Evidence from a longitudinal randomized experiment.* Paper presented at the 16th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
87. Key, C., **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., & Tucker, J. (2012, January). *Are tax-time savings sustainable? Findings from the $aveNYC Evaluation.* Paper presented at the 16th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
88. Key, C., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Tucker, J., & Holub, K. (2011, November). *Savings at tax time: The effect of $aveNYC on savings in low-income households.* Paper presented at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s 33rd Annual Fall Research Conference, Washington, DC.
89. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M., Gale, W., Rohe, W., Schreiner, M. & Key, C. (2011, October). *Testing the long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Net Wealth.* Paper presented at the 2011 Pathways to Prosperity Regional Conference, Durham, NC.
90. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M., Gale, W., Rohe, W., Key, C. & Tucker, J*.* (2011, October). *Testing the long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts and Asset Building on Education.* Paper presented at the 2011 Pathways to Prosperity Regional Conference, Durham, NC.
91. Key, C., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Guo, S., Yeo, Y., & Holub, K. (2011, October). *Low-income homeownership and wealth growth: Evidence from a propensity score analysis.*  Paper presented at the 2011 Pathways to Prosperity Regional Conference, Durham, NC.
92. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Charles, P., Guo, S., Manturuk, K., & Key, C. (2011, January). *Marital status and the transition into low-income homeownership: Evidence from a propensity score analysis*. Paper presented at the 15th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Tampa, FL.
93. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Key, C., & Yeong, Y.H. (2011, January). *Homeownership, neighborhood conditions, and child outcomes for low and moderate income families*. Paper presented at the 15th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Tampa, FL.
94. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M., & Key, C. (2011, January). *The American Dream Demonstration: Testing Individual Development Account policy in the U.S*. Paper presented at the 15th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Tampa, FL.
95. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Taylor, A., Casalotti, A., & Martin-Koren, B. (2011, January). *Asset building in Israel: Evidence from the savings for the future pilot program*. Paper presented at the 15th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Tampa, FL.
96. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Yeo, Y.H., Spader, J., Key, C., & Taylor, A. (2011, January). *Prior parental teaching of money management and later loan performances among low and moderate income homeowners: Application of Cox Hazard model*. Paper presented at the 15th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Tampa, FL.
97. Key, C., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Guo, S., & Yeo, Y. H. (2011, March). *The effect of homeownership on wealth in low-income households*. Paper presented at the 41st Annual Meeting of the Urban Affairs Association, New Orleans, LA.
98. Charles, P., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Rose, R. A. (2011, January). *Residential and nonresidential fathers: Implications for child well-being*. Paper presented at the 15th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Tampa, FL.
99. Ratcliffe, J**., Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Richardson, J., & Key, C. (2010, November). *$aveNYC: Applying behavioral economics principles to encourage savings*. Paper presented at the 32nd Annual Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Boston, MA.
100. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M., Gale, W., Rohe, W. (2010, November). *American Dream Demonstration: Findings from the wave 4 analysis*. Paper presented at the 32nd Annual Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference, Boston, MA.
101. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Manturuk, K., Guo, S., Charles, P., & Key, C. (2010, August). *The impact of homeownership on marriage and divorce: Evidence from propensity score matching with event history analysis*. Paper presented at the 105th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Atlanta, GA.
102. Yoo, J., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Key, C. (2010, June). *Health and homeownership: A multilevel analysis of low- and moderate-income individuals*. Poster presentation at Changing Health: Acting and Reacting, Challenges for Social Work Theory and Practice, Changing Health Dublin 2010 Conference Secretariat, Dublin, Ireland.
103. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Charles, P., Guo, S., Manturuk, K., Key, C. (2010, April). *The Transition into Low-Income Homeownership: Does Marital Status Matter?* National Center for Family and Marriage Research Conference on Families and Financial Instability, Bowling Green, OH.
104. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Yeo, Y., Spader, J., Freeze, E., & Taylor, A. (2010, January). *Teach your children well: Credit outcomes and prior parental teaching of money management*. Paper presented at the 14th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work Research, San Francisco, CA.
105. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Key, C., Yoo, J., & Taylor, A. (2010, January). *The effect of homeownership trajectories on children's behavior among low- and moderate-income households: Evidence from a quasi-experimental study*. Paper presented at the 14th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work Research, San Francisco, CA.
106. Yeo, Y., **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., & Taylor, A. (2010, January). *Neighborhood satisfaction between low- and moderate-income homeowners and renters: A multilevel analysis*. Paper presented at the 14th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work Research, San Francisco, CA.
107. Greeson, J. K. P., Usher, L., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2010, January).*One adult who is crazy about you: Can natural mentoring relationships decrease material hardship and increase assets among young adults with and without foster care experience?* Paper presented at the Society for Research on Adolescence, Philadelphia, PA.
108. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Sherraden, M., Gale, W., Rohe, W., & Schreiner, M. (2009, November). *Using Individual Development Accounts for homeownership: Evidence from a randomized controlled experiment*. Paper presented at the 31st Annual Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC.
109. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Sherraden, M., Gale, W., & Rohe, W. (2009, October). *Testing long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts and asset building on social and economic well-being*. Paper presented at the North Carolina Asset Building and Financial Education Conference, Durham, NC.
110. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Manturuk, K. (2009, October). *The social impact of low-income homeownership*. Paper presented at the North Carolina Asset Building and Financial Education Conference, Durham, NC.
111. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Taylor, A. (2009, October). *Financial education for children: research and practice*. Paper presented at the North Carolina Asset Building and Financial Education Conference, Durham, NC.
112. Rohe, W., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M., Gale, W., & Schreiner, M. (2009, October). *Does participation in Individual Development Account programs lead to sustainable homeownership?* Paper presented at the 50th Anniversary Conference of the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, Crystal City, VA.
113. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Paik, J. G., Greeson, J., & Quercia, R. (2009, January). *Is low- and moderate-wealth homeownership associated with a better quality home environment? Evidence from the community advantage panel.* Paper presented at the 13th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
114. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Yeo, Y., Greeson, J., Despard, M., & Quercia, R. (2009, January). *The effects of low- and moderate-income homeownership and neighborhood context on resource generation: A multilevel analysis.* Paper presented at the 13th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
115. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Yeo, Y., Irish K., & Zhan, M. (2009, January). *Pathway from parental assets to child educational outcomes: A mediation analysis.* Paper presented at the 13th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
116. Loibl, C., Red Bird, B., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Zhan, M. (2008, October). *Yes, the poor can be taught to save–Evidence from a survey of IDA program participants.* Paper presented at the 2008 Annual Conference of the Association for Consumer Research, San Francisco, CA.
117. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Jung-Sook, L., Irish, K., Han, C., & Greeson, J. (2008, January). *Fostering low-income homeownership: A longitudinal randomized experiment on Individual Development Accounts.* Paper presented at the 12th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
118. Han, C., & Grinstein-Weiss, M. (2008, January). *Asset accumulation beyond saving in Individual Development Accounts: A randomized experimental study.* Paper presented at the 12th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
119. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Lee, J., & Charles, P. (2007, January). *Asset building among African American single mothers: A multilevel analysis.* Paper presented at the 11th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Francisco, CA.
120. Parish, S. L., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2007, January). *Evidence of the asset and income gap in U.S. households with adults with disabilities*.Paper presented at the 11th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Francisco, CA.
121. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2007, January). *Gender and ethnic differences in formal and informal help seeking among Jewish and Arab Israeli adolescents.* Paper presented at the 11th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Francisco, CA.
122. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Wagner, K., & Ssewamala, F (2006, January). *Saving and asset accumulation among low-income families with children.*Paper presented at the 10th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, San Antonio, TX.
123. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** & Sherraden, M. (2005, January). *Saving for homeownership: Racial differences in performances in a matched savings program*. Paper presented at the Ninth Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Miami, FL.
124. Zhan, M., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2005, January). *Educational status and savings performance in Individual Development Accounts*. Paper presented at the Ninth Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Miami, FL.
125. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Curley, J. (2004, November). *Asset building in rural communities: The experience of Individual Development Accounts*. Paper presented at the 51st Annual Meeting of the North American Regional Science Council, Seattle, WA.
126. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Sherraden, M. (2004, August). *IDAs for housing policy: Analysis of saving outcomes and racial differences.* Paper presented at The Policy Conference, Charleston, SC.
127. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Sherraden, M. (2004, February). R*acial differences in savings outcomes in Individual Development Accounts*. Paper presented at the 30th Annual Conference of the Eastern Economic Association, Washington, DC.
128. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2004, January). *Individual Development Account as a tool for housing policy for low income.* Poster presentation at the Eighth Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA.
129. Curley, J., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2004, January). *A comparative analysis of the experiences of rural and urban participants in Individual Development Accounts.* Poster presentation at the Eighth Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, New Orleans, LA.
130. Sherraden, M., Curley, J., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2003, November). *Wealth creation in rural America.* Paper presented at Wealth Creation and Rural America: Extending the dream of Economic Success, National Rural Funders Collaborative, U.S. Department of Agriculture, and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC.
131. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Sherraden, M. (2003, March). *Blacks and Whites differences in savings and assets accumulation in IDAs.* Paper presented at the Eighth Annual Graduate Research Symposium, Washington University, St. Louis, MO.
132. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Sherraden, M. (2003, February/March). *Narrowing the gap in savings and assets accumulation between Blacks and Whites.* Paper presented at the 49th Annual Program Meeting of the Council on Social Work Education, Atlanta, GA.
133. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Sherraden, M. (2003, January). *Narrowing the gap in savings and assets accumulation between Blacks and Whites: What is the potential of IDAs?* Paper presented at the Seventh Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, DC.
134. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2002, January). *Racial differences in savings and assets accumulation in IDAs: Implications for homeownership policy*. Paper presented at The Policy Conference, Charleston, SC.
135. Schreiner, M., Sherraden, M., Clancy, M., Johnson, L., Beverly, S., Curley, J., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Zhan, M. (2001, November). *Asset accumulation in low-resource households: evidence from Individual Development Accounts*. Paper presented at Public Policy Analysis and Public Policy: Making the Connection, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Washington, DC.
136. Clancy, M., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Schreiner, M. (2001, May/June). *Financial education and saving outcomes in Individual Development Accounts.* Paper presented at Broadening the Concept of Marketing and Public Policy, Marketing and Public Policy Conference, Washington, DC.
137. Schreiner, M., Sherraden, M., Clancy, M., Johnson, E., Curley, J., Zhan, M., Beverly, S., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2001, April). *Asset accumulation by low-resource people: evidence from Individual Development Accounts.* Paper presented at Changing Financial Markets and Community Development, Federal Reserve System Conference, Washington, DC.
138. Dascal-Weichhendler, H., Ungar, L., Reiss, S., Eisikovits, Z., Griffel, A., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2001, March). *Physician and intimate partner violence: Correlations between physicians’ perceived exposure, training, attitudes, and roles.* Paper presented at Shabtai Ben Meir Conference, Eilat, Israel.
139. Schreiner, M., Sherraden, M., Clancy, M., Johnson, L., Beverly, S., Curley, J., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Zhan, M. (2000, November). *Asset accumulation in low-resource households: evidence from Individual Development Accounts*. Paper presented at Doing and Using Public Policy Analysis and Management Research, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, Seattle, WA.
140. Schreiner, M., Sherraden, M., Clancy, M., Johnson, L., Curley, J., Zhan, M., Beverly, S., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2000, September). *Savings patterns in IDA Programs*. Paper presented at Inclusion in Asset Building: Research and Policy Symposium, Washington University, St. Louis, MO.
141. Fishman, G., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Eisikovits, Z. (1999, March). *Factors associated with the readiness of youth to seek help*. Paper presented at the International Study Group on Conceptual and Methodological Issues of Youth Surveys, University of Haifa, Israel with co-sponsorship from the Center for Study of Youth Policy and School of Social Work, University of Pennsylvania.
142. Fishman, G., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, & Mesch, S, G. (1999, March). *Political identification of youth – Delineating differences between left and right in Israel.* Paper presented at the International Study Group on Conceptual and Methodological Issues of Youth Surveys, University of Haifa, Israel with co-sponsorship from the Center for Study of Youth Policy and School of Social Work, University of Pennsylvania.
143. Griffel, A., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (1999, March). *Religious identity and religious behavior of Jewish youth.* Paper presented at the International Study Group on Conceptual and Methodological Issues of Youth Surveys, University of Haifa, Israel with co-sponsorship from the Center for Study of Youth Policy and School of Social Work, University of Pennsylvania.
144. Griffel, A., Eisikovits, Z., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (1998, January). *Evaluating the children at risk project proposals using partial order Scalogram Analysis.* Paper presented at International Study Group of Child Welfare: An International Perspective, ­­University of Haifa, Israel.

# SEMINARS, KEYNOTE PRESENTATIONS & PANEL SESSIONS

1. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2021, March). The Next Hurdle in the COVID-19 Pandemic: Overcoming Vaccine Hesitancy. COVID SDOH Working Group Meeting. Speaker at online event*, Institute for Public Health.*
2. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2021, March). Speaker at online seminar organized by Hebrew University.
3. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2021, March). The Role of NGO/NPO in the Formation of Public Policy. Speaker at online event organized by Taiwan PPSEAWA.
4. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** & Blonder, A. (2021 January). The Challenge of Living Together: Can the Coronavirus Be an Opportunity? Presentation for the Initiative for Shared Israeliness, *IDC Herzliya.* Retrieved from <https://socialpolicyinstitute.wustl.edu/the-challenge-of-living-together-can-the-coronavirus-be-an-opportunity/>
5. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** & Patel, N.(2020, October). Working Families in COVID-19: The Impact and the Policy Response. Presenter in webinar for American Academy of Political and Social Sciences.
6. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2020, November). Who relocates, where do they move, and why? A choice neighborhood initiative project in Memphis, TN. Presenter at Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management conference. Virtual.
7. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** & Chan, P. (2020, May). Child and Family Well-being in the Wake of COVID-19. Invited seminar presenter with the Clark-Fox Policy Institute weekly web series. St. Louis, MO.
8. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2020, January). Mastercard’s engagement with the Social Policy Institute. Invited presenter at WashU Day at Mastercard. St. Louis, MO.
9. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, December). The Impact of Housing on Social Mobility. Invited keynote speaker at Rashi Foundation Annual Convening. Israel.
10. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, June). New Directions in Savings Policy. Panel moderator at Tax Time Savings Initiative Convening. St. Louis, MO.
11. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, May). Esther Peterson Policy Lecture. Invited keynote presenter at American Council on Consumer Interests annual conference. Washington, DC.
12. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, May). Refund to Savings: Building Financial Security at Tax Time. Brookings Institute. Invited presentation at Global Economy and Development Seminar. Washington, DC.
13. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, May) Social Determinants of Health. Invited presentation at the TEDxGatewayArch Healthcare Head On. St. Louis, MO.
14. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, May) Invited keynote presentation at the American Council on Consumer Interests Conference. Washington, DC.
15. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, March) Social Change and Behavioral Economics. Decision. Intuition. Choice. Evaluation. at The Interdisciplinary Center. Herzliya, Israel.
16. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2019, January) Using Behavioral Economics to Impact Policy and Practice. Invited keynote at the Ministry of Social Affairs Workshop. Jerusalem, Israel.
17. Kondratjeva, O. (2018, November) Elevating the Well-Being of Low-Income Families through State and Federal Safety Net Programs. Invited panel presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference. (**Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** PI)
18. Despard, M. (2018, November) Nudging and Educating EITC Claimants in Tax Compliance, Refund Saving Behavior, and Beyond. Invited panel presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference. (**Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** PI)
19. Daniels, K. (2018, November) Dynamics of Income and Program Eligibility. Invited panel presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference. (**Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** PI)
20. Kondratjeva, O., & Roll, S. (2018, November) Building Assets in Economically Vulnerable and Underprivileged Populations: Barriers and Opportunities. Invited panel presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference. (**Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** PI)
21. Despard, M. (2018, November) Policies and Interventions to Promote the Financial Inclusion of Low- and Moderate-Income Households: Current Evidence. Invited panel presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference. (**Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** PI)
22. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Covington, M. (2017, June). Work and Wealth: The Rise, Interest, and Understanding of Workplace Financial Wellness Programs. Invited presentation at the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau FinEx Convening. St. Louis, MO.
23. Covington, M. (2017, June). Work and Wealth: The Rise, Interest, and Understanding of Workplace Financial Wellness Programs. Invited presentation by the Asset Funders Network. National webinar. Recording available at http://assetfunders.org/connect/work-wealth-webinar. (**Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** PI)
24. Covington, M. (2017, April). Workplace Financial Wellness Programs: Who Wants to Offer Them, Participate in Them, and How to Select the Right Type for your Workforce. Invited presentation by the Human Resource Executive Health & Benefits Leadership Conference. (**Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** PI)
25. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** & Iwry, M. **(**2017, March**).** What you can’t see from here, you can see from there: An American Perspective. Invited fireside presentation for TheMarker Annual Conference. Tel Aviv, Israel.
26. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Porter, J. & Taylor, S. (2017, February). Incentives, Innovation, and Industry-Academic Partnerships. Invited presentation at the American Heart Association’s 2017 Workplace Wellness Forum.
27. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (2016, December). Israel’s Savings Account for Every Child. Invited panel presentation for Innovations in Poverty Policy conference hosted by the Taub Center for Social Policy Studies in Israel. Jerusalem, Israel.
28. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2016, October). Synergy in Action: Addressing Inequities Through Academic, Industry, & Government Partnerships. Invited presentation for Chancellor’s Beyond Brookings event at Washington University in St. Louis. St. Louis, MO.
29. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2016, April).Refund to Savings: Building financial security at tax time. Invited workshop presentation at the 2016 Behavioral Science & Policy Association Annual Conference. Washington, DC.
30. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2015, December). Poverty Alleviation Through Savings and Assets Accumulation. Invited keynote presentations at the Calcalist financial management conference: Financial Behaviors in the Digital Age. Tel Aviv, Israel.
31. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2014, May). The Role of Emergency Savings in the lives of Low Income Households: Evidence from the Refund to Savings Initiative. Invited panel presentation at the Financial Decision Making, Poverty and Inequality Workshop. Madison, WI.
32. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2014, May). Financial Inclusion and Savings Opportunities: Data from National Pilots. Invited workshop presentation at the 2014 Annual Conference Financial Inclusion in Focus: From Vision to Reality. Detroit, MI.
33. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2014, May). Homeownership and Wealth Among Low-Income Young Adults: Evidence from the Community Advantage Program. Invited presentation at the 2014 Research Symposium, The Balance Sheets of Younger Americans: Is the American Dream at Risk? St. Louis, MO.
34. Elliot, W., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2014, May). Effects of Student Loans on Components of Net Worth: Implications for the Financial Success of younger Americans and Public Policy. Invited presentation at the 2014 Research Symposium, The Balance Sheets of Younger Americans: Is the American Dream at Risk? St. Louis, MO.
35. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2014, April). Refund to Savings: Overcoming Barriers to Economic Security. Invited presentation at the Center for Economic Progress. Chicago, IL.
36. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Comer, K., Ariely, D., Key, C. (2013, October). Refund to Savings: Overcoming Barriers to Economic Security. Invited presentation at the 2013 Pathways to Prosperity Conference. Durham, NC.
37. Comer, K., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Ariely, D., Key, C. (2013, October). Refund to Savings: Investigating Financial Capabilities and Behavior. Invited presentation at the 6th Annual Financial Literacy Leadership Conference. Washington, DC.
38. Comer, K., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Ariely, D., Key, C. (2013, October). Refund to Savings: Investigating Financial Capabilities and Behavior. Invited presentation at the Southern Regional Asset Building Coalition Conference. Jacksonville, FL.
39. Comer, K., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Ariely, D., Key, C. (2013, September). Refund to Savings: Overcoming Barriers to Economic Security. Invited presentation at the National Community Tax Coalition National Conference. New Orleans, LA.
40. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Comer, K. (2013, May) Refund to Savings: Exploring the intersection of behavioral economics and asset building at tax time and beyond. Invited poster presentation at the 2013 Boulder Summer Conference on Consumer Financial Decision Making. Boulder, CO.
41. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2013, May) Refund to Savings: Exploring the intersection of behavioral economics and asset building at tax time and beyond. Invited presentation at the Personal Finance Seminar for Professionals Conference at the University of Maryland. College Park, MD.
42. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2013, May). Refund to Savings: Creating Contingency Savings at Tax Time. Invited presentation at the Center for Financial Security. Chicago, IL.
43. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Shanks, T., & Beverly, S. (2013, March). Family Assets and Child Outcomes: Current Evidence and Future Directions Family Assets and Children. Invited presentation at Princeton University. Princeton, NJ.
44. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2013, March). *Review of Recent Evidence on* *Child Development Accounts in the U.S. and Around the World.* Invited presentation at the Ministry of Social Affairs in Israel.Jerusalem, Israel.
45. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2013, February). *Homeownership, the Great Recession, and Wealth: Evidence from the Survey of Consumer Finance*. Invited presentation at Restoring Household Financial Capability After the Great Recession Research Symposium. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, MO.
46. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2013, January). *Refund to Savings: Taking Savings at Tax-Time to Scale*. Invited presentation to CFPB staff at Lunch and Learn. Center for Financial Protection Bureau, Washington, DC.
47. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2013, January). *Refund to Savings: Taking Savings at Tax-Time to Scale*. Invited presentation at Intuit, Inc., San Diego, CA.
48. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, November). *Refund to Savings: Taking Savings at Tax-Time to Scale*. Invited presentation at the National Convening on Access, Data and Scale. Consumer Finance Protection Bureau, Washington, DC.
49. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, November). *Preserving Individual and Community Assets In Times of Financial Hardship.* Panel Chair at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management’s 34th Annual Fall Research Conference, Baltimore, MD.
50. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, October). *Refund to Savings: Building Savings at Tax-Time*. Invited presentation at the Promising Pathways to Wealth-Building Financial Services. Federal Reserve of St. Louis, St. Louis, MO.
51. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, September). *Refund to Savings: Taking Savings at Tax-Time to Scale*. Invited presentation at the 2nd Annual Consumer Research Symposium. Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Washington, DC.
52. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, September). *Building Savings at Tax-Time: The Refund to Savings Initiative*. Invited presentation at the Assets Learning Conference. Corporation for Enterprise Development (CFED), Washington, DC.
53. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, September). *10-Year Follow-Up of IDAs: Latest Evidence from the ADD Experiment*. Invited presentation at the Assets Learning Conference, Corporation for Enterprise Development (CFED), Washington, DC.
54. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, June). *Refund to savings: Capitalizing on Behavioral Economics at Tax-Time.* Financial Capability Research Workshop. University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI.
55. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, May). *The Refund to Savings Initiative.* Assets@21: Lessons from the Past, Directions for the Future, a Symposium and Ideas Summit. New America Foundation, Washington, DC.
56. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2012, March). *Testing long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts and asset building on social and economic well-being.* Invited presentation at the Economic Studies Event at Brookings Institution, Washington, DC.
57. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M. W., Gale, W. G., Rohe, W., Schreiner, M., & Key, C. (2011, November). *The ten-year impacts of Individual Development Accounts on homeownership: Evidence from a randomized experiment*. Presentation at the National Tax Association Annual Conference on Taxation, New Orleans, LA.
58. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2011, October). *The challenge and benefits of low- and moderate- income homeownership: new evidence and future directions.* Keynote address at the National Savings Forum jointly sponsored by America Saves and the Consumer Federation of America, Washington, DC.
59. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2011, October). *Asset building for children: Strategies for developing a successful Children’s Savings Account or IDA program for youth.* Session moderator at “Pathways to Prosperity” 2011 Regional Conference, Durham, NC.
60. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M. W., Gale, W. G., Rohe, W., Schreiner, M., & Key, C. (2011, October). *The ten-year impacts of Individual Development Accounts on homeownership: Evidence from a randomized experiment*. Syracuse University’s Public Finance Seminar, Syracuse, NY.
61. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2011, October). *Long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts on education: Evidence from a longitudinal randomized experiment.* Invited presentation at Syracuse University’s Public Finance Seminar, Syracuse, NY.
62. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2011, June). *Long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts on education: Evidence from a longitudinal randomized experiment*. Invited presentation at the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2011 Policy Summit, Cleveland, OH.
63. Key, C., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Guo, S., Yeo, Y., & Holub, K. (2011, June). *Low-income homeownership and wealth growth: Evidence from a propensity score analysis*. Invited presentation at the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2011 Policy Summit, Cleveland, OH.
64. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2011, April). *Do Individual Development Accounts promote homeownership?* Invited presentation at a Brookings Economic Studies event, Washington, DC.
65. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**. (2011, April 26). *Do Individual Development Accounts Promote Homeownership?* Solo focused event at Brookings Institution Retirement Security Project Event, Washington, DC. Transcript available at <http://www.brookings.edu/events/2011/0426_individual_development_accounts.aspx>
66. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M. W., Gale, W. G., Rohe, W., Schreiner, M., & Key, C. (2011, March). *The ten-year impacts of Individual Development Accounts on homeownership: Evidence from a randomized experiment*. University of Wisconsin, Department of Economics 56, Madison, WI.
67. **Grinstein-Weiss, M**., Sherraden, M., Gale, W., Rohe, W., Schreiner, M., & Key, C. (2011, January). *Ten-year impacts of Individual Development Accounts on homeownership: Evidence from a randomized experiment*. Invited presentation at Brookings Institution Seminar, Washington, DC.
68. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M. W., Gale, W. G., Rohe, W., Schreiner, M., & Key, C. (2011, January). *The ten-year impacts of Individual Development Accounts on homeownership: Evidence from a randomized experiment*. Brookings Institution Seminar, Washington, DC.
69. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** Sherraden, M., Gale, W., Rohe, W., Schreiner, M., & Key, C. (2010, December). *Ten-year impacts of Individual Development Accounts on homeownership: Evidence from a randomized experiment*. Invited presentation at Savings Strategies & Innovations for Low-Income Households Conference, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland and the UNC Assets Building Research Group, Columbus, OH.
70. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** (2010, December). Moderator of panel session at the *Savings Strategies & Innovations for Low-Income Households*, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland and the UNC Assets Building Research Group, Columbus, OH.
71. Key, C., Ratcliffe, J., & **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2010, December). *Research findings from the first two years*. Invited presentation at “A Tax-Time Bonus as a First Step to Saving: Social Innovation and Lessons from a Municipally-Based Savings Program,” conference sponsored by the New America Foundation, Washington, DC.
72. Bendict, S., Campbell, M. K., **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Taylor, A., & Key, C. (2010, September). *Addressing economic and social determinants of health among low-income, ethnically diverse women in rural North Carolina*. Invited presentation at the 2010 Assets Learning Conference, CFED, Washington, DC.
73. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Manturuk, K., & Key, C. (2010, September). *The social impacts of homeownership: Evidence from the Community Advantage Program*. Invited presentation at the 2010 Assets Learning Conference, CFED, Washington, DC.
74. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.,** & Holub, Krista (2010, July). *Asset building in Israel:* *IDA and CDA initiatives*. Invited presentation at the Assets for Independence 2010 Conference, Washington, DC.
75. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2010, July). *Evaluation design for the Assets for Independence Program: Data review*. Invited presentation at the Assets for Independence 2010 Research Forum, Washington, DC.
76. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M., Gale, W., & Rohe, W. (2010, June). *Testing long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts on homeownership.* Invited presentation at the Administration for Children and Families Welfare Research and Evaluation Conference, Washington, DC.
77. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**,Sherraden, M., Gale, W., & Rohe, W.(2010, June). *Testing long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts on homeownership.* Invited presentation at the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland 2010 Policy Summit, Cleveland, OH.
78. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Charles, P., Guo, S., Manuturk, K., & Key, C. (2010, April). *The transition into low-income homeownership: Does marital status matter?* Invited presentation at the Grantees Conference on Families and Financial Instability, National Center for Family and Marriage Research, Bowling Green, OH.
79. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Sherraden, M., Gale, W., Rohe, W., (2009, April). *Testing long-term impacts of Individual Development Accounts on homeownership*. Paper presented at the University of Michigan, National Poverty Center, Ann Arbor, MI.
80. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2009, June). *Teach your children well: Credit outcomes and prior parental teaching of money management*. Invited presentation at the Ford Foundation/Self-Help Annual Summit, Durham, NC.
81. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2009, March). *Evaluation design for the Assets for Independence Program: Data review*. Invited presentation at Urban Institute for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC.
82. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2008, December). *Responsible homeownership: Protecting homeowners today, guiding policymakers tomorrow*. Invited presentation for C-SPAN to the New America Foundation on the social impact of asset-building policy. (Broadcast live and repeated several times throughout the month).
83. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2008, September). *Fostering low-income homeownership: A longitudinal randomized experiment on Individual Development Accounts.* Invited presentation at the 2008 Assets Learning Conference, Washington, DC.
84. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** & Owens, M. (2008, September). *Pathways to prosperity: Effective delivery of savings programs through targeted initiatives.* Roundtable table discussant at the 2008 Assets Learning Conference, Washington, DC.
85. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2008, May). *Fostering low-income homeownership: A longitudinal randomized experiment on Individual Development Accounts.* Invited presentation at the 11th Annual Welfare Research and Evaluation Conference, Washington, DC.
86. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2008, April). *IDAs and asset building in United Sates: Innovations in poverty alleviation*. Invited presentation at Economic Empowerment for Women, Haifa, Israel.
87. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.**, Despard, M., & Birdsong, S. S. (2008, April). *Subprime mess: Is there a better way?* Paper presented at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Social Work, Chapel Hill, NC.
88. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2008, February). *The impact of low- and moderate-wealth homeownership on parental attitudes and behavior: Evidence from The Community Advantage Panel*. Paper presented at the Ford Foundation/Self-Help Annual Summit, Durham, NC.
89. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2007, March). *IDAs and asset building in United States: Innovations in poverty alleviation.* Invited presentation by the Israeli Ministry of Social Affairs at the conference, “New Programs to Alleviate Poverty–The Role of the Ministry of Social Affairs.” The conference was attended by Israeli government officials, researchers, policy experts and practitioners.
90. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2007, December). *IDAs in the United States: Evidence from the American Dream Demonstration.* Invited presentation at the North Carolina Summit on Youth and Families, Chapel Hill, NC.
91. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2007, November). *IDAs in the United States: Evidence from the American Dream Demonstration.* Invited presentation at the North Carolina Financial Education and Asset Building Conference: Pathways to Wealth, Chapel Hill, NC.
92. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2006, November). *Seven wisdoms I learnt about negotiation*. Invited presentation to the School of Government, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC.
93. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2006, March). *Race, poverty, and inequality: How can we create opportunities?* Session moderator for “Challenging the Two Americas – New Policies to Fight Poverty,” University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Center on Poverty, Work & Opportunity.
94. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2005, September). *IDAs for housing policy: Saving outcomes and racial differences.* Invited presentation at the School of Social Work Board of Advisors Meeting, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC.
95. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2004, September). *Quantitative and qualitative findings from the American Dream Demonstration (ADD).* Session moderator at “Sharing Our Visions, Forging Our Paths,” IDA Learning Conference, New Orleans, LA.
96. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2004, February). *Individual Development Account as a tool for housing policy for low income.* Invited presentation at the Department of Urban and Housing Development, Washington DC.
97. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2002, April). *Evaluation of IDAs: Why it is important and how it is done.* Session moderator for “International Perspective on Asset Building,” IDA Learning Conference, Windsor, Ontario, Canada.
98. **Grinstein-Weiss, M.** (2001, October). *The function of* *unemployment in Israel*. Invited presentation in the Social and Economic Development Policy Course, University of Missouri, St. Louis, MO.

**TV & RADIO MEDIA INTERVIEWS AND PRESENTATIONS**

1. Interview: *Israel Public Broadcasting Corporation* (Feb. 14, 2021). Retrieved from <https://www.kan.org.il/Radio/item.aspx/?pid=199355>
2. Interview: *Israel Public Broadcasting Corporation* (Feb. 2, 2021). Retrieved from <https://www.kan.org.il/Item/?itemId=99600>
3. Study: Women with young kids vanishing from workforce. (Jan. 10, 2021). I24NEWS. Retrieved from <https://twitter.com/i24NEWS_EN/status/1348479974567796737>
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# SELECTED CONSULTATIONS

1. U.S. Financial Health Pulse 2020 Trends Report. (2020). Guided strategic direction of initiative on Advisory Council.
2. County Health Rankings & Roadmaps Program. (2018). Served as content expert for this collaboration between the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute.
3. Ministry of Social Affairs (Israel). (2015-present). Provide program and policy consultation to senior government committee on implementation strategy for Child Development Accounts in Israel.
4. Emerge Financial Wellness. (2012-2013). Invitation to provide consultation on financial wellness program and review four white papers.
5. Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland. (2011). Provided consultation on program development for “Asset Building for Ex-Offenders.”
6. Ministry of Social Affairs (Israel). (2010). Provided program and policy consultation to the Minister of Social Affairs Isaac Herzog and his senior staff on asset building strategies for “Child Development Account Policy in Israel.”

# Editorial Service

## Reviewer

Book proposal for *Columbia University Press*

## Grant Reviewer

Individual Research Grants, Israel Science Foundation

Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

External Assessment of Research Grant Proposal, Pian Leung of the Research Grants Council (RGC), Hong Kong

## Associate Editor

## *Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research,* 2017-

**Associate Policy Editor**

*Behavioral Science and Policy*, 2018-

## Guest Editor

Special Issue on The COVID -19 Shock to our Deep Inequities: Mitigating the Impact,*ANNALS for the American Academy of Political and Social Sciences*

## Special Issue on Starting Early for Financial Success, *Journal of Consumer Affairs*

## Commissioned by Financial Education and Literacy Commission, an organization established by Congress in 2003, comprised of representatives of more than 20 federal agencies, and chaired by the Secretary of the Treasury.

## Editorial Board

*Journal of Consumer Affairs*

*Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research*

*Journal of Children and Poverty*

## Consulting Editor

*Social Work Research*

*Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities*

## Conference Reviewer

# *SSWR Conferences 2007 – 2017* (Review abstracts for conference presentations)

## Manuscript Reviewer

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| *Journal of Social Service Research* |
| *Journal of the Society for Social Work and Research* |
| *Rural Sociology* |
| *Social Service Review* |
| *Social Work Research* |

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| *Child & Family Social Work* | *Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities* |
| *Children and Youth Services Review* | *National Tax Policy Journal* |
| *Contemporary Economic Policy* | *Journal of Adolescence* |
| *Demography* | *Journal of Adolescent Health* |
| *European Economic Review* | *Journal of Consumer Affairs* |
| *Housing Policy Debate* | *Journal of Family and Economic Issues* |
| *Housing Studies* | *Journal of Marriage and the Family* |

# TEACHING RECORD

## Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis

Policymaking, Advocacy, and Analysis in the US Legislative System, 2019, 2020

Advancing Equity through Policy, 2018, 2019

Evaluation of Program and Services, Master’s course, 2013, 2014, 2017

Independent study, Evaluation of Program and Services, 2013

Statistical Analysis for Advanced Research I, Ph.D. course, Summer 2001, 2002

## Postdoctoral Training

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Dan Zhao, 2019- | Ellen Frank-Miller, 2017-2018 | Chunhui Ren, 2014-2015 |
| Olga Kondratjeva, 2017-2020 | Emily Gallagher, 2016-2018 |  |

**Supervisor, Doctoral Student Research Practicum/Assistantship**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Jorge Sabat, 2018-2019 | Sicong (Summer) Sun, 2018- 2019 | Stephanie Skees, 2019- |
| Yingying Zeng, 2018-2020 | Aytakin Huseynli, 2018-2020 | Brad Tucker, 2013-2014 |

**Supervisor, Doctoral Student Teaching Practicum/Assistantship**

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| Stacey Freedenthal, 2002 | Chang-Keun Han, 2001 |

**Supervisor, Master’s Student Teaching Practicum/Assistantship**

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| Kristen Wagner, 2002-2004 | Willie Elliot, 2004 |

**Supervisor, Master’s Student Research Assistantship**

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| Victoria Lyon, 2015-2017 | Nava Kantor, 2014-2015 | Lingzi Luo, 2012-2014 |
| Nishi Dsouza, 2015-2017 | Shannon Carrillo, 2014-2015 | Hannah Allee, 2013-2014 |
| Bethany Houpt, 2015-2017 | Chris Umbertino, 2014-2015 | Vanessa Reinertson, 2013-2014 |
| Geraldine Hannon, 2015-2017 | Ally Melvin, 2013-2015 | Jane Oliphant, 2013-2014 |
| Anna DeRuyter, 2014-2017 | Samuel Taylor, 2013-2015 |  |

## School of Social Work, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Foundations for Evidence-Based Practice, Master’s course, 2010-2012

Evaluation of Social Intervention, Master’s course, 2005-2008

Examining the Intersection of Assets and Health, Independent study, 2012

Low-Income Homeownership as an Asset Building Strategy, Independent study, 200

### Supervisor, Doctoral Student Research Practicum/Assistantship

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| Jenna Tucker, 2010-2013 | Johanna Greeson, 2007- 2008 | Micaela Mercado, 2008 |
| Srulovici Einav, 2011-2012 | Clinton Key, 2009 | Jungsook Lee, 2006 |
| Yeong Hun Yeo, 2006-2010 | Melissa Chappell, 2009 |  |
| Pajarita Charles, 2006-2009 | Jong-Gyu Paik, 2008-2009 |  |

### Supervisor, Doctoral Student Teaching Practicum/Assistantship

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| --- | --- | --- |
| David Ansong, 2013 | Johanna Greeson, 2008 | Elizabeth Caplick, 2005 |
| Whitt Ahmed, 2012 | Tom Crea, 2007 |  |
| Ijeoma Nwabuzor, 2010 | Pajarita Charles, 2006 |  |

### Dissertation Committees

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| Einav Srulovici | Jong-Gyu Paik | Johanna Greeson |

### Postdoctoral Training

Pajarita Charles, 2009-2010 (25% of time)

### Supervisor, Master’s Student Research Assistantship

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Arta Osmanaj, 2011-2012 | Adriane Casalotti, 2007-2009 | Maya Lindley, 2006 |
| Laurie Graham, 2010-2011 | Katy Dickinson, 2007-2008 | Melissa Magee, 2006 |
| Krista Holub, 2010-2011 | Susanna Birdsong, 2007-2008 | Shannon Sellers-Harty, 2006 |
| Liza Gellerstedt, 2009-2010 | Matt Toth, 2007 |  |
| Elizabeth Books, 2007-2010 | Kate Irish, 2006-2007 |  |

### Supervisor, Undergraduate Student Research Assistantship

Sooyoon Lee, 2012

### Field Internship Instructor, MSW Students

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| Jenna Tucker, 2010 | Katy Dickinson, 2007 |  |

### Supervisor, Master’s and Doctoral Student Independent Study

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| Einav Srulovici, 2013 | Arta Osmanaj, 2012 | Susanna Birdsong, 2007 |

# SELECTED PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

## Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis

**Member** Brown School Fall Planning Committee, 2020-

**Member** Brown School Strategic Planning Task Force, 2019-

**Member** Brown School Center Policy Committee, 2018-

**Member** Social Entrepreneurship and Innovation Lab Advisory Committee, 2018-

**Member** Honorary Degree Committee of the Board of Trustees, Washington University in St. Louis, 2018-

**Member** Brown School Center Director Committee, 2017-

**Member** Master in Social Policy Steering Committee, 2016-

**Chair** Personnel Advisory Committee, 2016-2017

**Member** Dean Search Committee, 2015-2016

**Organizer** Brown School Distinguished Lecture Series, 2014-

**Member** Global Implementation Work Group, Brown School, 2014-

**Member** Search Committee for Policy Forum Director, 2014-2015

**Member** Brookings/Washington University Master in Public Policy Steering Committee, 2013-2015

**Member**  Personnel Advisory Committee, 2013-2015

**Member** Endowed Shanti Khinduka Chair and the George Warren Brown Chair Faculty Committee, 2012-2014

**Member** Social and Economic Development Concentration Curriculum Work Group, 2012-2014

## Selected Service School of Social Work, UNC-CH

**Member** Community, Management and Policy Practice Concentration Committee 2011-2012

**Member** Curriculum Committee 2011-2012

**Member** Community, Management & Policy Practice Concentration Committee 2010-2011

**Member** Curriculum Committee 2010-2011

**Member** Preyer Professorship Search Committee 2009-2010

**Member** Recruitment and Admissions Committee 2009-2010

**Member** Research Sequence Committee 2009-2010

**Member** Committee on Students 2009-2010

**Member** Search Committee 2008-2009

**Member** Alumni Survey Committee, 2007-2008

**Co-Chair** Reaccreditation Evaluation Committee 2007-2008

**Member** Search Committee 2007-2008

**Member** Research Curriculum Development Group 2007-2008

**Member** Committee on Students 2006-2008

**Member** Doctoral Committee 2006-2008

**Member** IRB Committee 2006-2008

**Member** Admissions Committee 2006-2007

**Member** Daniels Search Committee 2006-2007

## Selected University Service

**Member** Healthcare at Olin Planning Committee, Olin Business School, Washington University in St. Louis, 2020-

**Member** Faculty member for joint Brookings Institute-Washington University “American Well-Being Project.” 2019-

**Member** Washington University Health Systems Innovation Lab Advisory Committee, 2018-

**University Representative** University Social Responsibility Network (International collaboration), 2018-

**Presenter** “Publishing with Students: Optimizing working with research assistants.” A Confab presentation to junior faculty at Brown School, Washington University in St. Louis, 2012

**Member** Advisory Board for the University of North Carolina, Center on Poverty, Work and Opportunity 2006-2011

**Moderator &** Center on Poverty, Work and Opportunity March 2007

**Co-Organizer** Conference, Panel on Race and Poverty

**Member** Focus group series planning committee for the Center on Poverty, Work and Opportunity 2006-2007

**Presenter** “Seven wisdoms I learnt about negotiation.” School of Government, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2006

**Project Assistant** “Market Issues and Direction for Social Work Career Development: Learning From the Past, Charting the Future.” George Warren Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis, 2003

**Member** Ph.D Curriculum Committee, George Warren Brown School of SocialWork, Washington University in St. Louis, 2002-2003

**Ph.D. student representative** Career Services Committee, George Warren Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis, 2001-2002

**Ph.D. student representative** Administrative Committee, George Warren Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis, 2000-2002

**MSW student representative** Administrative Committee, School of Social Work, University of Haifa, 1998

## State and Community Service

**Advisor** Designation of Savings Excellence for Banks Committee (America Saves), 2018-

**Advisor** United States Financial Health Pulse, 2018-

**Member** NC Asset Building and Financial Education Conference Planning Committee 2011

**Member** NC Asset Building and Financial Education Program Planning Committee 2011

**Member** NC Asset Building and Financial Education Conference Planning Committee 2009

**Member** NC Asset Building and Financial Education Program Planning Committee 2009

**Member** NC Children Savings Account Task Force 2007-present

**Member** NC Asset Building Policy Task Force 2006-present

**Member** NC Asset Building Policy Task Force Steering Committee 2006- present

**Member** NC toolkit for the Assets for Persons with Disabilities Advisory Board 2006-2007

**Member** Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond Loan performances research team 2007-2008

**Member** MacArthur Foundation Working Group

**Consultant** *AutoSave* project at New America Foundation

**Consultant** Research Curriculum Development Group 2007-2008

**Co-organizer** *Junior Faculty Interest Group* at the Society for Social Work and Research annual conference 2007

**Organizer** *Asset Building and Financial Capability Research Group* at the Society for Social Work and Research annual conference 2012-

**Organizer** *Asset-building and Social Work Research Interest Group* at the Society for Social Work and Research annual conference 2009, 2010

# PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

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| --- | --- |
| Behavioral Science and Policy Association | Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management |
| National Association of Social Workers | Board of Directors, Horowitz Foundation |
| Society for Social Work and Research |  |