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EDUCATION

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- 1992 **UCSD, Master of Pacific International Affairs**, San Diego, CA
Concentration: Public Policy, Specialization: Comparative Health Policy
- 1989 **University of Michigan School of Dentistry**, Ann Arbor, MI
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- 1987 **University of Michigan**, Ann Arbor, MI, **Bachelor of Arts**, December 1987
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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS/EMPLOYMENT

- 2015 – Present **Professor** (Tenured) School of Social Work, San Diego State University
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- 2013 – 2015 **Associate Professor** (2013-2015), School of Social Work, San Diego State University
- 2013 – Present **Associate Adjunct Professor, UCSD** (reappointed July 1st 2015)
Division of Global Public Health, Department of Medicine, University of California, San Diego (UCSD)

Division of Academic General Pediatrics, Child Development, and Community Health, Department of Pediatrics (UCSD)
- 2012 – Present **Program Evaluator**, UCSD Mother, Child and Adolescent HIV Program. Oversee evaluation of demonstration project to provide comprehensive care (mental health and substance use treatment, parenting skills) to HIV-positive women with addictions who are parents to prevent child abandonment and neglect and promote family preservation.
- 2011 – 2013 **Section Head**, Center for Community Health, Division of Academic General Pediatrics, Child Development & Community Health, Department of Pediatrics, UCSD
- 2011 – 2013 **Program Director** (UCSD Campus), Program of Graduate studies in Global Health Sciences for the MS degree at UC Davis, UC Riverside, and UCSD
- 2011 – 2012 **Faculty Director**, Mexican Migration Field Research and Training Program, UCSD
- 2009 – Present **Associate Adjunct Professor**, Division of Global Public Health, Department of Medicine, UCSD
- 2009 – 2013 **Associate Adjunct Professor**, Division of Academic General Pediatrics, Child Development and Community Health (Formerly Division of Community Pediatrics), Department of Pediatrics, UCSD
- 2006 – 2008 **Assistant Professor**, Division of Global Public Health, Department of Medicine, UCSD

- 2003 – Present **Adjunct Professor**, Graduate School of Public Health, SDSU
- 2001 – 2008 **Director**, Evaluation Unit, Division of Community Pediatrics, UCSD
- 2001 – 2008 **Assistant Professor**, Division of Community Pediatrics, UCSD (Joint appointment, 2006-2009 with the Department of Family and Preventive Medicine)
- 1999 – 2000 **Project Scientist**, Division of Community Pediatrics, Department of Pediatrics, UCSD
- 1996 – 1999 **Evaluation Coordinator**, SDSU Immunization Projects. Center for Behavioral and Community Health Studies. Graduate School of Public Health, SDSU
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5. Pinedo, M., Burgos JL, **Zúñiga, M. L.**, Perez, R., Macera, C. A., Ojeda, V. D. (2015). Police Victimization Among Persons Who Inject Drugs Along the U.S.-Mexico Border. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, 76(5),758-63.
6. Smith, L. R., Patterson, T., Magis-Rodriguez, C., Ojeda, V. D., Burgos, J. L., Rojas, S. A., **Zúñiga, M. L.**, Strathdee, S. (2015). Engagement in the HIV Care Continuum among Key Populations in Tijuana, Mexico. *AIDS and Behavior*, [Epub ahead of print]. doi: 10.1007/s10461-015-1186-8
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38. **Zúñiga ML**, Blanco E, Martínez P, Gifford AL, Strathdee SA. A Pilot Study of Clinical Trials Participation Barriers in HIV+ Latinas of Mexican-Origin Living in the US-Mexico Border Region of San Diego/Tijuana. American Public Health Associations 134th Annual Meeting. Boston, Massachusetts, 2006.
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41. **Zúñiga ML**. Exploring HIV/AIDS Clinical Trials Experiences of Latinas Living with HIV. HIV Women of Color Taking Action for a Healthier Life Conference. Washington DC, 2004.
42. ***Zúñiga ML**, Tarter ME, Scolari R, Olshefsky AM, Haye K, Organista KC. Border crossing behavior and health care utilization practices of HIV+ Latinos living along the southern California border with Mexico. American Public Health Association's 131st Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA, 2003.
43. ***Zúñiga ML**, Tarter M, Scolari R, Olshefsky A, Haye K, Organista KC. Trans-Border Health Care Utilization Behavior of HIV+ Persons. 61st US-Mexico Border Health Association Annual Meeting. San Diego, CA, 2003.
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48. * **Zúñiga ML**, Nader PR, Sawyer MH, De Guire M, and Elder JP. Prenatal Immunization Education: Using a Teachable Moment to Influence Timely Initiation of Latino Infant Immunizations. 32nd National Immunization Conference. Atlanta, Georgia, 1998.
49. ***Zúñiga ML**, Scutchfield FD, Connell Jones M. Conducting a Culturally-Sensitive and Cost Effective Spanish-Language Immunization Media Campaign: A Community-Centered Approach in California. American Public Health Association 124th Annual Meeting. New York, NY, 1996.
50. *Tjoa T, **Zúñiga ML**, Sotelo G, Bush RS, Scutchfield FD, Elder J, Alvarado V, & Connell Jones M. Latino Acculturation and Immunization Health Education. American Public Health Association 124th National Meeting. New York, NY, 1996.
51. ***Zúñiga ML**, Tjoa T. Reducing Dimensionality of Data for Acculturation Measurement in a Latino Immunization Survey Using Principal Components Analysis. San Diego Biostatistics & Epidemiology Research Exchange. San Diego, California, 1996.
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HONORS AND AWARDS

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| 2016 | SDSU Undergraduate Research Program Mini Grant for Undergraduate Research and Mentorship (Undergraduate Social Work Student, Ilene Batalla) |
| 2015 | SDSU Undergraduate Research Program Mini Grant for Undergraduate Research and Mentorship (Undergraduate Social Work Student, Celia Martínez) |

- 2012 *Sin Fronteras por la Salud de Nustros Niños* (Without Borders for the Health of our Children), Recognition for contribution to health of children, XXVII Jornadas Binacionales, Tijuana, B.C.
- 2011 HIV Treatment Update and Border Health Issues, recognition from the Health initiative of the Americas, School of Public Health, University of California, Berkeley.
- 2010 *Comisión de Salud Fronteriza México-Estados Unidos* (US-Mexico Border Health Commission), Award for contributions to binational border health
- 2010 San Ysidro Health Center *CASA HIV/AIDS Services Program* Community Award for commitment to serving persons living with HIV through research and improving health and quality of life
- 2010 *Universidad Xochicalco, Campus Tijuana* Award in recognition for contributions as Honorary Faculty of the School of Medicine
- 2009 UCSD School of Medicine University Link Medical Science Program Award in recognition of dedication and willingness to share time and resources with students of the program
- 2008 “Women Who Mean Business” 2008 Award from *San Diego Business Journal*
- 2008 UCSD Academic Senate, Committee on Research: Award for Travel to Scholarly Meeting
- 2005 UCSD Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action and Diversity Award for outstanding contributions in the areas of equal opportunity, affirmative action, diversity, and the UCSD Principles of Community during 2005
- 2002 UCSD National Center for Leadership in Academic Medicine, Class of 2002 Co-Valedictorian

TEACHING AND ACADEMIC PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT

- 2014 - present Social Work 801, **Global Approaches to Substance Use Prevention and Treatment**
- 2014 - present Social Work 702, **Seminar in U.S.-Mexico Border Health with Emphasis on Substance Use**
- 2011 – 2015 **Core Faculty: Migration and Health: Mexican Migration Field Research and Training Program**, (LATI 122A,B,C and LATI 222A,B,C (Graduate Students).
Designed course curriculum and provided instruction on research methods and field research to UCSD undergraduate students, and master’s and doctoral-level graduate students. Prepared students for field research (e.g. research methods, survey design, ethics and responsible conduct of research, and interviewing techniques); Directed field research with indigenous communities in Yucatán, México and Southern California, U.S; and Provided instruction on qualitative and quantitative data analysis and interpretation, and preparation of peer-reviewed manuscripts.
- 2011– 2013 **Campus Director, UC Global Health Institute Tri-Campus Masters of Science Program**
UCSD faculty lead to establish a tri-campus MS in GH. Responsibilities include identification and selection MS core competencies; MS program design and cross-campus integration with UC Riverside and UC Davis. Determined UCSD course offerings and recommended new courses to meet competency requirements; invited and secured support of faculty to teach new courses; maintain excellent communication with UCSD Dean of Graduate Studies and Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs. MS in Global Health is anticipated to commence Fall 2015.
- 2011– 2012 **Course Co-Director (Global Health) and Instructor: Public Health Doctoral Lecture Series** (FPM258A), Fall and Winter 2012, Spring 2011
Lectures given: Community-Based Participatory Research and Ethics of conducting research with vulnerable populations

- 2009– 2013 **Pediatric Residency Preceptor UCSD**, Division of Child Development and Community Health UCSD Block Rotation in Community Pediatrics. Precept service learning experience to improve resident knowledge about the Mexican health care delivery system and binational patients, and improving cross-border coordinated care for patients of Mexican origin who also seek care in Mexico
- 2003 – 2010 Mentor, UCSD and SDSU McNair Academic Enrichment Program

OTHER STUDENT/INSTRUCTIONAL ACTIVITIES

- MSW/MPH Committee, SDSU** Thesis Committee Chair, Janelle Isaia (Yr.2 student)
- Latino Student Social Work Association, SDSU** Faculty Advisor, 2013 to present
- Social Work 780, International Social Work and Social Welfare.** Faculty Lecturer, Fall 2013 (Medication Adherence Among a Community of Binational HIV-Positive Patients)
- SW 791: Evaluation of Social Work Programs (Program Evaluation)** Faculty Lecturer, Fall 2013(Needs Assessment in Program Evaluation)
- UCSD Biomedical Ethics Series** Co-Instructor, Culture and Ethics, UCSD Biomedical Ethics Series. Winter 2011
- UCSD Seminar FPM258A, B, C** Lecturer, Post-Doctoral Cancer Disparities Seminar. Fall Quarter 2010. Co-Director, Joint Doctoral Seminar in Public Health, 2011-2012 Co-Instructor, Fall 2008 – Spring 2010
- UCSD CREST Program** Course Instructor, Clinical Research Enhancement through Supplemental Training, 2006- 2012
- UCSD Course FPM 244 UCSD FPM 280** Faculty, VIIDAI-24 Field Course Elective, San Quintín, México. 2006 Course Instructor, Practicum in the Health Behavior, Department of Family and Preventive Medicine. Winter 2006
- UCSD FPM 245/STPA 181** Faculty/Lecturer, Essential of Global Health. Spring Quarter, 2002 - present 2009
- UCSD Primary Care Physician** Faculty/Lecturer, Faculty Development Program: Addressing the Health Needs of the Underserved, February 1999 – present
- UCSD Residency Training Program** Faculty/Lecturer, Program evaluation for Intervention in Residency Programs. 2001 – 2008
- UCSD Linguistics Department** Lecturer, Spanish Language Instructor, September 1990 - June 1991

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT/INSTRUCTIONAL ACTIVITIES

- SDSU visiting student and faculty Katholische Stifungsfachhochschule Munchen, Germany** Lecture on Understanding Health Care Access and the Role of Culture Among Mexican-Origin Immigrants in the US-Mexico Border Region, February 26, 2014, SDSU, School of Social Work
- PhD Committee Member Colegio de la Frontera Norte Tijuana** Research advisor to doctoral candidate Ana María Lopez Jaramillo. Served as principal mentor for her *Consejo Nacional de Ciencia y Tecnología* (CONACYT, México) and UC San Diego AIDS International Training Research Program (AITRP) training awards.
- Research Ethics** Workshop instructor, Universidad Autónoma de Baja California, Escuela de Medicina, Tijuana, Baja California, México, 2011.
- Master in International Health** Invited Course Instructor, Epidemiology in the Mexico-U.S. Border Region, Universidad Xochicalco, Mexicali, Baja California, México, 2010.

- Principles of Health Behavior** Invited Course Instructor, Summer Public Health and Epidemiology. *Instituto Nacional de Salud Pública*, Cuernavaca, Morelos, México August 2008.
- Seminar on Diagnosis, Treatment and Control of HIV/AIDS on the Border** Guest lecturer, Universidad Autónoma de Baja California, Escuela de Medicina, Tijuana, Baja California, México. March 2002
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ACADEMIC COMMITTEES/UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- 2016 – Present Co-Chair, Tenure Track Faculty Search Committee, SDSU School of Social Work
- 2015- Present Member, Addictions Special Interest Group, UC San Diego Department of Psychiatry
- 2015- Present Member, SDSU College of Health and Human Services Research Committee.
- 2015 Reviewer, Tinker Foundation research scholarship applications (SDSU)
- 2014 Chair, Admissions Committee (M.S.W.), SDSU School of Social Work
- 2014 Chair, Advisory Committee, Joint Doctoral Program in Interdisciplinary Research on Substance Use
- 2014 Reviewer, UCSD Center for AIDS Research, Developmental Core pilot projects applications
- 2013-Present Member, Brazil Strategic Advisory Board, Center for Latin American Studies, SDSU
- 2013 Lecturer Review Committee, School of Social Work, SDSU
- 2013 Admissions Review Committee, School of Social Work, SDSU
- 2013 Research Task Group, Title IV-E Projects, School of Social Work, SDSU
- 2013 Scholars Without Borders Fellowship of International Scholars, dedicated to promoting international exchange and service within SDSU
- 2012 – 2013 UCSD Clinical Translational Research Institute, Member and pilot grant reviewer
- 2011 – 2013 UCSD National Center for Leadership in Academic Medicine (NCLAM) Graduate Group Committee
- 2011 – 2012 Member, U.S.-Mexico Border Virtual Health Library Advisory Committee, Pan American Health Organization (PAHO).
- 2011 – 2013 Committee Member - Division of Global Public Health, Committee on Appointments and Promotions
- 2010 – 2013 Reviewer, Division of Child Development and Community Health Pilot Grant Proposals
- 2010 – Present Member, UCSD Research Ethics Program, Research Ethics Instructor (<http://ethics.ucsd.edu/courses/teachers.html>)
- 2009 – Present Reviewer, Center for HIV/AIDS Minority Pipeline in Substance Abuse Research (CHAMPS) Pilot grant proposals from minority and underrepresented junior faculty (NIDA grant R25 DA 025571).
- 2009 – 2011 Mentor, UCSD School of Medicine—Independent Study Advisor (Committee Chair)
- 2008 – Present Member, UCSD Health Sciences Leadership Development Advisory Board
- 2007 – Present Faculty, UCSD/SDSU Joint Doctoral Program in Clinical Psychology, Faculty in the Behavioral Medicine/Health Psychology Track
- 2006 – Present Member and grant reviewer, UCSD Center for AIDS Research (CFAR) International Program
- 2006 – Present Faculty, UCSD/SDSU Joint Doctoral Program, Global Health
- 2006 – 2010 Faculty, UCSD School of Medicine Post baccalaureate Program
- 2005 – Present Faculty, UCSD/SDSU Joint Doctoral Program in Health Behavior
- 2004 – 2014 Member, UCSD Health Sciences Faculty Equity Committee
- 2002 Advisory Board Member, UCSD Border Health Education Network
- 1999 – 2008 Director, Evaluation Unit UCSD, Division of Child Development and Community Health
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COMMUNITY AND SCIENTIFIC SERVICE

Current and Ongoing

- 2016 Advisor, National Institutes of Health/National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health, Measuring use of traditional healing in the 2017 National Health Interview Survey

- 2016 Advisor, Provost Undergraduate Mentoring Program, SDSU
- 2015 Advisor on Border Health, Women's Empowerment non-profit, microfinance organization.
- 2014-Present Expert Panel Advisor. U.S.-Mexico Border Health Commission, Border Health Research Wrk Group
- 2013-Present Chair, Bioethics Committee, *Comisión de Salud Fronteriza México-Estados Unidos*, IRB #1. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Human Research Protections Federalwide Assurance #: FWA00019948
- 2013 Member, Data Safety Monitoring Board, NHLBI, Innovation for Smoke-Free Homes: Real-Time Feedback (Project Fresh Air) (PI: Hovell, 5R01HL103684-03)
- 2012 Invited as expert consultant to inform development of HIV awareness social marketing campaign targeting U.S. Latinos, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA, September 2012.
- 2012 Invited Speaker, 2nd Annual HIV Provider Network HIV/AIDS Conference, Rancho Mirage, CA, March 23, 2012.
- 2011 Invited presenter, American Medical Student Association meeting UCSD, October 23, 2011
- 2011 – Present Member, California Border Health Collaborative, County of San Diego
- 2011 – Present Member, Board of Directors, Hispanic Serving Health Professions Schools (HSHPS)
- 2010 – Present Advisor, National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine (NCCAM)
- 2007 – 2013 Chair, Bioethics Committee/IRB, *Colegio de la Frontera Norte*, Tijuana, Baja California, México (Federalwide Assurance Number FWA00012463)
- 2007 –2013 Member, California Health Professions Consortium (CHPC)
- 2003 – 2010 Network of Minority Research Investigators, National Institutes of Health
- Past
- 2009 Member, NIH Scientific Review Panel; Behavioral and Social Consequences of HIV/AIDS SRG Center for Scientific Review
- 2008 – 2011 Abstract Reviewer, International AIDS Conference
- 2007 – 2010 Member, California Department of Public Health/Office of AIDS Latino Advisory Board
- 2006 Grant Proposal Reviewer for the Ontario HIV Treatment Network
- 2005 Grant Proposal Reviewer for the National Institutes of Mental Health Special Emphasis Panel
- 2004 – 2009 Member, Society for Epidemiologic Research
- 2000 – 2009 Member, U.S.-Mexico Border Health Association

INVITED LECTURES/PRESENTATIONS

Invited symposium moderator, “Enhancing the Continuity of HIV Care in the San Diego Border Region”, Pacific AIDS Education and Training Center. 10/21/16.

Invited panel speaker, Health Equity Training related to Mental Health, Substance Use, Intimate Partner Violence, County of San Diego. (San Diego). 04/30/15.

Invited panelist & moderator, HIV and Border Health. US Conference on AIDS (San Diego). 10/02/14.

Invited international speaker, III. Seminario Internacional de Ciencias de la Salud. Presentation Title: “*Barreras para el cuidado de VIH en el context de salud fronteriza*” (Barriers to HIV care in the context of border health). Universidad Autónoma de Baja California, Centro de Ciencias de la Salud, Valle de las Palmas. (Tijuana) 10/03/14

Invited panelist and moderator, Border Health Symposium – Power of Collaboration, San Diego, CA 8/8/14.

Zúñiga, ML. Invited lecture: “Substance Abuse among Transnational Mexican Migrants and Opportunities for Community Engagement” for the NIDA-sponsored conference: “Vulnerability to Drug Abuse Among Hispanics: Bridging Science and Society” to be held May 29-30, 2014 at University of Texas at El Paso.

Zúñiga, ML. Invited workshop on Negotiation Skills for Advanced Students and Trainees, SDSU School of Social Work and Graduate School of Public Health. Fall 2013.

Zúñiga, ML, Lewin P, Martínez. Invited workshop: *Community-based participatory research, working with migrant populations*. 8th Summer Institute Migration and Global Health, Berkeley & Oakland, CA 6/2013.

Zúñiga, ML. Alcohol and drug use correlates and risk for poor health among HIV+ populations in the US-Mexico border and among transnational Mexican immigrants. Center for Community Health Research Seminar, UC San Diego Pediatrics. 6/2013

Zúñiga, ML. Understanding and Reducing Health Disparities workshop. 29th annual Latino Medical Student Association Regional Conference. UC San Diego School of Medicine. March 2013.

Zúñiga, ML and Muñoz, FA. Grand Rounds, *Investigación transfronteriza con poblaciones VIH-positivas: Hallazgos y lo que nos falta aprender* (Transnational Research with HIV-positive populations: Findings and what we still need to learn). Hospital ISSSTECALI, Tijuana, Mexico. January 2013.

Lewin-Fischer and Zúñiga, ML. *Estudio transnacional con población indígena de Yucatán, México: hallazgos preliminares* (Transnational study with an indigenous population from Yucatán, México: preliminary findings). XII Foro Binacional de Políticas Públicas sobre Migración y Salud. Oaxaca, Oaxaca, México. October 2012

“Correlates of Medication Adherence Among a Community of Binational HIV-Positive Patients” UCSD Center for Community Health Research Seminar, San Diego, CA March 2012

“Understanding health care access and care utilization among HIV-positive Latinos in the US-Mexico border region.” Oral presentation at SDSU School of Social Work; San Diego, CA 2009.

Bilingual Immunization Course, Session Instructor, January 1997 – November 1997

CA Department of Health Services/SDSU Immunization Projects

Co-instructed professional development course for bilingual (Spanish/English) health care providers in community clinics to promote timely infant immunization with monolingual Spanish-speaking patients.

EDITORIAL SERVICE

2016 Reviewer, *Transcultural Psychiatry*

2015 Reviewer, *Culture, Health and Sexuality*

2014 Reviewer, *Journal of Adolescent Health*

2013— Present Reviewer, *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*

2013 – Present Reviewer, *Addiction Science & Clinical Practice*

2011 – Present Reviewer, *International Journal of Alcohol and Drug Research*

2008 – Present Reviewer, *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*

2005 – Present Reviewer, *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*

2001 – Present Editorial Board member and reviewer, *Family & Community Health*

ONGOING RESEARCH SUPPORT

J. Keith Behner and Catherine M. Stiefel Program on Brazil, SDSU

Brazil Syndemics Research Partnership Zúñiga (Co-PI) 05/03/16-04/29/18

Establish a Research Working Group and conduct formative research to guide interventions to reduce the health and social burden of HIV-TB-Substance Use co-occurring conditions among underserved urban populations in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

H97HA27421 Zúñiga (PI, Evaluation) 08/01/14-07/31/18

Innovation in Meeting HIV-positive Patient Needs Across the Spectrum of Care: A System-Level intervention improve workforce capacity in San Diego, California

A health systems study to evaluate the efficacy of a Primary Care Medical Home model intervention to support continuity of HIV-positive patient clinical care and improve patient health outcomes in a border region.

Role: PI of Evaluation

HHS-2012-ACF-ACYF-CB-0286 Spector (PI) 10/01/12-09/30/16

Comprehensive Support Services for Families Affected by Substance Abuse and/or HIV/AIDS

A demonstration project to develop comprehensive mental health, parenting, and support services tailored to HIV-positive pregnant and parenting substance-using Latina and African American women and their children.

Role: Director of Program Evaluation

R01AT006515 Tilburt (PI) 01/05/12-06/30/17
Assessing the Patient Experience in Cancer Care: An Observational Communication Study
 Assess patient cancer care experience by observing patient/physician communication & health outcomes. Role: Co-Investigator

COMPLETED RESEARCH SUPPORT

R1R01DA035098 Pollini (PI) 01/01/13-12/31/15
OTC Syringe Sales to Prevent HIV in Underserved Areas of Inland California
 To assess the implementation of a new syringe access law, Senate Bill 41 (SB41), in the inland counties of California's Central Valley.
 Role: Co-Investigator

N°168996 Lewin Fischer (PI) 04/01/12 – 03/30/15
Consejo Nacional de Ciencia y Tecnología (CONACYT), México
Migración transnacional y salud pública. Un estudio binacional en Yucatán y California (Transnational Migration And Public Health. A Binational Study in Yucatán and California) Qualitative study of the impact of internal and external migration on the health of migrants, their families and their sending communities.
 Role: Co-Investigator

Programa de Investigación de Migración y salud Zúñiga (PI) 03/01/12-08/31/13
Health Initiative of the Americas-University of California, Research Program on Migration and Health
 Study of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Among Migrants in Yucatán, Mexico and Southern California
 Study of Mexican migrants and role of migration on drinking and substance use and mental health.

R21AT004676-01A1 Zúñiga (PI) 09/01/09-07/31/12
NIH/National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine
 Complementary & Alternative Care Behavior in HIV+ Latinos in the US-Mexico Border Region.
 A pilot study to describe complementary and alternative medicine (CAM) use among Latinos living with HIV in the San Diego/Tijuana border region; where CAM is accessed and CAM discussion with health care providers.

ID09-SD-016 Zúñiga (PI) 04/01/10-06/31/12
California HIV/AIDS Research Program (CHRP)
 HIV Care among Recently Released HIV+ Jail Inmates
 This pilot study examines barriers and facilitators to continuing HIV care among HIV+ adults recently released from jail in San Diego County.

#325128-UCSD/DIHCCM-03 Zúñiga (PI and Co-Director) 05/15/07 – 12/31/11
Hispanic-Serving Health Professions Schools
 Training program for Hispanic graduate students to provide mentored research experiences in HIV/AIDS in the San Diego-Tijuana US-Mexico Border region.

R21 MH084266-01 Zúñiga (PI) 06/01/08-05/31/11
NIH/NIMH
 Barriers to Care & Treatment Practices in HIV+ Latinos in U.S.-Mexico Border Region.
 This is a binational care utilization and access study to describe health seeking practices among HIV-positive Latinos living in the Tijuana/San Diego US-Mexico border region.

1K01 MH072353 Zúñiga (PI) 05/19/05-04/30/11
NIH/NIMH
 Behavior and Clinical Trials Participation in HIV+ Latinos.
 This study is designed to assess individual, environmental and structural barriers that may impede participation of Latino persons living with HIV in HIV clinical trials.

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Zúñiga (Co-PI)

09/01/09-08/31/10

NIH/NCI

Tobacco use disparities among Latino and non Latino White emergency department patients: Implications for a brief intervention. This is an exploratory study to identify tobacco related behaviors emergency room patients that may allow for design and development of a pilot intervention.

05-46118

Zúñiga (PI)

04/01/06 - 06/30/09

CA Dept. of Health Services

Understanding Barriers to Health Care Access for HIV+ Persons in California Who Have Never Accessed HIV Medical Care.

To identify specific barriers to HIV medical care for persons living in California who have been diagnosed as HIV-positive at least three months prior to study recruitment.

P60 MD00220-01

Daley (PI)

09/01/02-08/30/07

NIH/NCMHD

Parent Grant: San Diego EXPORT Center to reduce health disparities and improve minority representation in research

Pilot Research Project: Recruitment of Minority Populations for HIV/AIDS Clinical Research

Role: Principal Investigator of Pilot Project

H97HA01299-01-00

Mathews (PI)

09/01/03-08/31/07

HRSA

Special Projects of National Significance - Primary Prevention for Positives: An Evidence-Based Biomedical and Behavioral Intervention Strategy. Program designed to determine the efficacy of a provider and health educator-mediated HIV and STI-prevention program with persons living with HIV.

Role: Co-Investigator