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Areas of Study

Demography, Family, Life Course, Mental Health, Research Methods, and South Asian Studies

Education

Ph.D.	1990	Sociology	University of Michigan
M.A.	1988	Sociology	University of Michigan
B.A.	1986	Sociology	Cornell University
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Professional Positions

2024-2025	Interim Director, International Policy Center, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, University of Michigan
2015, 2019	Visiting Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Chicago
2015-	Professor, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, University of Michigan
2014-	Director, Program in Society, Population, and the Environment, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
1998-	Professor, Department of Sociology; Research Professor, Population Studies Center and Survey Research Center; and Faculty Member, Center for South and Southeast Asian Studies, University of Michigan
1995-	Director, Population and Ecology Research Laboratory-Nepal
2009-2014	Director, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
2009	Associate Director, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
2003-2008	Associate Director, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan
1997-1998	Professor, Department of Sociology, Pennsylvania State University
1994-1998	Senior Research Associate, Population Research Institute, Pennsylvania State University
1994-1997	Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Pennsylvania State University
1990-1994	Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology; Research Associate, Ogburn Stouffer and Population Research Centers, NORC; and Member, Committee on South Asian Studies and Committee on Demographic Training, University of Chicago

Honors and Awards

2008	Outstanding Publication Award, American Sociological Association Section on Aging and the Life Course for the book <u>Marriage and Cohabitation</u>
2002	Reuben Hill Award, National Council on Family Relations
2000-	Member, Sociological Research Association
1998-2000	Board of Directors, Population Association of America
1992	National Science Foundation Young Investigator Award
1989	Horace H. Rackham Pre-doctoral Fellowship, University of Michigan
1988	Honorable Mention, American Association for Public Opinion Research Student Paper Competition

Books

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Research Grants

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| April 2022 -
March 2027 | National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, "Family Dynamics, Fertility and Contraception, and Investments in Children across Generations," Co-Investigator. (R01 HD108176) \$3,505,492 Total Cost. |
| July 2022-
April 2027 | National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, "Michigan Research Infrastructure for Population Sciences," Development Core Lead. (P2C HD041028-21) \$2,984,590 Total Costs. |
| December 2020 -
January 2026 | National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, "The Transition from Childhood into Adulthood among PSID Children, 2021 and 2023," Co-Investigator. (R01 HD103620) \$4,945,499 Total Cost. |
| September 2021 -
August 2024 | National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, "A New Population-scale Approach for the Study of Psychological Stress in the Transition to Adulthood," Principal Investigator. (R21 HD104993) \$429,000 Total Cost. |
| April 2020 -
March 2025 | National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, "Intergenerational Influences on Marriage, Contraception, and Childbearing," Principal Investigator. (R01 HD099135) |

\$3,780,858 Total Costs.

April 2020 - March 2025	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Interdisciplinary Research Training Program for International Population Science,” Principal Investigator. (R25 HD 101358) \$810,000 Total Costs.
September 2018 - August 2023	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “A More Efficient Web-Based Approach to Collecting National Family, Fertility and Reproductive Health Data,” Co-Investigator. (R01 HD095920) \$3,150,633 Total Costs.
December 2017 - November 2021	Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, “Consortium on Data for Development,” University of Michigan Principal Investigator. \$670,261 Total Costs.
September 2017 - June 2023	National Institute of Mental Health, “Understanding the Connections among Genes, Environment, Family Processes and Mental Health,” Principal Investigator. (R01 MH110872) \$3,504,267 Total Costs.
September 2017 - August 2019	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Archiving and Documenting Child Health and Human Development Data Sets,” Principal Investigator. (R03 HD092516) \$155,583 Total Costs.
September 2017 - August 2020	Department for International Development (DFID) – Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC, UK), “Improving Learning: Developing Measures of Accountability and Evaluating their Association with Students' Gains in Achievement in Nepal,” Co-Investigator. (ES/P005551/1) \$900,102 Total Costs.
August 2017 - June 2022	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Michigan Research Infrastructure for Population Sciences,” Director of Development Core. (P2C HD041028-16) \$1,736,446 Total Costs.
December 2016 - December 2021	Planning, Development, and Special Initiatives Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, India, “Tamil Nadu Household Panel Survey,” [Position]. (G.O. (Ms.) Nos. 19 & 108) INR 39,000,000 Total Costs.
September 2016 - August 2021	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Responsive Design for Efficient Survey Data Collection: An Education Program,” Co-Investigator. (R25 HD084385-01) \$609,912 Total Costs.
September 2016 - August 2017	National Institute of Mental Health, “Understanding the Connections among Genes, Environment, Family Processes and Mental Health,” Principal Investigator. (R56 MH110872) \$819,442 Total Costs.
April 2016 - March 2021	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Intergenerational Influences on Family Formation Processes,” Principal Investigator. R01 Project 2 in “Transition to Adulthood within its Life Course & Intergenerational Family Context.” (P01 HD087155-01) \$7,859,059 Total Costs.
October 2015 - September 2016	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Testing a New Approach to Research on Genetics, Environment, Family and Mental Health,” Principal Investigator. (R56 HD085284) \$299,563 Total Costs.
October 2014 - September 2017	Department for International Development (DFID) – Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC, UK), “Labor Outmigration, Agricultural Productivity and Food Security,” Co-Investigator. (ES/L012065/1) \$882,017 Total Costs.
October 2007 -	National Science Foundation, “PIRE Collaborative Research and Training in

March 2014	Social Context, Population Processes, and Environmental Change,” Principal Investigator. (OISE 0729709) \$2,492,303 Total Costs.
July 2009 - June 2012	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Reciprocal Relations between Population and Environment,” Principal Investigator. (R01HD033551) \$1,039,836 Total Costs.
April 2008 - March 2013	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Ideational Influences on Marriage and Childbearing,” Co-Principal Investigator. (R01HD054847) \$2,925,229 Total Costs.
April 2007 - March 2012	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Intergenerational Influences on Family Formation in a Changing Social Context,” Principal Investigator. (R01HD032912) \$2,501,948 Total Costs.
April 2007 - March 2012	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Young Women's Relationships, Contraception, and Unintended Childbearing,” Co-Principal Investigator. (R01HD050329) \$2,942,745 Total Costs.
January 2001 - June 2011	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Determinants of Marriage and Childbearing Attitudes,” Co-Investigator. (R37HD39425) \$900,000 Direct Costs.
September 2007 - July 2012	National Institute on Drug Abuse, “Electronic Journal Data Collection Technologies for Interdisciplinary Research,” Principal Investigator. (R21DA024186) \$1,200,000 Total Costs.
January 2007 - July 2007	National Institutes Health, “NIH Roadmap Disparities Pilot Project.” Human Subjects Core (P30) Principal Investigator. (1P20RR020682) \$20,000 Direct Costs.
July 2001 - May 2007	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Reciprocal Relations Between Population and Environment,” Principal Investigator. (R01HD33551-06) \$1,880,920 Direct Costs.
July 2001 - June 2006	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Intergenerational Effects on Marriage and Cohabitation,” Co-Investigator. (R01HD19342-14) \$1,125,000 Direct Costs.
September 1999 - August 2004	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Changing Social Contexts and Family Formation,” Principal Investigator. (2R01HD32912-06) \$1,148,496 Direct Costs.
January 1997 - December 1999	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Intergenerational Panel Study of Mothers and Children,” Principal Investigator (in parallel with Arland Thornton). (1R01HD34279-01) \$66,307 Direct Costs.
September 1995 - August 2000	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Reciprocal Relations Between Population and Environment,” Principal Investigator. (1R01HD33551-01) \$709,868 Direct Costs.
September 1994 - June 1999	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Changing Social Contexts and Family Formation,” Principal Investigator. (1R01HD32912-01) \$920,150 Direct Costs.
July 1993 - June 1998	National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, “Influence of the Parental Family on the Well-Being of Children,” Co-Investigator. (U01HD30928-01) \$802,059 Direct Costs.

- September 1992 - August 1997 National Science Foundation Young Investigator Award, Principal Investigator. (NSF SES-9257724) \$291,500 Direct Costs.
- July 1992 - June 1995 National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, "Intergenerational Panel Study of Parents and Children," Co-Principal Investigator. (R01HD19342-08) \$943,280 Direct Costs.
- May 1990 - April 1992 Rockefeller Foundation, Research Program on Women's Status and Fertility in Developing Countries, "Social Organization, Women's Status, and the Marital Contexts of Fertility Among the Tamang of Nepal," Co-Investigator (RF 89093-265) \$59,410 Direct Costs.

Research Contracts

- December 2011 - July 2020 The National Center for Health Statistics, "National Survey of Family Growth," Deputy Director. Approximately \$48,480,128 Total Contract.
- November 2017 - September 2018 Asian Development Bank, "Training Support for the Tamil Nadu Household Panel Study (TNHPS)," Principal Investigator. \$42,137 Total Contract.
- August 2015 - December 2020 Multi-University Consortium, "National Campus Climate Survey," Principal Investigator. \$50,000 Yearly Contract.
- November 2014 - March 2015 Barbaricum and the U.S. Department of Defense, "Special Warfare Assessments for TSOC Support (SWATS)," Principal Investigator. Approximately \$110,000 Total Contract.
- December 1999 - March 2011 The National Center for Health Statistics, "National Survey of Family Growth," Deputy Director. Approximately \$38,000,000 Total Contract.

Training Grants

- September 2015-Present Private Donations, "The Albert and Charlotte Anderson Distance Learning Center," Coordinator. \$100,000 Total Costs.
- September 2017-August 2020 National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, "Children's Health and Migration," Sponsor. (F32HD093145-01) \$177,499 Direct Costs.
- August 2015-July 2017 Private Donations, "The Joint Program in Refugee Studies: Student-Supported, Research-Based Solutions for Women and Child Refugees," Coordinator. \$10,000 Total Costs.
- January 1997 - December 1999 The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, "International Demographic Research and Training for the 1990's," Principal Investigator. \$450,000 Direct Costs.
- July 1998 - June 2001 The Ford Foundation, "Development of a Human and Natural Resources Studies Center at Kathmandu University," Principal Investigator. \$60,000 Direct Costs.

Administrative Service

- 2023-2025 Member, Climate Survey Advisory Committee, University of Michigan
- 2023-2024 Member, Social Environment and Health program Search Committee, Survey Research Center
- 2023-2024 Member, Center for Inequality Dynamics Research Scientist Review Committee, Survey Research Center
- 2022-2023 Chair, Seminar Committee, Survey Research Center
- 2022 Member, Visioning Committee, Survey Research Center
- 2020-2023 Member, MGLOBE Climate Vulnerability and Health working group, University of Michigan Medicine
- 2020-2022 Member, Population Studies Center Advisory Committee, University of Michigan

2020-2021	Chair, SPE Junior Faculty Search Committee, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
2020-2021	Scientific Advisor for U-M implementation of Campus Climate Surveys of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion
2019-2023	Member, Population Dynamics and Health Program Steering Committee, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan
2018-2019	Scientific Advisor for U-M implementation of AAU Campus Climate Survey on Sexual Misconduct
2017-2019	Member, Population Studies Center Advisory Committee, University of Michigan
2017	Chair, ICPSR Promotion Review Committee, University of Michigan
2016-2017	Member, Research Assistant Professor Search Committee, Survey Research Center, Univ. of Michigan
2016-2017	Director, Campus Climate Survey on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, University of Michigan
2015-	Member, Faculty Advisory Committee on Campus Climate Survey on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion, University of Michigan
2015-2018	Member, Policy Committee, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
2015-2016	Member, Faculty Advisory Committee on Student Sexual Misconduct Policy, Univ. of Michigan
2015-2016	Chair, ICPSR Situational Review and Director Search Committee, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
2014-	Director, Program in Society, Population and Environment, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
2014-	Member, International Steering Committee, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
2014-2015	Director, Campus Climate Survey on Sexual Assault, University of Michigan
2014-2015	Member, Finance Committee, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan
2013	Delegate, Mary Sue Coleman's Delegation for Presidential India Trip 2013
2012-2014	Member, India Strategy Committee (UM Provost's office)
2009-2014	Director, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
2009-2010	Member, Building Fund Committee, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
2009	Associate Director, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
2008-2009	Faculty Leader of the Mixed Mode Sample Management System Development, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
2007-2009	Coordinator of SRC Self Study, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
2006-2009	Board of Principle Investigators, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
2006-2009	Task Force on Increasing International Activity, Survey Research Center, UM
2003-2008	Chair, Training Committee, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan
2003-2008	Associate Director, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan
2001-2008	Advisory Committee, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan
2007	Chair, Assistant Director Search Committee, Institute for Social Research, Univ. of Michigan
2007	Committee for the Administration of Graduate Affairs, Department of Sociology, Univ. of Michigan
2007	Rackham Pre-doctoral Fellowship Review Committee, Department of Sociology, Univ. of Michigan
2007	Rackham Interdisciplinary Task Force, University of Michigan
2006-2007	Lecturer Review Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
2005-2006	Admissions Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
2004-2005	ISR Director Search Committee, Office of the Provost
2003-2004	Policy Committee, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
2004	Task Force on Facilities Management, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
2002-2003	Chair, Social Demography Area Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan

1999-2003	Committee for the Administration of Graduate Affairs, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
2002-2003	Member, Life Course Area Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
2001-2003	Senior Staff Advisory Committee, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
1999-2001	Survey Operations and Methodology Advisory Committee, Survey Research Center, University of Michigan (Chair, 2000-2001)
1999-2000	Admissions Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
1998-2000	Advisory Committee, Population Studies Center, University of Michigan
1998-1999	Member, Committee on Curriculum and Educational Policy, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
2000	Assistant Director Search Committee, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
1999-2000	Associate Director of the Graduate Program, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
1999-2000	Joint Program Oversight Committee, School of Social Work and Department of Sociology, University of Michigan
1999-2000	Survey Methodology Program Search Committee (Chair), Survey Research Center, University of Michigan
1998-2000	Policy Committee, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan
1996-1997	Graduate Committee, Department of Sociology, Pennsylvania State University
1996	Planning Committee, Department of Sociology, Pennsylvania State University
1995-1998	Advisory Board, Population Research Institute, Pennsylvania State University (Also special advisor to Administrative Core and Geographic Information Analysis Core)
1995-1998	Principal Investigator, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Funded Training Program in International Demography, Population Research Institute, Pennsylvania State University
1995-1996	Senior Level Recruitment Committee (Co-Chair), Department of Sociology, Pennsylvania State University
1994-1995	Junior Level Recruitment Committee and Senior Level Demography Recruitment Committee, Department of Sociology, Pennsylvania State University
1993-1994	Examinations Committee, Methodology Committee, and Student Relations, Department of Sociology, University of Chicago
1992-1993	Methodology Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Chicago
1991-1992	Placement Committee (Chair) and Administrative Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Chicago
1990-1991	Admissions Committee and Personnel Committee, Department of Sociology, University of Chicago
1988-1990	Graduate Subcommittee of the Committee on Educational Policy, Department of Sociology, University of Michigan

Professional Service

National Institutes of Health

2023-2028	Member, CHHD-W Population Sciences Study Section
2020	Member, Emotional Well-Being: High Priority Research Networks SEP Study Section
2019, 2020-23	Member, NIH Loan Repayment Program Reviewer
2018	Chair, Population Science and Epidemiology Study Section
2017	Member, Special Emphasis Panel: NICHD Training Grant (T32) Applications
2017	Chair, Special Emphasis Panel, Population and Environment (ZHD1 DSR W 02)
2017	Member, Behavioral Genetics and Epidemiology Study Section (BGES)
2013-15	Member, NIH Loan Repayment Program Reviewer
2011-2013	Member, Special Emphasis Panel, National Institutes of Health

- 2007 Member, Special Emphasis Panel, National Institutes of Health
- 2007 Member, Population Research Infrastructure Program Review Committee, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
- 2006 Chair, Special Emphasis Panel, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
- 2005 Chair, Special Emphasis Panel, Center for Scientific Review
- 2004 Chair, Special Emphasis Panel, Center for Scientific Review
- 1998-2003 Member, Social Sciences and Population Study Section (SNEM 3)
- 1997 Temporary Member, Social Sciences and Population Study Section

National Science Foundation

- 2013 Reviewer, National Science Foundation: Catalyzing New International Collaborations
- 1993 Reviewer, National Science Foundation: Cultural Anthropology

Advisory Boards/Panels

Active

- Advisory Board, Netherlands Interdisciplinary Demographic Institute, Generations and Gender Programme (European Panel Studies of Family, Fertility and related topics), Member
- Scientific Advisory Board, Institute for Social and Environmental Research – Nepal, Member
- World Mental Health survey consortium, WHO and Harvard University, Member

Previous

- 2014-2018 Child Health Advances from Research with Mothers (CHARM)
- 2015 United Nations Population Division
- 2006-2009 National Survey of Adolescent Males
- 2006-2007 Social Science External Advisory Committee, Cornell University
- 1994-1997 National Survey of Family Growth

Population Association of America

- 2023-2025 Member, Irene B Taeuber Award Committee
- 2013 Program Organizer, “Advances in Measurement and Methodology in Population, Development, and Environment”
- 2012 Member, Special Delegation of the Population Association of America to advise NICHD on the design of the National Children’s Study
- 2011 Program Organizer, Population Association of America Annual Meeting - Program Committee
- 2010-2012 Early Achievement Award Committee, Population Association of America Annual Meeting
- 2007-2008 Chair, Nomination Committee
- 2002 Program Organizer, Population Association of America Annual Meeting - Program Committee
- 2001 Program Organizer, Population Association of America Annual Meeting - Program Committee
- 1998-2000 Board of Directors
- 1994-1997 Dorothy Thomas Award Committee
- 1993, 1997 IUSSP Travel Award Committee
- 1994 Program Organizer, Population Association of America Annual Meeting - Marriage and Divorce

American Sociological Association

- 2013 Program Organizer, “Methodologies, Integrating Qualitative and Quantitative,” Methodology Section
- 2013 Nominations Committee, Methodology Section of the American Sociological Association
- 2006 Program Organizer, “Comparative and Historical Perspectives on Family Change,” Family Section

- 2006 Program Organizer, “New Results from the National Survey of Family Growth, Cycle 6,” Population Section
- 1999-2001 Member, Council of the Population Section
- 1998 Program Organizer, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting - Intergenerational Family Relationships and Support
- 1995 Nomination Committee, Population Section of the American Sociological Association

National Council on Family Relations

- 2004-2006 Member, Rueben Hill Award Committee

Professional Journals

Guest Editor, International Journal of Sociology, Special Issue 2014

Consulting Editor, American Journal of Sociology 1996-1998

Associate Editor, American Journal of Sociology 1994

Editorial Board, Demography 2008-2010; Sociological Methodology 2002-2006; American Journal of Sociology 1990-1994

Occasional Reviewer

American Journal of Public Health; American Journal of Sociology; American Sociological Review; Demography; International Journal of Methods in Psychiatric Research; Journal of Marriage and the Family; Journal of Research on Aging; Himalaya; Population Development and Review; Population Policy and Research Review; Psychological Medicine; Rural Sociology; Social Forces; Social Science Research; Council; Sociological Methodology; Sociological Methods and Research; Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology; International Journal of Methods in Psychiatric Research

Other

- 1999-2001 Member, Oversight Committee, International Pre-dissertation Fellowship Program, Social Science Research Council
- 1997 Member, Social Science Research Council - International Pre-dissertation Fellowship Program Screening Panel
- 1993 Member, Social Science Research Council - International Pre-dissertation Fellowship Program Fellows' Conference Speaker (Survey Methods)

Teaching Experience

Courses

Global Family Change (graduate/undergraduate)

Combining Qualitative and Quantitative Methods (graduate)

Demography of the Life Course (graduate)

Field Research in Nepal (graduate)

Introduction to the Logics & Strategies of Sociological Research (graduate)

Introduction to Population (undergraduate)

Marriage and Family (undergraduate)

Introductory Social Science (undergraduate)

Social Demography/Population Studies (graduate)

Research Design and Data Collection Methods (graduate)

Sociology of Human Fertility (graduate)

Demographic Approaches to Sociological Analysis (graduate)

Short Courses

Mixed Methods Research Design and Data Collection

Responsive Survey Design workshops

Presentations before Professional Audiences

Axinn, William G. and Stephanie Chardoul. 2024. “A Two-Year, Frequent Interview, Longitudinal Web Survey

- of Young Adults in Nepal: Mixed Mode Responsive Survey Design to Reduce Selection Bias.” World Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Meeting, July 28-31, Seoul, Korea.
- Axinn, William G., Stephanie Chardoul, and Tetiana Skrypchenko. 2024. “New Longitudinal Mixed Mode Responsive Survey Designs to Study the Health and Wellbeing of Children Experiencing Armed Conflict: Ukrainian Families Across Multiple Settings.” World Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Meeting, July 28-31, Seoul, Korea.
- Axinn, William G. and Stephanie Chardoul. 2023. “Mixed Mode Responsive Survey Design to Reduce Selection Bias: A Young Adult Longitudinal Study of Sex, Contraception, and Substance Use in Nepal.” World Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Meeting, September 17-21, Salzburg, Austria.
- Axinn, William G., Laura D. Lindberg, and Brady T. West. 2023. “Pandemic Changes in U.S. Contraceptive Use: Nationally Representative Fertility Measures and Contraceptive Use Calendars.” Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 12-15, New Orleans, LA.
- Axinn, William G., Brady T. West, and Heather M. Schroeder. 2023. “Forced Intercourse in America: A Pandemic Update.” Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 12-15, New Orleans, LA.
- Axinn, William G. and Stephanie Chardoul. 2021. “Using Life History Calendars to Improve Measurement of Lifetime Experience with Trauma and Psychiatric Disorders.” Seminar Series on Data Collection Methodology, NCAER National Data Innovation Centre, August 25, New Delhi, India.
- Axinn, William G. and Stephanie Chardoul. 2019. “CAPI, Web-based Survey Management, and Interviewing Quality Control: Illustrations from Nepal.” Expert Group Meeting Presentation at Population Data for the 21st Century: Advances in Data Collection Methodologies, International Union for the Scientific Study of Population and the United Nations Fund for Population Activities, December 4-6, New York, NY.
- Axinn, William G. 2019. “Implementing and Using the Chitwan Valley Family Study.” International Seminar on Twenty-five Years of National Family Health Survey (NFHS) in India: Lessons Learnt and Way Forward, October 18-19, New Delhi, India.
- Axinn, William G. 2018. “The Next Generation of Campus Climate Surveys.” Speech at Ending Gender-Based Violence, May 3-5, Ann Arbor, MI.
- Axinn, William G., Mira D. Vale, and Sarah Bruaner-Otto. 2018. “Using Campus Climate Survey Data to Improve Programs to Reduce Sexual Misconduct.” Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 26-28, Denver, CO.
- Prem Bhandari, William G. Axinn, Dirgha Ghimire, and Rebecca Thornton. 2018. “Community Context, Migration, and Women’s Participation in Agriculture.” Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 26-28, Denver, CO.
- Ghimire, Dirgha J., William G. Axinn, and Prem Bhandari. 2017. “Social Change, Out-Migration, and Exit from Agriculture.” Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 27-29, Chicago, IL.
- Ghimire, Dirgha J. and William G. Axinn. 2013. “Impact of the Spread of Mass Education on Domestic Violence against Wives.” International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, August 26-31, Busan, Republic of Korea.
- Axinn, William G., Sarah R. Brauner-Otto, and Dirgha J. Ghimire. 2012. “Parents’ Emotional Bond and Children’s Marriage Timing.” Population Association of America Annual Meeting, May 3-5, San Francisco, CA.
- Zapata, Mya, Lisa Harris, Heather H. Gatny, William G. Axinn, and Mick Couper. 2011. “Comparison of a Reproductive Health Clinic Sample to a General Population Sample”. Poster presented at the North

American Forum on Family Planning, October 22-24, Washington, D.C.

- Axinn, William G., Cynthia M. Link, and Robert Groves. 2009. "Responsive Survey Design, Demographic Data Collection, and Models of Demographic Behavior". Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 29-May 2, Detroit, MI.
- Ghimire, Dirgha J. and William G. Axinn. 2009. "Population and Biodiversity in Natural Resources-Dependent Community." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 29-May 2, Detroit, MI.
- Pearce, Lisa D., Axinn, William G. Axinn, and Indra Chaudhary. 2009. "Elaborating Links between Population Dynamics and Environmental Consumption through a Mixed Method Approach." Research Center for Eco-Environmental Sciences, May, Chinese Academy of Sciences.
- Axinn, William G., Heather Gatny, Dirgha Ghimire, Stephanie Chardoul, and Jennifer Barber. 2008. "Techniques for Creating a Continuous Record of Relationships, Contraception and Pregnancy: Examples from Radically Different Social and Survey Research Settings". International Conference on Survey Methods in Multinational, Multiregional, and Multicultural Contexts, June 25-28, Berlin, Germany.
- Axinn, William G. and Dirgha J. Ghimire. 2008. "Data Collection Operations and Survey Data Quality Before, During and After Armed Conflict". International Conference on Survey Methods in Multinational, Multiregional, and Multicultural Contexts, June 25-28, Berlin, Germany.
- Ghimire, Dirgha J. and William G. Axinn. 2008. "Social Change, Community Context, Wives and Husbands' Experiences and Domestic Violence Against Wives." Paper presented at Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 17-19, New Orleans, LA.
- Massey, Douglas S., William G. Axinn, and Dirgha J. Ghimire. 2006. "Environmental Change and Out Migration: Evidence from Nepal." Paper presented at the Meeting of the Ecological Society of America, January 8-12, Merida, Mexico.
- Sarah Brauner, William G. Axinn, and Dirgha J. Ghimire. 2004. "Social Change, Health Services, and Fertility Transition." Paper presented at American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, August 14-17, San Francisco, CA.
- Axinn, William G., Linda Young-DeMarco, and Mee-So Caponi. 2003. "The Gender Double Standard and Parents' Attitudes Toward Family Formation." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the National Council on Family Relations, November, Vancouver, BC.
- Barber, Jennifer S. and William G. Axinn. 2003. "How Do Attitudes Shape Childbearing in the United States?" National Symposium on Creating the Next Generation: Social, Economic, and Psychological Processes Underlying Fertility in Developed Countries, October, The Pennsylvania State University.
- Pearce, Lisa D, William G. Axinn, and Indra Chuadary. 2003. "Turning Influential Data Points into Ethnographic Informants: Elaborating Links between Population Dynamics and Environmental Consumption." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, May 1-3, Minneapolis, MN.
- Axinn, William G. and Jennifer S. Barber. 2002. "Population and Land Use: A Sociological Perspective." Paper presented at the Human Actions and Land Use/Land Cover Change conference, East-West Center, University of Hawaii, Honolulu, January 2-9, Honolulu, HA.
- Axinn, William G. and Dirgha J. Ghimire. 2002. "Population and Environment: The Impact of Fertility on Land Use in an Agricultural Society." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, May 9-11, Atlanta, GA.
- Yabiku, Scott, William G. Axinn, Dirgha J. Ghimire, and Keith Robinson. 2002. "School Quality and Marriage Timing." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, May 9-11, Atlanta, GA.

- Beutel, Ann M. and William G. Axinn. 2001. "Social Change, Gender, and Educational Attainment." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, March 29-31, Washington, D.C.
- Ghimire, Dirgha J. and William G. Axinn. 2001. "Premarital Independence and Spouse Choice in an Arranged Marriage Society." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, March 29-31, Washington, D.C.
- Axinn, William G., Jennifer S. Barber, and Ann E. Biddlecom. 2000. "Social Change, Family Size, and Environmental Consumption." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, March 23-25, Los Angeles, CA.
- Barber, Jennifer S., William G. Axinn, and Arland Thornton. 2000. "The Impact of Attitudes on Family Formation Processes." Presented at the Values Orientations and Life Cycle Decisions conference, Belgian Royal Academy of Sciences, September 4-5, Brussels, Belgium.
- Barber, Jennifer S., Ann E. Biddlecom, and William G. Axinn. 2000. "Neighborhood Change and Environmental Quality." American Sociological Association of America Annual Meeting, August 12-16, Washington, D.C.
- Biddlecom, Ann E., William G. Axinn, and Jennifer S. Barber. 2000. "Environmental Effects on Reproductive Preferences." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, March 23-25, Los Angeles, CA.
- Pienta, A., Jennifer S. Barber and William G. Axinn. 2000. "Social Change and Living Arrangements Among the Elderly." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, March 23-25, Los Angeles, CA.
- Axinn, William G. and Jennifer S. Barber. 1999. "Mass Education and Fertility Limitation." Presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, March 25-27, New York.
- Axinn, William G. and Scott T. Yabiku. 1999. "Community Change, the Social Organization of Families and Fertility Limitation." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, March 25-27, New York.
- Axinn, William G. and Arland Thornton. 1998. "The Transformation in the Meaning of Marriage." Paper presented at the NICHD-sponsored Ties that Bind conference June 29-30, Bethesda, MD.
- Axinn, William G., Arland Thornton, Lishou Yang, Linda Young-DeMarco, and Yu Xie. 1998. "Mother's Reports of Children's Family Formation Behavior." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 1-4, Chicago.
- Axinn, William G., Jennifer S. Barber, and Arland Thornton. 1997. "Values and Beliefs as Determinants of Outcomes in Children's Lives." Paper presented at the National Symposium on Transitions to Adulthood in a Changing Economy, October 30-31, The Pennsylvania State University.
- Barber, Jennifer S., William G. Axinn, and Arland Thornton. 1997. "Unwanted Childbearing and Mother-Child Relationships." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, March 27-29, Washington, D.C.
- Shivakoti, Ganesh P., William G. Axinn, Prem Bhandari, and Netra Chhetri. 1997. "The Impact of Community Context on Land Use in an Agricultural Society." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, March 27-29, Washington, D.C.
- Axinn, William G., Jennifer S. Barber, and Dirgha J. Ghimire. 1996. "The Neighborhood History Calendar: A Data Collection Method Designed for Dynamic Multilevel Modeling." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, May 9-11, New Orleans, LA.
- Barber, Jennifer S. and William G. Axinn. 1996. "Gender Differences in the Impact of Parental Pressure for Grandchildren on Young People's Entry into Cohabitation and Marriage." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, May 9-11, New Orleans, LA.

- Axinn, William G. 1995. "Cohabitation, Non-Family Living and Family Formation Values: Social Interaction and New Experiences." Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 6-8, San Francisco, CA.
- Axinn, William G., Greg J. Duncan, and Arland Thornton. 1995. "The Effects of Parental Income, Wealth and Attitudes on Children's Completed Schooling and Self-Esteem." Paper presented at the conference "Consequences of Growing Up Poor." Sponsored by the NICHD Family and Child Wellbeing Network and The Russell Sage Foundation, Feb. 2-3, Washington, D.C.
- Barber, Jennifer S. and William G. Axinn. 1995. "Gender-Role Attitudes and Preferences for Careers: Influences on Marriage and Cohabitation." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 6-8, San Francisco, CA.
- Barber, Jennifer S., William G. Axinn, Ganesh P. Shivakoti, and Kishor Gajurel. 1995. "Sampling Strategies for Less Developed Countries: A Detailed Example from Rural Nepal." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, April 6-8, San Francisco, CA.
- Axinn, William G. and Arland Thornton. 1994. "The Influence of Parents' Marital Dissolutions on Children's Family Formation Attitudes." Paper presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, August 3-8, Los Angeles, CA.
- Thornton, A., William G. Axinn, and Jay Teachman. 1994. "The Influence of Educational Experiences on Cohabitation and Marriage in Early Adulthood." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting.
- Axinn, William G. 1993. "Qualitative vs. Quantitative Approaches: Is this Distinction Useful?" Paper presented at the Population Research Institute workshop on "Qualitative Approaches for Demographic Research," July 22-23, The Pennsylvania State University.
- Axinn, William G. and Arland Thornton. 1992. "The Intergenerational Reciprocal Relationships Between Cohabitation Attitudes and Cohabitation and Marriage Behavior." Paper presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting.
- Fricke, T. E., William G. Axinn, and Arland Thornton. 1992. "Going Home Again: Inter-Familial Relations, Marriage and Women's Contact with Their Natal Families in Two Nepali Communities." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting.
- Axinn, William G. and Tom Fricke. 1991. "Women's Social Support and Demand for Children: Changing Familial Contexts of Fertility Decisions." Population Association of America Annual Meeting.
- Axinn, William G. 1990. "Social Change, Family Organization and the Onset of Fertility Decline: Tests of a Theoretical Model Among the Tamang of Nepal." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting.
- Axinn, William G. and Tom Fricke. 1990. "The Micro Demographic Community-Study Approach: Improving Survey Data by Integrating the Ethnographic Method." Invited paper to the American Statistical Association's International Conference on Measurement Errors in Surveys.
- Axinn, William G. 1989. "The Influence of Interviewer Gender on Responses to Sensitive Questions in Less Developed Settings: Evidence from Nepal." Paper presented at the American Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Meeting.
- Axinn, William G. and Arland Thornton. 1989. "The Influence of Parental Resources on the Timing of the Transition to Marriage." Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting.
- Thornton, Arland and William G. Axinn. 1989. "Changing Patterns of Marital Formation and Dissolution in the

United States: Demographic Implications.” Invited paper presented at the meeting of the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population.

Axinn, William G. 1988. “The Influence of Interviewer Characteristics on the Quality of Survey Data in Less Developed Settings: Experimental Evidence from Nepal.” Paper presented to the American Association for Public Opinion Research meeting.

Languages

Nepalese: Excellent

Hindi: Fair

Personal

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