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Mission Statement

The mission of the University of Michigan's Population Studies Center is to foster and support innovative interdisciplinary research and training in demography; to help energize and diversify the field of population studies; and to enhance insight and policy on population issues via broad dissemination of research findings.

**Number of Faculty
Affiliates: 90**

Departmental Affiliations

- American Culture
- Anthropology
- Economics
- Epidemiology
- Health Behavior and Health Education
- Health Management and Policy
- History
- Institute of Gerontology
- Information Sciences
- Internal Medicine
- Law
- Nursing
- Nutritional Sciences
- Obstetrics and Gynecology
- Psychology
- Public Policy
- School of Business
- School of Environment and Sustainability
- Social Work
- Sociology
- Statistics
- Survey Methodology

Key Areas of Research

- **Family and Intergenerational Influence on Health and Well-being**
- **Reproductive Health, Fertility, and Romantic Relationships**
- **Population Health, the Life Course, and Biosocial Processes**

Domestic Research Projects

- ACL-LIFE—Life History Interview and Validation
- Covid-19 Effects on Children and Families
- Criminal Justice Administrative Records System (CJARS)
- DNA Methylation, Genetics, and Modifiable Risk Factors of Dementia
- Dynamics of Intimate Relationships and Their Dissolution During Young Adulthood
- Economic Distress and Growing Educational Disparities in Life Expectancy: Weathering, High Effort Coping, and Despair
- Effects of Social Mobility on Individual Well-being, Attitudes, and Behavior
- Health and Retirement Study
- Historic Violence and Contemporary Racial Disparities in Birth Outcomes
- Impact of Relationship Factors on Physical and Psychological Health and Well-being
- Monitoring the Future
- Panel Study of Income Dynamics
- Partner Violence in Transgender Populations: Context, Risk, and Health Impact
- RacismLab
- Sexual Orientation, Discrimination, and Health Disparities

International Research Projects

- Understanding the Connections Among Genes, Environment, Family Processes, and Mental Health (Nepal)
- Intergenerational Influences on Marriage, Contraception, and Childbearing (Nepal)
- Tamil Nadu Household Panel Study (India)
- COVID-19: Accelerating Changes in Norms About Social Distancing to Combat COVID-19 (Mozambique)
- Expansion of Noncommunicable Disease Research Capacity in Thailand With Outreach to Indonesia
- Energy Transition and Environmental Change in East and Southern Africa's Coupled Human, Terrestrial, and Atmospheric Systems (Malawi)
- Migration, Family Context, and Child Health (Nepal)
- HIV Prevention and Care for Couples in South Africa

Regional Research Projects

- Enhancing Energy Assistance in Michigan
- Fair Housing in the Midst of the COVID-19 Pandemic and the Impact on Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers, Employment, and Migrant Housing Labor Camps
- Social Determinants of COVID-19 in Ford Employees in Southeastern Michigan: A Longitudinal Study
- Curation, Linkage, and Dissemination of the Flint Registry
- The Effects of Unintended Pregnancy on Children
- Detroit Metropolitan Area Communities Study

Research to Policy

- Detroit Metro Areas Community Study (DMACS): Reliable source for timely and relevant public opinion data in a changing Detroit.
- Criminal Justice Administrative Records System (CJARS): Program aims to transform criminal justice research nationwide.
- PSC Brown Bag Series: Relevant presentations from the past year—“Is the Phone Mightier Than the Virus? Cell Phone Access and Epidemic Containment Efforts” and “Science Communications in a Social Media Crisis: Lessons Learned from Dear Pandemic.”

Organizational Collaborations

- Brookings Institution Dubai Cares
- Emory University
- Innovations for Poverty Action (IPA)
- Korea Institute of Science and Technology (KIST)
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- Michigan State University
- New York University
- Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI)
- Princeton University
- Rutgers University
- State of Michigan
- Syracuse University
- University of California, Davis
- University of California, Los Angeles
- University of Chicago
- University of Minnesota
- University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- Washington Center for Equitable Growth

In the News

- [“What’s Behind the Falling U.S. birthrate?”](#) *Michigan News*, P Smock, May 13, 2021.
- [“Expanding Medicaid to Holdout States Could Add Jobs Beyond Health Care,”](#) *Marketplace*, H Levy, May 21, 2021.
- [“Why Widespread Health Woes Could Follow From Pandemic-Driven Job Losses,”](#) *The Conversation*, J Brand and S Burgard, May 25, 2021.
- [“Stimulus Checks Substantially Reduced Hardship, Study Shows,”](#) *New York Times*, L Shaefer, June 2, 2021.
- [“California Once Forcibly Sterilized People by the Thousands. Now the Victims May Get Reparations,”](#) *Washington Post*, A M Stern, July 9, 2021.
- [“Contraceptive Access May Not Be as Life-Changing for the World’s Poorest Women as Previously Thought, According to a New Study,”](#) *Time*, D Lam, July 13, 2021.
- [“Concern About Safety Is Main Reason Many Detroiters Are Not Getting Vaccinated, U-M Survey Finds,”](#) *Michigan News*, J Morenoff, July 22, 2021.
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- [“There’s No Evidence COVID-19 Vaccines Hurt Fertility. Here’s What’s Fueling the Myth,”](#) *PBS News Hour*, A M Stern, September 16, 2021.
- [“Share of Michiganders Living in Poverty Falls in 2020, Largely Due to Aid,”](#) *Michigan Radio*, K Seefeldt, September 21, 2021.

Funding Sources

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- Alfred P. Sloan Foundation
- Annie E. Casey Foundation
- Arnold Ventures
- Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
- Carnegie Corporation of New York
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
- Inter-agency Network for Education in Emergencies (INEE)
- Hewlett Foundation
- Jacobs Foundation
- Mellon Foundation
- National Institutes of Health
- National Science Foundation
- Retirement Research Foundation
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
- Russell Sage Foundation
- Skillman Foundation
- Social Security Administration
- UK Department for International Development (DFID)
- U.S. Agency for International Development
- U.S. Bureau of the Census
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- U.S. Department of Justice

Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research

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Mission Statement

ICPSR advances and expands social and behavioral research, acting as a global leader in data stewardship and providing rich data resources and responsive educational opportunities for present and future generations.

Number of Faculty Affiliates: 16

Departmental Affiliations

- Population Studies Center
- School of Information
- Stephen M. Ross School of Business
- Survey Research Center
- U-M Library

Key Areas of Research

- **Best Practices for Preservation and Dissemination of Research Data**
- **Techniques for the Effective Protection of Confidentiality**
- **Tiered Access Modalities for Restricted Data, Including Physical and Virtual Enclaves, Online Application and Analysis, and Training for Restricted Access Data**
- **Dissemination of Multiple Types of Data, Including EEG, GIS, Qualitative and Video**
- **Life Course Research on Substance Use, Crime, and Violence**
- **Data Recovery and Harmonization**
- **Record Linkage**
- **Aging and Biodemography**
- **Historical Demography**

Domestic Research Projects

- Archive of Data on Disability to Enable Policy and Research (ADDEP)
- Child and Family Data Archive
- Civic Learning, Engagement, and Action Data Sharing (CivicLEADS)
- College and Beyond II: Outcomes of a Liberal Arts Education
- COVID-19 Data Repository
- DataLumos, a Crowd-Sourced Archive for Valuable Government Data Resources
- Data Sharing for Demographic Research
- Decennial Census Digitization and Linkage Project
- Firearm Safety Among Children and Teens Consortium
- Health and Medical Care Archive (HMCA)
- LinkageLibrary: An Interdisciplinary Community and Repository for Record Linkage Projects
- National Addiction & HIV Data Archive Program
- National Archive of Computerized Data on Aging
- National Archive of Criminal Justice Data
- National Archive of Data on Arts and Culture (NADAC)
- New Methods to Support Census Bureau Record Linkage
- Registry of Efficacy and Effectiveness Studies (REES)
- Researcher Credentialing for Restricted Data Access (Researcher Passport)
- ResearchDataGov
- Social, Behavioral, and Economic COVID-19 Consortium Coordinating Center

Research to Policy

- The ICPSR Bibliography of Data-Related Literature is a searchable database that includes 100,000+ ways in which ICPSR data are used to provide insights to inform policy.

Organizational Collaborations

- American Educational Research Association
- Association of American Geographers
- Consortium of European Social Science Data Archives (CESSDA)
- Economic History Association
- Fenway Institute
- Harvard University
- Michigan State University
- NSD-Norwegian Centre for Research Data, Ltd.
- Qualitative Data Repository, Syracuse University
- Society for Research on Educational Effectiveness
- Washington University School of Medicine
- Westat, Inc.

In the News

- [“ICPSR Is the New Official Home of International Love Data Week!”](#) ICPSR, January 21, 2021.
- [“\\$38M NSF Data Infrastructure Initiative Will Improve Access to Social and Behavioral Research,”](#) *Michigan News*, M Sherburne, February 4, 2022.
- [“U-M Team Examines Liberal Arts Impact on Students’ Lives a Decade After Graduation,”](#) *University of Michigan News*, June 7, 2021.
- [“ICPSR to Collaborate With Census Bureau to Improve Record Linkage,”](#) *ICPSR*, October 28, 2021.

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- Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Community Living
- Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC)
- National Endowment for the Arts
- National Human Genome Research Institute
- National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases
- National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
- National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Disease
- National Institute of Justice, DOJ
- National Institute on Aging
- National Institute on Drug Abuse
- National Science Foundation
- Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, DOJ
- Office of Planning, Research, and Evaluation, Administration for Children and Families, DHHS
- Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
- U.S. Census Bureau
- U.S. Department of Defense, Department of Army