Ying Huang

Curriculum Vitae
Associate Professor
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EDUCATION

University at Albany, State University of New York

Ph.D. in Sociology and Certificate in Demography

Columbia, MO

Master of Public Policy

University of Missouri

Columbia, MO

Albany, NY

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Southwest University of Political Science and Law

Bachelor of Laws

Chongqing, China 2010

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

09/2024—present

Associate Professor, Department of Sociology and Demography, UTSA

08/2018-08/2024

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Demography, UTSA

12/2022—present

Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Sociology and Demography, UTSA

06/2022—present

Associate Editor, Population Research and Policy Review

FACULTY AFFILIATE

2024—present	Affiliated Faculty, Center on Ageing and Population Sciences
2021—present	Affiliated Faculty, Population Research Center, University of Texas at Austin

2020—present Affiliated Faculty, Institute for Health Disparities Research, UTSA

2019—present Affiliated Faculty, Center for Community Based and Applied Health Research, UTSA

RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES (* = student co-author; † = corresponding author when not first author)

Peer-reviewed articles

2025 **Huang, Ying**, and Scott South. "Parental Socioeconomic Status and Offspring Neighborhood Attainment: Pathways through Middle Adulthood." *Social Science Research*

- doi:10.1016/j.ssresearch.2025.103158
- 2025 Cheng, Jingjing* and **Ying Huang**†. "Housing cost burden and health of migrants in China—heterogenous effects by city-level housing price growth" *Population Research and Policy Review*, 44 (35). doi:10.1007/s11113-025-09959-x
- 2025 Lin, Zhiyong, Haoshu Duan, Jianfeng He*, and Ying Huang. "Caring for Parents/In-Laws and Cognitive Functioning of Adult Children in China." *Journal of Family and Marriage*, doi:10.1111/jomf.13117
- 2024 **Huang, Ying**. "Income Loss and Mental Health During the COVID-19 Pandemic in the United States—Investigating the Moderating Role of Race and Metro-level Co-ethnic Density." *Journal of Urban Health* doi: 10.1007/s11524-024-00826-2
- Huang, Ying, and Johnelle Sparks. "Longitudinal Exposure to Neighborhood Obesity Risk in Emerging Adulthood." *Social Science Research* 111:1-12. doi:10.1016/j.ssresearch.2022.102796.
- 2022a South, Scott J., Ying Huang, Amy Spring. "Proximate Sources of Growth in Neighborhood Income Segregation: Class-selective Migration versus In Situ Change." Social Science Research 101: 102624. doi:10.1016/j.ssresearch.2021.102624
- 2022b Camerino I Salazar* and **Ying Huang**. "The Burden of Opioid-Related Mortality in Texas, 1999 to 2019." *Annals of Epidemiology* 65:72-77. doi: 10.1016/j.annepidem.2021.09.004.
- 2021a **Huang, Ying**, Han Liu*, Muntasir Masum*. "Adverse Childhood Experiences and Physical and Mental Health of Adults: Assessing the Mediating Role of Cumulative Life-course Poverty." *American Journal of Health Promotion* 35(5): 637-647. doi:10.1177/0890117120982407.
- 2021b **Huang, Ying,** Colleen M. Heflin, and Asiya Validova*. "Material Hardship, Stress, and Health in Young Adulthood." *Annals of Epidemiology* 53(1): 69-75. doi:10.1016/j.annepidem.2020.08.017.
- 2021c Cano, Manuel, **Ying Huang.** "Overdose Deaths Involving Psychostimulants with Abuse Potential, Excluding Cocaine: State-level Differences and the Role of Opioids." *Drug & Alcohol Dependence* 218(1): 108384. doi:10.1016/j.drugalcdep.2020.108384.
- 2021d Huang, Ying, Scott South, Amy Spring, and Kyle Crowder. "Life-Course Exposure to Neighborhood Poverty and Migration Between Poor and Nonpoor Neighborhoods." Population Research and Policy Review 40: 401–429. doi:10.1007/s11113-020-09580-0.
- 2020a **Huang, Ying,** Jairemy Edwards*, and Marissa Laurel-Wilson*. "The Shadow of Context: Neighborhood and School Socioeconomic Disadvantage, Perceived Social Support, and the Mental and Behavioral Health of Adolescents." *Health & Place* 66: 102425. doi:10.1016/j.healthplace.2020.102425.
- 2020b **Huang, Ying**, Wenli Liu*, Yue Zhuo, and Xiaoyue Sun. "Social Welfare Participation and Settlement Intentions of the Floating Population in China." *Population, Space, and Place* 26(8):e2366. doi:10.1002/psp.2366.
- 2020c **Huang, Ying**. "Grandparents' Wealth and Grandchild's Body Mass Index Trajectories." *PLoS One* 15(4):e0232491. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0232491.

- 2019a Strully, Kate, Robert Bozick, **Ying Huang**, Lane F. Burgette. "Employer Verification Mandates and Infant Health." *Population Research and Policy Review*, 39(6):1143-1184. doi: 10.1007/s11113-019-09545-y.
- 2019b Sun, Xiaoyue, Qian Wen Xie, **Ying Huang**, Patrick Ip. "Quality of Life of Rural-Urban Migrant Children in China: A Cross-Sectional Study." *British Journal of Social Work*, 49(5):1124-1143. doi:10.1093/bjsw/bcy095.
- 2018a **Huang, Ying**, Scott J. South, Amy Spring, and Kyle Crowder. "A Decomposition of Trends in Blacks and Whites Exposure to Other-Race Neighbors, 2001-2011." *City & Community*, 17(3):590-614. doi:10.1111/cico.12315.
- 2018b **Huang, Ying**, Stephanie Potochnick, and Colleen M. Heflin. "Household Food Insecurity and Early Childhood Health and Cognitive Development among Children of Immigrants." *Journal of Family Issues*, 39(6):1465-1497. doi:10.1177/0192513X17710772.
- 2017 **Huang, Ying,** Scott J. South, and Amy Spring. "Racial Differences in Neighborhood Attainment: The Contributions of Inter-Neighborhood Migration and In Situ Change." *Demography*, 54(5): 1819-1843. doi:10.1007/s13524-017-0606-y.
- 2016 South, Scott J., Ying Huang, Amy Spring, and Kyle Crowder. "Neighborhood Attainment over the Adult Life Course." *American Sociological Review*, 81(6): 1276-1304. doi:10.1177/00031224166730.

Book chapters

- Forthcoming Huang, Ying and Jianfeng He*. "Chapter 37: Neighborhood Context and Physical Health/Mortality." in the Handbook of *Social Epidemiology*, edited by T. Hill, T. Chandola, and G. Garcia-Alexander. Berlin, Germany: De Gruyter.
- 2021 Bao, Luoman and **Ying Huang**. "Parenting and Grandparenting." in Gu, D. and Dupre, M.E. (eds). *Encyclopedia of Gerontology and Population Aging*. London: Springer International Publishing.

Other publications

- Camerino I. Salazar and Ying Huang. "Opioid settlement a chance for Texas to save lives, ease harm." San Antonio Express News, March 22, 2022, A11.
- 2021 Heflin, Colleen, Katie Green, Ying Huang and Asiya Validova. "Unmet Needs are Associated with Increased Stress and Poor Physical and Mental Health in Early Adulthood" Lerner Center for Public Health Promotion: Population Health Research Brief Series. 119. https://surface.syr.edu/lerner/119
- Jelena Todic, Chantal Fahmy, Ying Huang, and Bonita Sharma. "Reallocate 20 Percent From Police Budget and Invest in a Healthier, Safer San Antonio." Commentary in the Rivard Report. https://therivardreport.com/reallocate-20-from-police-budget-and-invest-in-a-healthier-safer-san-antonio
- 2013 Capps, Randy, Kristen McCabe, Michael Fix, and Ying Huang. "A Profile of Immigrants in Arkansas: Changing Workforce and Family Demographics. "Little Rock, AR, and Washington, DC: Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation and Migration Policy Institute.

Appold, Stephen J., Randy Capps, Michael Fix, Ying Huang, Rafael A. Jimeno S., James H. Johnson, Jr., John D. Kasarda, and Kristen McCabe. "A Profile of Immigrants in Arkansas: Report Summary." Little Rock, AR: Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation.

Manuscripts under review/ in preparation

- Jianfeng He*, and Ying Huang. "Assortative Mating and Health in China—A Gendered Perspective." (under review)
- Drew Shaefer*, Rebecca Luttinen*, and Ying Huang. "Social Vulnerability and Nonmarital Fertility at the County-level Assessing the Mediating Role of Midlife Mortality." (under review)
- Huang, Ying, Fernando Riosmena, and Solveig Cunningham. "Life Course Disadvantaged Neighborhood Exposure and the Onset of Multimorbidity in Mid- to Late-adulthood" (draft available)
- Huang, Ying and Kara Joyner "Cohort Variations in Self-Rated Health Among Mid Aged Adults in the U.S. —A Decomposition Analysis" (draft available)
- Huang, Ying. "Changes in Neighborhood Socioeconomic Status and Despair in Mid-Adulthood" (draft available)
- Huang, Ying, Shujie Han*. "Changes in Neighborhood Age Structure and the Cognitive Function of Older Adults in China." (work in progress)
- Huang, Ying, Wenbo, Wu, and Sun Renhao*. "Inequality in Urban Green Space Exposure— Evidence from Mobile Positioning Data in San Antonio" (work in progress)

GRANT ACTIVITIES

Submitted

2025-2026 NIA P30 Pilot, Center for Aging and Population Sciences (CAPS), UT Austin

Life Course Exposure to Natural Hazards and Cognitive Function in Later Life

Role: Principal Investigator Award: \$39,474 (100% FTE)

Active

2025-2026 NIA P30 Pilot, Resource Centers for Minority Aging Research (RCMAR), University of Texas

Medical Branch Galve

Cumulative Exposure to Natural Disasters and Mental Health among Older Adults in

the U.S.

Role: Principal Investigator Award: \$39,393 (100% FTE)

2025-2027 Grants for Research Advancement and Transformation (GREAT) Program, UTSA

Office of the Vice President for Research

Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Birth outcomes through Food Access: A Preliminary Study in Texas

Role: Co-Principal Investigator (PI: Wenbo Wu; Co-PI: Han Liu)

Award: \$20,000 (33% FTE)

2025-2028 NASA

Institute for Scientific Research on Air Pollution (ISRAP) at the University of Texas at San Antonio

Role: Collaborator (PI: Dr. Kiran Bhaganagar)

Award: \$1,199,048

Completed

2022 –2023 City of San Antonio R&D League & UTSA

Increasing 311 Satisfaction Survey Participation Rate Through an Improved Survey Design and Delivery Strategy —

PHASE I: Improving Online Survey Design and Instruments

Role: Co-Principal Investigator (PI: Wenbo Wu; Co-PI: Pamela Smith)

Award: \$36,500

2022 College for Health, Community, and Policy Pilot Grant

Cohort Variations in Health Over the Life Course

Role: Principal Investigator (Co-Investigator: Kara Joyner)

Award: \$5,000

2021 – 2022 Internal Seed Grant, UTSA Office of the Vice President for Research,

Income Loss and Mental Health During the Covid Era: Assessing the Moderating Role of Metropolitan

Racial Segregation

Role: Principal Investigator (Co-Investigator: Corey Sparks)

Award: \$5,000

2020-2021 NICHD 5 R25 HD083146-05 Subaward through University of Michigan

The Long-Term Health Consequences of Neighborhood Disadvantage Exposures

Role: Principal Investigator

Award: \$11,892

2020-2021 Trans-disciplinary Teams Seed Grant, UTSA Office of the Vice President for Research

Integration of Mobile Positioning, Sociodemographic Factors, and Household Health for Urban Scale

Energy Consumption Simulation and Planning

Role: Co-Principal Investigator (PI: Wenbo Wu; Co-PI: Eric Shattuck)

Award: \$50,000

2020 Domestic Violence in the Covid Era, City of San Antonio

Role: Co-Principal Investigator (PI: Richard Harris; Co-PIs: Amy Chanmugam, Roger

Enriquez) Role: Co-PI

Award: \$150,000 (FTE: 0%)

2018-2019 Urban Education Institute, University of Texas at San Antonio

Assessing the Association between Neighborhood Disadvantage and Student Mobility

Role: PI

Award: \$10,000 (FTE: 100%)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

He, Jianfeng, and **Ying Huang**. Assortative Mating and Health in China—A Gendered Perspective.

Poster Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.

2024 **Huang, Ying**, and Scott South. Parental Socioeconomic Status and Offspring Neighborhood Attainment: Pathways through Middle Adulthood. Poster Presentation at European Population Conference, Edinburgh Scotland, UK

2024 **Huang, Ying**, and Scott South. *Parental Socioeconomic Status and Offspring Neighborhood*Attainment: Pathways through Middle Adulthood. Poster Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Columbus, Ohio.

- 2023 Huang, Ying, Fernando Riosmena, and Solveig Cunningham. Life Course Disadvantaged Neighborhood Exposure and the Onset of Multimorbidity in Mid- to Late-Adulthood. Regular Session Presentation at the Southern Demographic Association Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX.
- 2023 **Huang, Ying,** and Kara Joyner. *Cohort V ariations in Self-Rated Health—A Decomposition Analysis.* Regular Session Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- 2022 **Huang, Ying**, Kara Joyner, and Joseph Jaiyeola. *Cohort V ariations in Self-Rated Health in the U.S. Adult Population*. Regular Session Presentation at the Southern Demographic Association Annual Conference, Knoxville, Tennessee.
- 2022 **Huang, Ying**, and Kara Joyner. *Cohort Variations in Self-Rated Health in the U.S. Adult Population*. PSID User Conference, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.
- Huang, Ying, and Corey Sparks. Income Loss and Mental Health Outcomes During the COVID-19
 Pandemic in the United States: Heterogeneous Associations by Race and Exposure to Co-Racial/Ethnic Residents in Metropolitan Areas. Poster Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 2021 **Huang, Ying**. *Life Course Neighborhood Disadvantage and Wellbeing in the Transition to Adulthood.* PSID User Conference (virtual).
- 2020 **Huang, Ying,** Han Liu, and Muntasir Masum. *Adverse Childhood Experiences and Physical and Mental Health of Adults: Assessing the Mediating Role of Cumulative Life-course Poverty.* Regular Session Presentation accepted at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting. [Cancelled due to COVID-19]
- 2020 **Huang, Ying,** Liwen Liu, Yue Zhuo, and Xiaoyue Sun. *Social Welfare Participation and Settlement Intentions of China's Floating Population*. Regular Session Presentation accepted at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting. [Cancelled due to COVID-19]
- 2019 **Huang, Ying**. *Grandparental SES and Child Health—A Three-Generation Perspective*. Poster Presentation at the Interdisciplinary Association for Population Health Science (IAPHS) Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 2018 **Huang, Ying**, Scott J. South, Amy Spring, and Kyle Crowder. *A Decomposition of Trends in Blacks' and Whites' Exposure to Other-Race Neighbors, 2001–2011.* Regular Session Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.
- 2017 **Huang, Ying,** Scott J. South, and Amy Spring. Racial Differences in Neighborhood Attainment: The Contributions of Inter-Neighborhood Migration and In Situ Change. Regular Session Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
- 2016 Huang, Ying, and Weihui Zhang. Earnings of Immigrant Young Adults Within and Across Cohort Comparisons. Regular Session Presentation at the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 2016 South, Scott J., **Ying Huang**, Amy Spring, and Kyle Crowder. Neighborhood Attainment over the Adult Life Course. Regular Session Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual

- Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 2016 **Huang, Ying**. Student Loan Debt and Young Adults' Health. Regular Session Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C.
- 2015 **Huang, Ying**, Stephanie Potochnick, and Colleen M. Heflin. *Household Food Insecurity and Early Childhood Health and Cognitive Development of Children of Immigrants*. Poster Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.
- 2014 Strully, Kate, Robert Bozick, and Ying Huang. State Immigration Enforcement Policies and Infant Health. Regular Session Presentation at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.

INVITED TALKS

- Spring 2025 Parental Socioeconomic Status and Offspring Neighborhood Attainment—Pathways and Cohort Variations.

 Presented at the Broom Center for Demography, University of California, Santa Barbara.
- Spring 2023 Changes in Neighborhood Socioeconomic Status and Despair in Mid Adulthood. Presented at the Gerontology Department Brown Bag Series, University of Massachusetts (virtual).

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

Graduate-Level Courses

Statistics for Demographic Data I
Causal Inference
Mortality
Introduction to Population Data
Life Course and Transition to Adulthood

Undergraduate-Level Courses

Population Dynamics and Demographic Techniques

Other Instructional Activities

2019	Guest Lecture, <i>Population Health Seminar</i> , Social Work Department, UTSA
2021	Guest Lecture, Social Stratification, Sociology Department, Rutgers
	University

SERVICE

University- and College-level Service

2023—Current	Graduate Council Member
2022—2023	Faculty Senator
2022—2023	Faculty Senate Research Committee
2022—Current	Library faculty liaison
2021—2023	Dean's Advisory Council Member
2020—2021	University seed grant reviewer and panel chair

Departmental Service

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2022-present	Graduate Admission Committee, Chair	
2022-present	Graduate Comprehensive Exam Committee	
2019-2021	Writing group organizer and member, Demography Department, UTSA —	
	Provided workshops on academic writing, workflow and project management,	and
	interdisciplinary collaboration skill development	

Conference and Association Roles

- 2025 Session Chair, Population Association of America (PAA) Annual Meeting
- 2023 Discussant, PAA Annual Meeting
- 2023 Session Chair and Discussant, PAA Annual Meeting
- 2022 Session Chair and Discussant, PAA Annual Meeting
- 2022 Annual Conference Committee Member, Interdisciplinary Association for Population Health Science (IAPHS)
- 2020 Equity and Diversity Committee Member, Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM)
- 2019 Session Presider and Discussant, PAA Annual Meeting
- 2018–2019 Newsletter Editorial Board Member, Inequality, Poverty, and Mobility Section, American Sociological Association (ASA)
- 2019–2021 Abstract Evaluator, IAPHS

Manuscript Review

2017—present Reviewer for: American Sociological Review, BMJ Nutrition, Prevention & Health, City & Community, Cities, Children and Youth Services Review, Chinese Sociological Review, Demography, Demographic Research, Ecology of Food and Nutrition, European Journal of Pediatrics, Ethnicity and Health, Health & Place, International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, Journal of Child and Family Studies, PLOS One, Population Research and Policy Review, Public Health and Nutrition, Social Forces, Social Problems, Social Science & Medicine, Social Science Research, Urban Studies.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management (APPAM) Interdisciplinary Association for Population Health Science (IAPHS) Southern Demographic Association (SDA) Population Association of America (PAA)

AWARDS & HONORS

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2024	Association of Population Centers Fellow		
2024	Faculty Research Excellence Award Nominee, University of Texas at San Antonio		
2019	Add Health Parent Study Workshop Travel Award, Duke University		
2018	Dissertation Fellowship Award, The University at Albany, SUNY		
2017	Clifford Clogg Scholarship Award, ICPSR, University of Michigan		
2016	Diversity & Equity Fellowship Award, Association for Public Policy Analysis Management		
2016	Conference Travel Grant. Association for Public Policy Analysis Management		