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EDUCATION

Ph.D. , 2008	University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) , Chicago, IL
M.A. , 2003	University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) , Chicago, IL
B.A. , 2001	California State University, Long Beach (CSULB) , Long Beach, CA
A.A. , 1998	Cerritos College (CC) , Norwalk, CA

PUBLICATIONS

Yuan, Y., Vera Sanchez, C., Punla, C. (2022). Procedural justice, neighbourhood context, and domestic violence reporting intention among subgroups of immigrants, *Police and Society* (available online).

Vera Sanchez, C. (2021, October 30). Police would rather quit than get a COVI vaccine? Good. We'll be better off without them. *San Francisco Chronicle*.

Vera Sanchez, C. G., & Portillos, E. (2021). Insiders and outsiders: Latino researchers navigating the studying of the police. *Race and Justice*, 11(4), 384-406.

Adams, E. B., and Vera Sanchez, C. G. (2018). Murder in a twin island paradise: Trends and strategies implemented to address criminal homicide in Trinidad and Tobago. In Deflem, M. (Ed.). *Homicide and Violent Crime (Sociology of Crime, Law and Deviance, Volume 23)*. Bingley, UK: Emerald Publishing.

Vera Sanchez, C.G. (2018). Immigration, illegality, and the law: Governance, equality, and Justice. In M. Guevara Urbina, & S. Espinoza Alvarez (eds.). *Immigration and the law: Race, citizenship, and social control*. University of Arizona Press.

Vera Sanchez, C. G., & Gau, J. (2015). Racially neutral policing?: Puerto Rican and Mexican young adults' experiences with order maintenance strategies. *Journal of Qualitative Criminal Justice & Criminology*, 3(2), 166-194.

Vera Sanchez, C. G. (2015). Latino officers, policy, and practice. In M. Guevara Urbina, & S. Espinoza Alvarez (eds.). *Latino police officers in the United States: An examination of emerging trends and issues*. Charles C Thomas Publisher.

Armaline, W. T., Vera Sanchez, C. G., Correia, M. (2014). "The biggest gang in Oakland": re-thinking police legitimacy. *Contemporary Justice Review: Issues in Criminal, Social, and Restorative Justice*, 17(3), 375-399.

Vera Sanchez, C. G. (2014). [Review of the book *The city that became safe: New York's lessons for urban crime and its control*, by F. E. Zimring]. *Punishment & Society*, 16, 124-126.

Lee, J.D., Vera Sanchez, C. G., & Baba, Y. (2013). Sunday Friends: The working alternative to charity. *Journal of Applied Social Science*, 7(2), 148-187.

Baba, Y., & Vera Sanchez, C. G. (2012). Returning to the homeland: The migratory patterns between Brazil and Japan for Japanese-Brazilians. *Journal of International and Global Studies*, 3(2), 1-31.

Vera Sanchez, C. G., & Rosenbaum, D. (2011). Racialized policing: Officers' voices on policing Latino and African American neighborhoods. *The Journal of Ethnicity in Criminal Justice*, 9, 152-178.

Vera Sanchez, C. G., & Adams, E. (2011). Sacrificed on the altar of public safety: The policing of Latino and African American youth. *Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice*, 27(3), 322-341.

Vera Sanchez, C. G. (2005). Juggling intellectuality and Latino masculinity: La calle, mi familia, y la escuela. In J. Castellanos, A. M. Gloria, & M. Kamimura (eds.). *The Latino/a pathway to the Ph.D.: Abriendo caminos*. Stylus Publishing.

PRESENTATIONS

Vera Sanchez, C. (2020). *La Policia y La Comunidad: A discussion of Latinx communities, Police Violence, and Black Lives Matter*. Zoom Presentation. Fairleigh Dickinson University.

Vera Sanchez, C. (June, 2020). *Police Reforms and Police in Schools*. Interview by KTVU-TV

Vera Sanchez, C. (June, 2020). *Defunding the Police*. Interview by KGO-TV.

Vera Sanchez, C. & Portillos, E. (2018). *Insiders and outsiders: Latino researchers navigating the studying of the police*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, G.

Vera Sanchez, C. (2016). *Police violence and legitimacy: Oakland, Chicago, Ferguson, and beyond*. Presentation at the Ethics in Policing Symposium, Sacramento, CA.

Vera Sanchez, C. (2015). *Policing inner-city neighborhoods: The impact of militarized police units*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC.

Vera Sanchez, C., & Gau, J. (2014). *Racialized policing: The impact of order maintenance strategies on Puerto Rican and Mexican youth*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.

Vera Sanchez, C., & Portillos, E. (2014). *Observing the police: Chicano scholars as insiders and outsiders*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA.

Correia, M., & Vera Sanchez, C. (2012). *On the verge of burnout: The Oakland experiment on police officers in an era of corporate restructuring*. Presentation at the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, New York, New York.

Vera Sanchez, C. (2010). *Death threats and violence: New research and clinical perspectives*. Book Critic at the American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, CA

Vera Sanchez, C. (2009). *Sacrificed upon the altar of public safety: The overpolicing of Latino and African American youth*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Lee, J., Baba, Y., Vera Sanchez, C., Wang, R., & White, C. (2009). *Sunday Friends: An evaluation of a working alternative to charity*. Presentation at the Association for Applied and Clinical Sociology, San Antonio, TX

Vera Sanchez, C. (2008). *The racialized policing of Puerto Rican and Mexican males: A comparative perspective*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology, Saint Louis, Missouri

Vera Sanchez, C., & Rosenbaum, D. (2005). *Latino ethnic invisibility: Policing Puerto Rican and Mexican communities*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology, Toronto, Canada

Vera Sanchez, C. (2005). *Latinos and African Americans: An attitudinal comparison of the police*. Presentation at the American Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, Chicago, Illinois

Rosenbaum, D., & Vera Sanchez, C. (2005). *Policing of youth: Do residents engage in racialized policing*. Presentation at the Hans Mattick Award Ceremony, Chicago, Illinois

Rosenbaum, D., Hawkins, D., Costello, S., & Vera Sanchez, C. (2003). *Minority trust project: A neighborhood perspective*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology, Denver, Colorado

Vera Sanchez, C., & Hagedorn, J. (2002). *Understanding gangs: A Chicago and Los Angeles comparison*. Presentation at the American Society of Criminology, Chicago, Illinois

Vera Sanchez, C., & Goldstein, A. (2002). *Sensation seeking in late adolescence*. Presentation at the Society for Research on Adolescence, New Orleans, Louisiana

Vera Sanchez, C., & Berg, C. (2000). *Parent-child interaction in diabetes management*. Presentation at the Career Opportunities in Research by the National Institute of Mental Health, Washington D.C., Washington

Vera Sanchez, C., Gonzales, J., Ohta, M., & Robleto, K. (2000). *Cheating attitudes and behaviors in college*. Presentation at the Career Opportunities in Research by the National Institute of Mental Health, Washington D.C, Washington

Vera Sanchez, C., & Izarraraz, L. (1999). *The gateway theory of alcohol and other drug use among adolescents*. Presentation at the Career Opportunities in Research by the National Institute of Mental Health, Albuquerque, New Mexico

GRANTS

2021-22 Public Voices Fellow

2019 Research Experience for Undergraduates (National Science Foundation), Newark, NJ

2016-19 Faculty Research and Professional Improvement Leave, Roosevelt University, Chicago, IL

2011-2012 Office of Faculty Affairs and Center for Faculty Development Grant, San Jose, CA

College of Social Sciences Research Grant, San Jose State University, San Jose, CA

2009

University Planning Council Student Success Grant, San Jose State University, San Jose, CA

2009

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2008- **Sunday Friends, San Jose State University**

Present *Sunday Friends Evaluation*

- Duties: Conducted an evaluation to determine the effectiveness of Sunday Friends in enhancing self-empowerment for low-income immigrant families.

2009- **Migrant Education Project, San Jose State University**

2011 *Migrant Education Evaluation*

- Duties: Conducting an evaluation to understand the needs of out-of-school migrant youth.

2007

Graduate Research Assistant, University of Illinois at Chicago

Hot Spots Policing Project

- Duties: Conducted ride-alongs and semi-structured interviews with Chicago police officers. Assisted with the development of survey questions and conceptualization of findings. Lastly,

generated ethnographic field notes of the districts studied.

- 2006 **Graduate Research Assistant, University of Illinois at Chicago**
Police-Youth Forums Project
- Duties: Recorded field notes of group discussions between Chicago police officers and minority youth as they attempted to resolve their differences.
- 2002-2003 **Graduate Research Assistant, University of Illinois at Chicago**
Minority Trust in the Police Project
- Duties: Conducted phone interviews, fixed data problems, recruited subjects from community agencies, created community profiles, produced an annotated bibliography, and conceptualized questions for youth survey.
- 1999-2001 **Undergraduate Independent Research, CSULB**
Sensation Seeking in Late Adolescence
- Duties: Developed a research project centered on delinquency and risk taking. This included writing the proposal, developing the instruments, testing hypotheses and writing of a paper.
- 1999-2001 **COR Researcher (Career Opportunities in Research-NIMH), CSULB**
Cheating Attitudes and Behaviors in College, The Gateway Theory of Alcohol and Drug use among Adolescents
- Duties: Developed proposals, submitted them for IRB approval and conducted laboratory studies. In addition, discussed research methods and issues weekly. Required to present our work at conferences sponsored by the National Institute of Mental Health.
- 2000 **Research Assistant, University of Utah**
Diabetes Management in Adolescence
- Duties: Coded, transcribed, and analyzed videotaped interviews. In addition, produced a paper, poster, and oral presentation.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2016-2022 **Associate Professor (San Jose State University)**
Duties: Teaching courses in policing, research methods, juvenile justice, and criminology, both in person and online. Also, involved in research projects, committee work, as well as advising graduate theses and academic advising for undergraduates.
- 2014-16 **Associate Professor (Roosevelt University)**
Duties: Teaching courses in policing, research methods, juvenile justice, and criminology, both in person and online. Also, involved in research projects, committee work, as well as advising graduate theses and academic advising for undergraduates.
- 2008-2014 **Associate Professor (San Jose State University)**
Duties: Teaching advanced graduate seminars on statistics and corrections, as well as undergraduate statistics and juvenile delinquency courses. Also, involved in research projects, committee work, as well as advising graduate theses and academic advising for undergraduates.
- 2007 **Instructor (Statistics)**
Duties: Developed course assignments and activities, gave lectures, and graded assignments for 38 undergraduates.
- 2006 **Instructor (Research Methods)**
Duties: Developed course assignments and activities, gave lectures, and graded assignments/projects

for 23 undergraduates.

- 2005 **Instructor (Research Methods)**
Duties: Developed course assignments and activities, gave lectures, and graded assignments/projects for 35 undergraduates.
- 2004 **Teaching Assistant (Policing in Society)**
Duties: Gave lectures, graded papers, and assisted students with various academic assignments.
- 2003 **Teaching Assistant (Statistics)**
Duties: Assisted students with statistics problems, graded homework, and conducted review sessions.
- 1996-1998 **Peer Counselor**
Duties: College student academic advisement, coordinated open registration of incoming college students, recruited in high schools, and served in academic committees.
- 1998-1999 **Teacher's Aide**
Duties: Taught English, math, and other basic skills to bilingual Kindergarten children. Taught English and grammar to small groups of bilingual 5th graders.

AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2010 Nominated "Most Influential Professor," San Jose State University, San Jose, CA
- 2010 Fellowship for Crime and Justice Summer Research Institute, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
- 2009 Provost's Award For Excellence in Service Learning: Honorable Mention, SJSU, San Jose, CA
- 2008 Michael Maltz Award, Outstanding Ph.D. graduate, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2005-2008 Diversifying Faculty in Illinois Fellowship, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2004 Diversity Fellowship, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2003 American Society of Criminology, Minority Fellowship, Denver, CO
- 2003 University of Illinois at Chicago-Martin Luther King, Jr. Scholarship, Chicago, IL
- 2001 Diversity Fellowship-University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2001 Distinguished Student Award, Long Beach, CA
- 2001 Research Competition, 2nd Place, Long Beach, CA
- 2001 Lucio Morales Award (Most Likely to Contribute to Psychology), Long Beach, CA
- 2000 Outstanding Senior in Psychology, Long Beach, CA
- 2000 National Golden Key Honor Society, Inducted, Long Beach, CA
- 1999 Presidents Honor List, Cal. State Long Beach,(Spring, Fall), Long Beach, CA
- 1998 Women's History Essay Contest, 2nd Place, Norwalk, CA
- 1998 Speech and Debate Tournament, 2nd Place Impromptu Speaking, Orange, CA
- 1998 Dean's List, Cerritos College, Norwalk, CA
- 1998 Associated Students of Cerritos College, Service and Leadership Award, Norwalk, CA
- 1998 Associated Students of Cerritos College, Interclub Council Scholarship, Norwalk, CA
- 1998 Associated Students of Cerritos College, Silver Falcon Award, Norwalk, CA
- 1998 National Conference for Community and Justice, Latino College Leadership Institute, Certificate of Continued Support, Glendale, CA
- 1998 National Conference for Christians and Jews, Latino College Leadership Institute, Certificate of Appreciation, Glendale, CA
- 1997 National Conference for Christians and Jews, Latino College Leadership Institute, Certificate of Recognition, Glendale, CA
- 1996 Puente Program, Puente Award for Leadership, Norwalk, CA
- 1995 Puente Program, Scholarship, Norwalk, CA

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

American Society of Criminology (ASC)
 Psi-Beta Psychology Honor Society (Psi-Beta)
 Racial Democracy Criminal Justice Network (RDCJN)

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE AND STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

2021 Peer Reviewer, Law & Society
 2021 External Reviewer Tenure and Promotion: University of San Francisco
 2011 Advisor, Lambda Theta Phi (Latino Organization), San Jose, CA
 2010 Advisor, AKD (Honor Society), San Jose, CA
 2006 Benito Juarez High School, Volunteer with at risk youth, Chicago, IL
 1996-1998 National Conference for Community and Justice, Student Advisor, Glendale, CA
 1998 Associated Students of Cerritos College, Elected Student Senator, Norwalk, CA
 1998 Associated Students of Cerritos College, Elected Sergeant of Arms, Norwalk, CA
 1998 Speech and Debate Club, Member, Norwalk, CA
 1997 EOPS Club, Elected President, Norwalk, CA
 1997 Puente Club, Elected President, Norwalk, CA
 1996 Puente Club, Elected President, Norwalk, CA

SERVICE

SP 2022 Hiring Committee (Resource Analyst)
 SP 2022 Hiring Committee (Assistant Professor, Justice Studies)
 FA21-SP22 Hiring Committee (Chicano Studies, Chair)
 SP 2022 RTP Committee (Department of Public Health and Recreation)
 SP 2022 Chair Annual Lecturers Evaluation Committee
 FA21-SP22 RTP Committee (Department of Justice Studies)
 FA21-SP22 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Member
 FA21-SP22 CoSS Assessment Committee
 FA21-SP22 Justice Studies Budget Committee
 FA21-SP22 Record Clearance Project Advisory Board
 FA21-SPS22 Programs Coordinator (Department of Justice Studies)
 FA 2021 Hiring Committee (SJSU Police Chief)
 FA 2021 Santa Clara County Hate Crime Prevention Task Force
 FA 2021 Chair (RTP Department of Health and Recreation)
 FA 2021 Peer Reviewer (Law and Society Review)
 SP 2021 Chair Annual Lecturers Evaluation Committee
 SP 2021 Dean Review (Dr. Walt Jacobs)
 FA20-SP21 Justice Studies Budget Committee
 FA20-SP21 Hiring Committee (Chicano Studies, Assistant Professor)
 FA20-SP21 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Member
 FA 2020 Peer Reviewer (Critical Education)
 FA19-SP20 Interim Chair (Department of Justice Studies)
 FA19-SP20 Undergraduate Curriculum Committee Member
 FA19-SP20 Graduate Curriculum Committee Member
 FA 2019 Hiring Committee (Department of Public Health)
 SP 2019 Hiring Committee (Department of Justice Studies)
 FA18-SP19 Programs Coordinator (Department of Justice Studies)
 FA18-SP19 RTP Committee Member
 FA17-SP18 Graduate Coordinator

FA17-SP18	Chair Graduate Curriculum Committee
2016-2017	University Senate
2016 FA	Marshall Commencement
2016 SP	Committee (Criminal Justice Master's Program)
2016 SP	Chair (Curriculum Committee)
2016 to Present	Mansfield Institute Advisory Board
2016 SP	Student Internship Advisor
2016 SP	Student Independent Research Advisor
2015 FA	Panelist (New Faculty Orientation)
2015 FA	Chair (Faculty Search Committee)
2015 to Present	Advising (Criminal Justice Society)
2015 to Present	Sunday Friends (Program Evaluation)
2015 SP	Latino Families Brunch (Roosevelt University)
2015 FA	Advisor (Association of Latin American Students)
2015 SP	Criminal Justice Study Abroad Program Committee
2014 to 2015	Created "Coffee With a Professor"
2014 FA	Marshall Commencement
2014 to 2015	Criminal Justice Newsletter
2014	Master's Thesis Committee ("An investigation of student athletes' attitudes towards sexual orientation")

LANGUAGES SPOKEN

Speak, read, and write fluently

REFERENCES

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