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EDUCATION: Ph.D., University of Michigan: Economics, 1985.
M.A., University of Michigan, Economics, 1983.
B.A., Brandeis University, American Studies, 1979.

FIELDS: Labor Economics, Economic Demography, Econometrics

CURRENT POSITION: Bowdoin College
Bion R. Cram Professor of Economics, 2007-present

PREVIOUS POSITIONS: Bowdoin College
Professor of Economics, 2003-2007.
Associate Professor of Economics, 1992-2003.
Director, Women's Studies Program, 2000-2003, 2006-2007.
Special Assistant to the President on Gender Equity, Spring 1998.
Chair, Economics Department, April 1994-June 1995, July 1996-June 1997.
Assistant Professor of Economics, 1985 to 1992.

Peking University, Institute for Population Research
Visiting Professor, 1998-1999.

Peking University, Institute for Population Research
Visiting Professor, Spring 1993.

Remin University, Economic Training Center
Visiting Professor, Fall 1992 and Fall 1993.

U.S. Census Bureau
ASA/NSF/Census Research Fellow, July 1988-June 1989.

Published Research

- "A Framework for Analyzing the Impact of Cohort Size on Education and Labor Earnings" *Journal of Human Resources*, 1986, 21(4), 543-62.
- "Occupational Choice Under Uncertainty When Experience is a Determinant of Earnings," *Econometrica*, 1989. 57(5), 1215-19.
- "The Importance of Child Care Costs to Women's Decision Making" in *The Economics of Child Care*, ed. David Blau, Russell Sage, 1991, 87-117.
- "The Effect of Child Care Costs on Married Women's Labor Force Participation," *Review of Economics and Statistics*, 1992, 74(1), 83-90.

- "Self-Employment and Providing Child Care: Employment Strategies for Women with Young Children." *Demography*, 1992, 29(1), 17-29.
- "The Future of SIPP for Analyzing Child Care and Child Support," *Journal of Economic and Social Measurement*, 1992, 18(1-4), 213-30.
- "The Effect of Cohort Composition on Human Capital Accumulation Across Generations," with Peter Gottschalk, *Journal of Labor Economics*, 1995, 13(1), 155-76.
- "Women's Employment and Child Care in Brazil" with Deborah S. DeGraff and Deborah Levison, *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, 1996, 44(3), 619-56.
- "Comments on the Fertility/Employment Interaction" *Population and Development Review*, Supplement 1996, 22, 290-94.
- "Caring for Preschool Children in Urban Brazil," with Deborah S. DeGraff and Deborah Levison, *Labour*, 10(3), 1996, 583-608.
- "Women's Employment Status and Hours Employed in Urban Brazil: Does Husbands' Presence Matter?" with Deborah S. DeGraff and Deborah Levison, *Labour*, March 2001, 15(1), pp. 133-67.
- "If You Build It, They Will Come: Parents' Use of On-Site Child Care," with Deborah S. DeGraff and Rachel Willis, *Population Research and Policy Review*, 21, June 2002, 241-273.
- "Patterns of Educational Attainment of China's Youth, 10-18 Years Old in 1990" with Zhenzhen Zheng, and L. Xing, *Population and Economics*, 2002 (2), 28-37. (In Chinese) Also reprinted in *Demography and Family Planning*, 2002(4):22-31. (In Chinese)
- "The Effect of Child Care Costs on Employment and Welfare Reciprocity of Single Mothers" with Jean Kimmel, *Southern Economic Journal*, Jan 2003, 69 (3), 498-519. This article was the recipient of the Georgescu-Roegen Prize for the best article published in the SEJ during the year 2002-2003.
- "Marital Status and Full-time/Part-time Work Status in Child Care Choices," with Jean Kimmel, *Applied Economics*, 2003, 35(7), 761-77.
- "Determinants of School Enrollment and Completion of 10 to 18 Year Olds in China," with Zheng Zhenzhen, *Economics of Education Review*, 2003 (22), 379-388.
- "Marriage, Paid Employment, and Child Care," with Jean Kimmel, Chapter 5 in *Marriage and the Economy: Theory and Evidence from Advanced Industrial Societies*, edited by Shoshana Grossbard-Shechtman. New York and Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2003, 248-70.
- "The Future of Jobs in the Hosiery Industry," with Deborah S. DeGraff and Rachel Willis. In *Low-Wage America: How Employers Are Reshaping Opportunity in the Workplace*, edited by Eileen Applebaum, Annette Bernhardt and Richard Murnane, Russell Sage Foundation Press, 2003, 407-45.
- "The Migration Experience of Young Women from Four Counties in Sichuan and Anhui," with Lou Binbin, Zheng Zhenzhen, and Kenneth Roberts. In *On the Move: Women in Rural-Urban Migration in Contemporary China*, edited by Tamara Jacka and Arianne Gaetano, Columbia University Press, 2004.
- Kids at Work: The Economics of Employer Sponsored On-Site Child Care*, with Deborah DeGraff and Rachel Willis, Kalamazoo MI: W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research Press, 2004.

- "Patterns of Temporary Migration of Rural Women from Anhui and Sichuan Provinces of China," with Kenneth Roberts, Zhenming Xie and Zhenzhen Zheng, *China Journal*, 2004, 52, 49-70.
- "The Effect on Migration on Rural Women's Decision Making," with Kenneth Roberts, Zhenming Xie and Zhenzhen Zheng. In *Migration and Rural Women's Development*, edited by Zhenzhen Zheng and Zhenming Xie, Beijing, China: Social Sciences Academic Press, 2004. (In Chinese with English Abstracts.)
- "The Value of Employer Sponsored Child Care" with Deborah DeGraff and Rachel Willis, *Industrial Relations*, 2004, 43(4), 759-92.
- "The Influence of Local Price and Availability on Parents' Choice of Child Care," with Elizabeth Davis, *Population Research and Policy Review*, 2005, 24(4), 301-334.
- "Mothers' Time Spent in Care of her Children and Market Work: A Simultaneous Model with Attitudes as Instruments" with Peter Howie, John Wicks, John M. Fitzgerald, and Douglas Dalenberg, *Applied Economics Papers*, 2006, 13(8), 503-506.
- "Tackling the Endogeneity of Fertility in the Study of Women's Employment in Developing Countries: Alternative Estimation Strategies Using Data from Urban Brazil," with Deborah DeGraff, Deborah Levison and Brian McCall, *Feminist Economics*, 2006, 12(4), 561-597.
- "Educational Access for China's Post-Cultural Revolution Generation: Enrollment Patterns in 1990" with Zheng Zhenzhen. Chapter 4, *Education and Reform in China*, edited by Emily Hannum and Albert Park, Routledge, 2007.
- "Enrollment and Graduation Patterns as China's Reforms Deepen, 1990-2000" with Zheng Zhenzhen. Chapter 5, *Education and Reform in China*, edited by Emily Hannum and Albert Park, Routledge, 2007.
- "Mothers' Time Choices: Caregiving, Leisure, Home Production, and Paid Work" with Jean Kimmel, *Journal of Human Resources*, 2007, 42(3), 643-81.
- "School Enrollment and Graduation Rates In Western China Based On The 2000 Census" with Zhenzhen Zheng, *Journal of Chinese Economic and Business Studies*, 2007, 5(2), 147-61.
- "Changes in the Pattern of China's School Enrollment Rates between 1990 and 2000" with Zhenzhen Zheng, in *Investing in Health and Education for Economic Development in China*. Edited by Gordon Liu, Shufang Zhang, and Zongyi Zhang, World Scientific Publishing, forthcoming.

Writing for a general audience

- "The Contribution of Women in Economic Demography," *Committee on the Status of Women in the Economics Profession Newsletter*, October 1995.
- "The Economics of the Life Course," *Bowdoin Magazine*, May 1996.
- "Why Socks are Made in America and Why Do We Care?" *Bowdoin Forum*, 7, Spring 2004, 27-38.
- "Keeping Good Job Opportunities in the Community: How and When to Use Public Training Resources to Revitalize Good Manufacturing Jobs in the United States," with Rachel Willis, Policy Brief Series, Center on Poverty, Work and Opportunity, University of North Carolina Law School, <http://www.law.unc.edu/PDFs/Poverty/WillisandConnellyPolicyBrief.pdf>

Working Papers

- "The Market for Child Care" presented at the PAA Meetings 1987.
- "Barrier to the Supply of Quality Affordable Child Care" prepared for the Child Care Action Campaign, 1988.
- "The Market for Child Care: An Application of Microeconomic Analysis for Considering the Policy Issues" prepared for National Academy of Sciences - Committee on Child Care, 1988.
- "Determinants of Weekly Child Care Expenditures: A Comparison of Married and Unmarried Mothers," Bowdoin College Working Paper, 1989.
- "The Cost of Child Care for Single Mothers -- Its Effect on Labor Force Participation and AFDC Participation." Institute for Research on Poverty Discussion Paper, DP 920-90, 1990.
- "Job Turnover among Child Care Workers: A Longitudinal Analysis." Bowdoin College Working Paper, 1991.
- "Child Care Policy and Women's Market Work in Urban Brazil" with Deborah DeGraff and Deborah Levison. World Employment Programme Research, Working Paper No. 180, International Labour Office, 1992.
- "The Reports of My Demise Are Greatly Exaggerated: Textiles in North Carolina" with Rachel Willis, 2005. Presented at Conference on the Global South, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, March 2005.
- "The Importance of College for Child Care Worker Wages and Turnover," with Jean Kimmel, 2005. Presented at Midwestern Economics Meeting, Chicago II, 2002. (submitted for publication)
- "The Impact of Migration on the Position of Women in Rural China" with Kenneth Roberts, Zhenzhen Zheng and Zhenming Xie, 2005. Presented at Population Association of America meetings, Minneapolis, May 2003. (submitted for publication)
- "A Portrait of Child Care Choice for Maine Families with Children under the Age of Five" with Michel Lahti, 2006.
- "The Impact of Nonstandard Work on Caregiving for Young Children," with Jean Kimmel, IZA Discussion Paper 3093, October 2007. Available at www.iza.org (submitted for publication)
- "The Impact of Migration on the Reproductive Health Knowledge and Outcomes of Women in Rural China" with Kenneth Roberts, Anh H. Vu and Zhenzhen Zheng. Presented at the Population Association of America Meeting, March 2006; Association for Asian Studies, April 2006. (submitted for publication)
- "Keeping Good Job Opportunities in the Community: How and When to Use Public Training Resources to Revitalize Good Manufacturing Jobs in the United States," with Rachel Willis. Presented at Navigating the Global South Conference, March 2006 and Technology and Citizenship Conference, June 2006.
- "Spousal Influences on Parents' Non-Market Time Choices" with Jean Kimmel. IZA Discussion Paper 2894, June 2007. Available at www.iza.org. (submitted for publication)

“The Settlement of Rural Migrants in Urban China—Some of China’s Migrants Are Not “Floating” Anymore,” with Ken Roberts and Zhenzhen Zheng. Presented at the 4th International Conference on Population Geography,” Hong Kong, July 2007 and at Migration and Social Protection in China Conference, Beijing 2007.

“The Role that Children’s Education Plays in the Migration Decisions of Chinese Rural Women,” with Ken Roberts and Zhenzhen Zheng. Presented at the 2008 IAFFE Conference, Turin Italy, June 2008.

Research in Progress

“There and Back: Circular Migration and Rural Chinese Women’s Lives at the Turn of the 21st Century” with Zheng Zhenzhen and Kenneth Roberts.

“The Role of Community Colleges in Support Manufacturing Jobs in the United States,” with Rachel Willis.

“The Role of Caregiving in Mothers’ Time Use: Recent Evidence from the New American Time Use Survey” with Jean Kimmel.

“Some of the Migrants are not Going Back: Emerging Urban Settlement of Chinese Women Migrants,” with Zheng Zhenzhen and Kenneth Roberts.

“The Changing Patterns of Chinese Urban Women’s Work Lives--1982 to 2000,” with Margaret Maurer-Fazio.

RESEARCH GRANTS:

Colby, Bates and Bowdoin Mellon Faculty Enhancement Award for research on “The Changing Patterns of Chinese Urban Women’s Work Lives--1982 to 2000,” with Margaret Maurer-Fazio, 2008.

W.E. Upjohn Institute for research on “The Role of Caregiving in Mothers’ Time Use: Recent Evidence from the New American Time Use Survey” with Jean Kimmel, 2005.

Bowdoin Faculty Leave Supplement for “There and Back: Circular Migration and Rural Chinese Women’s Lives at the Turn of the 21st Century,” Fall 2005.

Bowdoin Freeman Faculty Research Fund for travel related to “There and Back: Circular Migration and Rural Chinese Women’s Lives at the Turn of the 21st Century,” 2005.

Wildacres Retreat Residency, 2004.

Bowdoin Freeman Faculty Research Fund for “Lessons across the Ocean: Low Wage Workers in China and the United States” 2003.

Ford Foundation for “Causes of Early School Leaving in Rural Hebei Province, China” with Ma Wanhua and Zheng Zhenzhen, June 2001.

Bowdoin Freeman Faculty Research Fund, for “The Impact of Migration on the Status of Women and Reproductive Health in Rural China” 2000.

Ford Foundation for “The Impact of Migration on the Status of Women and Reproductive Health in Rural China” with Zheng Zhenzhen, Xie Zhenming, Gu Baochang, and Kenneth Roberts 1999.

Russell Sage/Rockefeller--Future of Work Grant for "Squeezed Between a Rock and a Hard Place-- Changes in Employment Practices in the Hosiery Industry" with Deborah DeGraff and Rachel Willis 1999.

Joint Center for Poverty Research, Small Grant Recipient, for "Marital Status and Full-time/Part-time Work Status in Child Care Choices: Changing the Rules of the Game" with Jean Kimmel. 1998.

Bowdoin Faculty Leave Supplement, for "The Causes and Consequences of Early School Leaving in China" 1998-99.

Bowdoin Freeman Faculty Research Fund, for "The Causes and Consequences of Early School Leaving in China" 1998.

W.E. Upjohn Institute for research on "The Value of Employer-Sponsored Child Care to Employees, Firms and the Public" with Deborah DeGraff and Rachel Willis, 1995.

National Science Foundation for research on "Child Care in Brazil" with Deborah DeGraff and Deborah Levison, 1990-1991.

International Labor Organization for research on "Child Care in Brazil" with Deborah DeGraff and Deborah Levison, 1990.

Institute for Research on Poverty, Small Grant for "Cost of Child Care for Single Mothers," 1989.

Bowdoin College Faculty Research Fund, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1992, 1994, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2006, 2007, 2008.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Member of American Public Data Users (APDU) Committee for the Evaluation of SIPP, 1989 to 1994.

Consultant to GAO Projects on Child Care, 1994.

Consultant to Workplace Options for US Department of Labor Grant on Employer Sponsored Child Care.

NIH Grants review panel, October 1994

External Reviewer for Tenure Cases, Ohio State, College of William and Mary, Queens College, College of Wooster, Rutgers University, Swarthmore College and Macalester College, Ohio University.

Member of ASA/SRM Working Group on the Technical Aspects of the SIPP, 1999-2001.

Consultant for NEW Partners (New England States Project on Child Care Workers) funded by U.S. HHS. Attend regional meetings and review documents, 2001-2003.

Consultant on Minnesota Child Care study funded by U.S. HHS. 2001-2003.

Member of Advisory Committee and Research Committee of the Maine Child Care Data and Research Capacity Study, 2003-present.

CeMent mentor, Midwestern Economics Meetings, March 2006.