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### ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

#### University of Colorado Boulder

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology (January 2017 - present, *parental leave Fall 2020*)

Fellow, Institute of Behavioral Science

Faculty Affiliate, IBS Programs in Population and Health and Society

Affiliate, Department of Women and Gender Studies and Information Science

### EDUCATION

#### University of Texas at Austin

Ph.D., Sociology with Demography specialization (December 2016)

M.A., Sociology (May 2012)

#### The Evergreen State College

B.S., Math and Computer Science (June 2002)

### RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Fertility and reproduction, abortion and contraception, demographic methods, statistics, policy evaluation.

### PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Katie Genadek, Sara Yeatman, Stefanie Mollborn, Jane Menken. "The educational impact of expanded contraceptive access," forthcoming at *Science Advances*, May 5, 2021.
- 2020 Coleman-Minahan, Kate, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Emily Obront, and Susan Hays. "Judicial bypass attorneys' experiences with abortion stigma in Texas courts," *Social Science and Medicine* Vol. 269. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2020.113508>
- 2020 Coleman-Minahan, Kate, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Emily Obront, and Susan Hays. "Adolescents choosing abortion without parental consent: Their reasons and experiences of social support," *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 52(1):15-22. <https://doi.org/10.1363/psrh.12132>
- 2020 **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Coleman-Minahan, Kate, and Susan Hays. "Denials of judicial bypass petitions for abortion in Texas before and after Texas 2016 bypass process change (2001-2018)," *American Journal of Public Health*, 110(3):351-353. <https://ajph.aphapublications.org/doi/abs/10.2105/AJPH.2019.305491>
- 2019 Potter, Joseph E., **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Kate Coleman-Minahan, Kristine Hopkins, Kari White, Sarah E. Baum, and Daniel Grossman. "Challenging unintended pregnancy as an indicator of reproductive autonomy." *Contraception*, 100(1):1-4. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.contraception.2019.02.005>
- 2019 Coleman-Minahan, Kate, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Emily Obront, and Susan Hays. "Young women's experiences obtaining judicial bypass for abortion in Texas." *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 64.1:20-25. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jadohealth.2018.07.017>
- 2018 Hopkins, Kristine, Celia Hubert, Kate Coleman-Minahan, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Kari White, Daniel Grossman, Joseph Potter. "Unmet demand for short-acting hormonal and long-acting

- reversible contraception among community college students in Texas." *American Journal of College Health*, 1-9. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07448481.2018.1431901>
- 2017 White, Kari, Daniel Grossman, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Kristine Hopkins, Joseph E. Potter. "Does information about abortion safety affect Texas voters' opinions about restrictive laws? A randomized study." *Contraception*, 96(6):381-387. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.contraception.2017.08.007>
- 2017 Potter, Joseph E., Kate Coleman-Minahan, Kari White, Daniel A. Powers, Chloe Dillaway, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Kristine Hopkins, Daniel Grossman. "Contraception after delivery among publicly insured women in Texas: Use compared with preference." *Obstetrics and Gynecology*, 130(2) 393-402. doi: [10.1097/AOG.0000000000002136](https://doi.org/10.1097/AOG.0000000000002136)
- 2016 White, Kari, Joseph E. Potter, **Amanda J. Stevenson**, Liza Fuentes, Kristine Hopkins, and Daniel Grossman. "Women's knowledge of and support for abortion restrictions in Texas: Findings from a statewide representative survey." *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 48(4). <https://doi.org/10.1363/48e8716>
- 2016 **Stevenson, Amanda Jean**, Imelda M. Garcia-Vazquez, Richard L. Allgeyer, Pete Schenkkan, and Joseph E. Potter, "The impact of excluding Planned Parenthood from a fee-for-service family planning program in Texas," *The New England Journal of Medicine*, 374:853-860. doi: [10.1056/NEJMsa1511902](https://doi.org/10.1056/NEJMsa1511902)
- 2015 Potter, Joseph E., Celia Hubert, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Kristine Hopkins, Abigail R. A. Aiken, Kari White, and Daniel Grossman, "Barriers to Postpartum Contraception in Texas and Pregnancy within Two Years of Delivery." *Obstetrics and Gynecology*, 127(2):289-296. doi: [10.1097/AOG.0000000000001201](https://doi.org/10.1097/AOG.0000000000001201)
- 2015 **Stevenson, Amanda Jean** and Joseph E. Potter, "Abortion access and state variation in measured unintended pregnancy," *Contraception*, 92(3):227-33. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.contraception.2015.04.003>
- 2015 White, Kari, Joseph E. Potter, Kristine Hopkins, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Celia Hubert, Abigail R. A. Aiken, and Daniel Grossman. "The impact of reproductive health legislation on family planning clinic services in Texas," *The American Journal of Public Health*, 105(5):851-8. doi: [10.2105/AJPH.2014.302515](https://doi.org/10.2105/AJPH.2014.302515)
- 2014 **Stevenson, Amanda Jean**. "Finding the Twitter users who stood with Wendy," *Contraception*, 90:502-507. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.contraception.2014.07.007>
- 2014 Potter, Joseph E., Kristine Hopkins, Abigail R. A. Aiken, Celia Hubert, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Kari White, and Daniel Grossman. "Unmet demand for highly effective postpartum contraception in Texas," *Contraception*, 90:488-495. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.contraception.2014.06.039>
- 2014 Grossman, Daniel, Sarah Baum, Liza Fuentes, Kari White, Kristine Hopkins, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, and Joseph E. Potter, "Change in abortion services after implementation of a restrictive law in Texas," *Contraception*, 90:496-501. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.contraception.2014.07.006>
- 2013 Potter, Joseph E., **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Kari White, Kristine Hopkins, and Daniel Grossman. "Hospital Variation in Postpartum Tubal Sterilization Rates in California and Texas," *Obstetrics and Gynecology* 121(1): 152-158. DOI: [http://10.1097/AOG.0b013e318278f241](https://doi.org/10.1097/AOG.0b013e318278f241)
- 2010 Olds, David L., Harriet J. Kitzman, Rebecca E. Cole, Carole Hanks, Elizabeth E. Arcoleo, Elizabeth Anson, Dennis W. Luckey, Michael D. Knudtson, Charles R. Henderson Jr, Jessica Bondy, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**. "Enduring Effects of Prenatal and Infancy Home Visiting by Nurses on Maternal Life Course and Government Spending: Follow-up of a Randomized Trial Among Children at Age 12 Years," *Archives of Pediatric Medicine*, 164(5):419-424. doi:10.1001/archpediatrics.2010.49

- 2007 Olds, David L., Harriet J. Kitzman, Carole Hanks, Rebecca E. Cole, Elizabeth Anson, Elizabeth E. Arcoleo, Dennis W. Luckey, Charles R. Henderson Jr, John Holmberg, Robin Tutt, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Jessica Bondy, “Effects of nurse home visiting on maternal and child functioning: age-9 follow-up of a randomized trial,” *Pediatrics*, 120(4), pp.e832-e845.  
[www.pediatrics.org/cgi/doi/10.1542/peds.2006-2111](http://www.pediatrics.org/cgi/doi/10.1542/peds.2006-2111)

### **SELECTED MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW AND IN PREPARATION**

**Amanda Jean Stevenson**. “Banning induced abortion in the US would increase pregnancy-related deaths.” Conditionally accepted at *Demography*.

**Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Joshua Sanders, Leslie Root. “First order fertility rates for subnational geographies and demographic subgroups.”

**Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Leslie Root. “While the nation converges: State-level variation in fertility schedule disparities.”

**Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Katie Genadek, Sara Yeatman, Stefanie Mollborn, Jane Menken. “The impact of contraceptive access on poverty.”

Sara Yeatman, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Katie Genadek, Stefanie Mollborn, Jane Menken. “The impact of contraceptive access on postsecondary enrollment and attainment.”

Katie Genadek, Joshua Sanders, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**. “Using the Census Numident and Census Household Composition Key for fertility related research in the United States.” Under review.

**Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Katie Genadek, Sara Yeatman, Tara Streng Schroeter. “Colorado’s Title X expansion was more than a LARC program.”

Liyang Xie, Katie Genadek, **Amanda Jean Stevenson**. “Measuring poverty among young women using Census administrative data”

### **EXTERNAL RESEARCH GRANT SUPPORT - ACTIVE**

Principal Investigator - Increased access to highly effective contraception: an opportunity dividend? R01 NICHD, 2020-2025.

Principal Investigator –The long-term impact of access to contraception, William and Flora Hewlett Foundation, 2019-2022.

### **EXTERNAL RESEARCH GRANT SUPPORT - COMPLETED**

Principal Investigator – Assessing the life course impacts of expanded access to LARCs in Colorado, William and Flora Hewlett Foundation, 2017-2021.

Principal Investigator – Assessing the life course impacts of expanded access to LARCs in Colorado, Society of Family Planning Research Fund, 2017-2018.

Sub-study Co-Principal Investigator (with Kate Coleman-Minahan) – Omnibus Grant (PI, Joseph E. Potter): Evaluating the Impact of Texas Family Planning Policy, Sub-study: Research on judicial bypass restrictions, Anonymous Foundation, 2016-2019.

### **INTERNAL RESEARCH GRANT SUPPORT**

Principal Investigator – Assessing life course impacts of expanded access to highly effective contraception in Colorado, CU Boulder Innovative Seed Grant Fund, 2017-2018.

Principal Investigator – Assessing life course impacts of expanded access to highly effective contraception in Colorado, Colorado Population Center Seed Funding, 2018.

## **SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS**

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean.** “Banning induced abortion in the United States would increase pregnancy-related deaths even without increases in unsafe abortion” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, May 5-8, 2021.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean,** Katie Genadek, Sara Yeatman, Stefanie Mollborn, Jane Menken. “The impact of expanded contraceptive access on poverty” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, May 5-8, 2021.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean.** “Estimating impact of abortion funding bans by state.” Psychosocial Workshop, April 22-23, 2021.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean.** “The long-term impacts of expanded contraceptive access.” Thirty-first Annual Kavli Frontiers of Science Symposium, Virtual due to COVID-19, July 2020.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean.** “While the nation converges: State-level variation in fertility schedule disparities.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York, NY, August 2019.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean,** Katie Genadek, Sara Yeatman, Stefanie Mollborn, Jane Menken. “The educational impact of expanded contraceptive access.” IUSSP Population and Poverty Meetings, Ann Arbor, MI, July 2019.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean,** Katie Genadek, Sara Yeatman, Stefanie Mollborn, Jane Menken. Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, “The educational impact of expanded contraceptive access.” Austin, TX, April 2019.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean,** Joshua Sanders. Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, “The role of states in changing disparities in the age-specific risk of first birth.” Austin, TX, April 2019. Coleman-Minahan, Kate, **Amanda Jean Stevenson,** Emily Obront, and Susan Hays. North American Forum on Family Planning. “Attorney experiences representing adolescents seeking judicial bypass of parental consent for abortion care.” New Orleans, LA, October 2018.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean,** Katie Genadek, Sara Yeatman, Stefanie Mollborn, Jane Menken. “Using administrative data to assess life course impacts of expanded access to Long Acting Reversible Contraception.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, CO, April 2018.

Kristine Hopkins, **Amanda Jean Stevenson,** Kari White, Daniel Grossman, and Joseph E. Potter. “Unplanned birth and postpartum contraception preference and use.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, CO, April 2018.

Coleman-Minahan, Kate, **Amanda Jean Stevenson,** Emily Obront, and Susan Hays. North American Forum on Family Planning. “Minors seeking abortion without parental consent: How they decide and who they involve.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Denver, CO, April 2018.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean.** “Measuring and communicating impacts: the Case of reproductive health policy in Texas.” Council on Contemporary Families. Austin TX, March 2018.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean.** North American Forum on Family Planning. “Epistemological diversity in family planning research” Atlanta, GA, October, 2017.

Coleman-Minahan, Kate, **Amanda Jean Stevenson,** Emily Obront, and Susan Hays. “Young women's experiences obtaining judicial bypass for abortion in Texas.” North American Forum on Family Planning. Atlanta, GA, October, 2017.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean.** “Emotions and abortion organizing on Twitter.” Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montreal Quebec, August, 2017.

Hopkins, Kristine, **Amanda Jean Stevenson,** Chloe Dillaway, Kari White, Daniel Grossman, Joseph Potter. “Change in unmet demand for long-acting and permanent methods of contraception in Texas, 2012–2016.” Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Chicago, IL, April 2017.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean**, Imelda M. Garcia-Vazquez, Richard L. Allgeyer, Pete Schenkkan, and Joseph E. Potter. "The impact of excluding Planned Parenthood from a state family planning program." North American Forum on Family Planning. Chicago, IL, November, 2015.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean**. "Emotions, engagement, and social movement ties among Texas abortion activists." Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL, August, 2015.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean**. "Emotions and social movement engagement on Twitter." International Conference on Web and Social Media. Oxford, UK. May, 2015.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean**. "Spatial variation in medical abortion: a component of abortion access." Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. San Diego, CA. April 30 - May 2, 2015.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean** and Joseph E. Potter. "Abortion access and state variation in unintended pregnancy." North American Forum on Family Planning. Miami, FL, October, 2014.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean**. "Putting Abortion Opinions into Place: A spatial-temporal analysis of Twitter data." Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. Boston, MA. May, 2014.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean** and Joseph E. Potter. "The effect of Catholic hospitals on rates of postpartum sterilization in California and Texas." Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. Boston, MA. May, 2014.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean** and Joseph E. Potter. "Spatial analysis of access to postpartum sterilization in two U.S. States." XXVII International Population Conference, Busan, South Korea, September, 2013.

**Stevenson, Amanda Jean**. "The effect of first interbirth interval and union status on women's poverty at midlife" Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America. New Orleans, LA. April, 2013.

Potter, Joseph E., **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Kari White, and Daniel Grossman. "Hospital variation in postpartum tubal sterilization rates in California and Texas." North American Forum on Family Planning. Denver, CO. October 2012.

Potter, Joseph E., **Amanda Jean Stevenson**, Kari White, Kristine Hopkins, and Daniel Grossman. "Hospital variation in postpartum tubal sterilization rates in California and Texas." Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, San Francisco, CA. May 2012.

### **INVITED PRESENTATIONS (NON-CU BOULDER)**

"The socioeconomic impact of access to contraception in the US: Using linked restricted data from Censuses, surveys, and IRS tax filings" Center for Demography and Population Health, Florida State University, April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

"Using full-count administrative data to assess the impacts of access to contraception on women's life course outcomes" Cornell Population Center Seminar, Cornell University, March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020

"Differences-in-differences and the evaluation of Texas family planning policy," Statistics Research Seminar, Department of Mathematical and Statistical Sciences, University of Colorado Denver, April 17, 2018.

### **SELECTED RECENT APPEARANCES IN POPULAR MEDIA**

Quoted in *Rewire* article, "When it comes to birth control and eugenics, Clarence Thomas gets it all wrong," May 26, 2019.

Quoted in *Denver Post/Daily Camera* article, "Coloradans are having fewer kids..." November 26, 2018.

*Denver Post* op-ed, Amanda Stevenson and Sara Yeatman, "Administration targets family planning programs," May 28, 2018. <https://www.pressreader.com/usa/the-denver-post/20180528/281818579504508>

### **AWARDS AND HONORS**

2020 National Academy of Sciences Kavli Frontiers of Science Fellow  
2015 Sociology Department Graduate Excellence Award

2015 University of Texas at Austin College of Liberal Arts University Continuing Fellowship  
 2015 ICWSM Student award, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence  
 2012-13 University of Texas at Austin College of Liberal Arts University Continuing Fellowship  
 2012 Academic Fellowship, Western Users of SAS Software  
 2011-12 National Institute of Child Health and Human Development Traineeship - Population Studies  
 2010-13 University of Texas College of Liberal Arts Fellowship in Quantitative Research Methods  
 2011 University of Texas College of Liberal Arts Fellowship (declined)  
 2011 Academic Fellowship, Western Users of SAS Software

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

### **UNDERGRADUATE**

SOCY 1016 Sex, Gender, and Society  
 Spring 2021 (101 students), Spring 2019 (83 students), Fall 2019 (94 students)  
 SOCY 2061 Introduction to Social Statistics  
 Spring 2017 (73 students), Spring 2018  
 SOCY 2092 Sex, Power, and Reproduction  
 Spring 2017 (19 students, as SOCY 2091), Fall 2017 (38 students)

### **GRADUATE**

SOCY 6016 Topics in Sex and Gender (Fertility and reproduction)  
 Fall 2017 (11 students)  
 SOCY 7111 Data 3: Advanced Data Analysis (Causal inference)  
 Fall 2019 (11 students)

### **ADVISING**

Pre-dissertation primary advisor: Sara Veljic (2018-2020), Tara Streng-Schroeter (2017-present, co-advised), Jessica Harrison (2017, co-advised).

Dissertation committee member: Andrea Tilstra (2021), Bethany Rigles (2018), Elizabeth Whalley (2017).

Ph.D. specialty comprehensive exam committee member: Adenife Modile (2019), Marley Olson (2018), Andrea Tilstra (2017).

Postdoctoral fellow advisor: Leslie Root (2021-present), Liyang Xie (2021-present).

Teaching mentor: Hillary Steinberg (Fall 2019), Benjamin Hutchernson (Spring 2019).

Research project mentor (Ph.D. student funded through collaborative research): Tara Streng-Schroeter (2018-present)

Honors thesis committee member: Abdullah Helal (2019, Economics), Griffen Everett Rowe-Gaddis (2018, Economics).

### **SERVICE**

#### **CU BOULDER SOCIOLOGY**

Instructor hiring committee (Spring 2020)

Betsy Moen Award committee (2017-present)

Population health workshop faculty sponsor (2017-present)

ARPAC culture committee (Fall 2019)

ARPAC interdisciplinary teaching and research committee (Fall 2019)

Seminar series committee (Spring 2019)

Future hires committee (Spring 2019)

Data committee (Spring 2017 – Fall 2018)

### **CU BOULDER INSTITUTE OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE**

Hiring committee for systems administrator (2018)

### **UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO BOULDER**

Organizer and instructor, ITSS interdisciplinary dissertation proposal workshop (Fall 2019 – Spring 2020)

Research and Innovation Office Innovative seed grant program reviewer (2018, 2019)

### **TO THE DISCIPLINE**

Large grant scientific reviewer, Society of Family Planning Research Fund (2019 – present)

Research mentor for underrepresented new principal investigators, Society of Family Planning Research Fund (October 2019 – present)

Society of Family Planning research impact committee (Summer 2019 – Present)

Discussant, Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America 2019, *Adolescent Fertility and Contraceptive Use*

Session Organizer, Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America 2019, *Adolescent Abortion*

Measuring Abortion in the United States Advisory Committee Member 2018, Guttmacher Institute

Poster Judge, Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America 2018 and 2017, *Fertility, Family Planning, Sexual Behavior & Reproductive Health*

Reviewer, (*Population Research and Policy Review, Journal of Marriage and Family, Contraception, Perspectives in Sexual and Reproductive Health, BMJ, Annals of Internal Medicine, Women's Health Reports*)

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Sociological Association (Since 2011)

Population Association of America (Since 2011)

Society of Family Planning (Since 2013)

International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (Since 2013)