

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of Michigan (Sociology and Population Studies) 1992
 M. A. University of Delhi, (Sociology) 1988
 B. A. University of Delhi, (English Literature) 1983

CURRENT POSITIONS

2007 – present Associate Professor, Department of Human Development and Family Studies, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
 2001 – 2007 Assistant Professor, Department of Human Development and Family Studies, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
 2001 – present Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, School of Public Health, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCECONSULTANCIES

2008-2009 Consultant on the project “Reducing Unwanted Pregnancy Among Victims of Sexual Assault – the Copperbelt Model of Integrated Care Phase II”, Population Council, Nairobi
 2008 Consultant on the project “Female Initiated Prevention Methods”, Population Council, Nairobi
 2008 Consultant on the project “Multisectoral Community Responses to Address Gender Based Violence and Alcohol Related Issues in Kenya and Uganda”, Family Health International, Nairobi
 2007 Consultant on the project “Focused Ante Natal Care: The Experience of Six African Countries”, Population Council, Nairobi
 1997–1998 Senior Social Scientist, SASHI (Situation Analysis of Sexual Health) Project, Department for International Development (U.K.), based in Kerala, India
 1983 Field Investigator, Institute of Social Studies Trust, New Delhi.

ADMINISTRATIVE

1999-2001 Co-Director, Investigator Development Core, Center on Minority Aging, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

ACADEMIC

2001, March – July Research Assistant Professor, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, School of Public Health, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

1998-1999 Post-doctoral Fellow in Aging, Carolina Population Center, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

1996-1998 Associate Fellow (Associate Professor), Centre for Development Studies, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India

1994-1995 Research Associate, Stanford University, Morrison Institute for Population and Resource Studies

1992-1994 Mellon Post-doctoral Fellow, University of California Berkeley, Departments. of Demography and Anthropology

HONORS AND AWARDS

1992-1994 Mellon Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship, Demography/Anthropology Department, University of California Berkeley

1992 Hewlett Visiting Fellowship, Indiana University, Bloomington, Population Institute for Research and Training

1990-1992 Rockefeller Foundation Pre-Doctoral Fellowship

1986-1990 Hewlett Graduate Fellowship, Population Studies Center, Univ. of Michigan

1985 Shriram Traveling Fellowship, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi

1983 N. V. Thadani Memorial Prize for B.A. (Hons.) English Literature, University of Delhi

1983 Silver Jubilee Memorial Scholarship, Miranda House, University of Delhi

1983 Gayatri Dasgupta Memorial Award, Miranda House, University of Delhi

CURRENT RESEARCH AREAS

Family relations and health care needs and utilization of seniors among the Indian immigrant community in the US

Social support, and health among elderly persons in India

Socio-economic development and gender bias in India

Family, gender, and use of health care in India and the US.

Gender based violence and women's use of reproductive health care.

PUBLICATIONS

Note: As of 1996 I publish under the name S. Sudha

EDITED VOLUMES

Mutran, E. J. and Sudha S. (2001). *Research on Aging* [Special Issue: Aging and Health in a Multiethnic Society].

PEER REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Khanna, S.K., Sudha S., Irudaya Rajan S. (2009) Family-building strategies in urban India: converging demographic trends in two culturally distinct communities *Contemporary South Asia*, Volume 17, Issue 2 June 2009, pages 141 – 158 DOI: 10.1080/09584930902870800
- Morrison, S.D., Haldeman, L., Sudha, S., Gruber, K.J., & Bailey, R. (2007) Cultural adaptation resources for food security, nutrition and health in new immigrants in central North Carolina. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health* 9(2).
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- Sudha, S., Morrison, S.D., & Zhu, L. (2007). Violence against women, symptom reporting, and treatment for reproductive tract infection in Kerala State, South India. *Health Care for Women International* 28(3) March 2007.
- Sudha, S., Irudaya Rajan, S., Mutran, E. J., & Sarma, P. S. (2007). Marital status, family ties, and self-rated health among elderly men and women in South India. *Journal of Cross Cultural Gerontology* Vol. 21 Nos. 3 and 4 Dec. 2006
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s10823-006-9027-x>
- Sudha, S., Mutran, E. J., Williams, I. C., Suchindran, C. (2006). Childbearing history and later life health: Contrasting older African American and White women. *Research on Aging* 28(5) pp 599-621.
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- Sudha S., & Irudaya Rajan, S. (2003). Persistent daughter disadvantage in India: what do estimated sex ratios at birth and sex ratios of child mortality risk reveal? *Economic and Political Weekly Special Issue on Sex Ratios in India*, 38, 4361-4369.
- Foley, K. L., Sudha, S., Gold, D., & Sloane P. (2003). Staff perceptions of successful management of severe behavioral problems in dementia special care units. *Dementia: The International Journal of Social Research and Practice*, 2, 105-117.
- Sloane P.D., Zimmerman S, Suchindran C., Reed P., Wang L., Boustani M., & Sudha, S. (2002). The public health impact of Alzheimer's disease, 2000-2050: Potential implication of treatment advances. *Annual Review of Public Health*. 23, 213-31.
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- Mutran, E. J., Sudha, S., Desai, T., & Long, K. (2001). Satisfaction with care among elderly African American and White residents of adult care facilities. *Research*

- on Aging* [Special Issue: Aging and Health in a Multiethnic Society Volume 2: Health Care Issues], 23, 61-82
- Mutran, E. J., & Sudha, S. (2000). Ethnic and racial groups, similar or different, and how do we measure? *Research on Aging* [Special Issue: Aging and Health in a Multiethnic Society Volume 1: Patterns and Methods], 22, 589-98
- Irudaya Rajan, S., Sudha S., & Mohanachandran, P. (2000). Development, fertility decline and worsening gender bias in India: Is Kerala no longer an exception? *Development and Change*, 31, 1085-1092.
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- Sudha, S., & Irudaya Rajan, S. (1999). Female demographic disadvantage in India 1981-1991: Sex-selective abortion and female infanticide. *Development and Change* [Special Issue on Gender, Poverty and Well-being], 30, 585-618.
- Schatzberg, K., Sudha S., & Mutran, E. J. (1998). Elder-proxy agreement concerning the elder's functional status and medical history: The impact of caregiver burden and depressive symptomatology. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society*, 46, 1103-11.
- Fernandez M. E., Mutran, E. J., Reitzes, D. J., & Sudha S. (1998). Ethnicity, gender and depression in older workers. *The Gerontologist*, 38, 71-79.
- Mutran, E. J., Danis, M., Bratton, K. A., Sudha, S. & Hanson L. (1997). Attitudes of the critically ill towards prolonging life: The role of social support. *The Gerontologist*, 37, 192-199.
- Sudha, S. (1997). Family size, sex composition and children's education: Ethnic differentials over development in Peninsular Malaysia. *Population Studies*, 51, 139-151.
- Shreeniwas, Sudha. (1994). Population in its social context. *International Social Science Journal*, 46, 257-75
- Sudha, S. (1993, Summer). Compu-Devata: Electronic bulletin boards and political debates among South Asian communities. *SAMAR Magazine*, 2. New York: SAMAR Collective.

BOOK CHAPTERS AND ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES

- Traditions in Transformation: Emerging Son Preference Attitudes Among Nairs of Kerala (2009) in *Unwanted Daughters: Gender Discrimination in Modern India* Eds.: T.V. Sekher and N. Hatti, Jaipur and New Delhi: Rawat Publications, India.
- Is Son Preference Emerging among the Nayars of Kerala in South India? (2007) In *Watering the Neighbor's Garden*, eds. I. Attane and C. Z. Guilmoto, Committee for International Cooperation in National Research in Demography, Paris, pp. 267-294, (available online at: http://www.cicred.org/Eng/Publications/pdf/BOOK_singapore.pdf), (co-authors: Sudha Shreeniwas and S. Irudaya Rajan).
- Sudha S., & Irudaya Rajan, S. (2002). Aging in South Asia. In D. J. Ekerdt, R. A. Applebaum, K. C. Holden, S. G. Post, K. Rockwood, R. Schulz, R. L. Sprott, and P. Uhlenberg, (Eds.) *Encyclopedia of aging*. New York: Macmillan Reference USA.

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- Mutran, E. J., Sudha S., Reed, P. Menon, M., & Desai, T. (2001). African-American use of long-term care facilities: The case of adult care homes. In S. I. Zimmerman, P. Sloane, and K. Eckert, (Eds.), *Assisted living*. Baltimore: John Hopkins University Press.
- Sudha, S., & Irudaya Rajan, S. (2000). Female demographic disadvantage in India 1981-1991: Sex-selective abortion and female infanticide. Reprinted in S. Razavi (Ed.), *Gendered poverty and well-being*. Oxford, UK; Malden, MA: Blackwell.
- Shreeniwas, S. (1994). Population in its social context. Reprinted in N. Smelser (Ed.), *Sociology, Vol. 1*. UNESCO/Blackwell Social Science Series. Oxford: Blackwell Publishers.
- Shreeniwas, S. (1993). Family size, structure and children's education: Ethnic differentials over time in Peninsular Malaysia. *Proceedings of the seminar on micro-level consequences of high fertility*. New York: Population Council.
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REVIEWS

- Sudha S. (2004). [Review of the book *Women at the center: Life in a modern matriarchy*]. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* [Special Issue on International Families], 66, 1349-1350
- Sudha, S. (2000). [Review of the book *Speaking the unspeakable: Marital violence among South Asians in the United States*]. *South Asia Bulletin: Comparative Studies of South Asia, Africa and the Middle East*, 20, 156-163.

RESEARCH REPORTS

- Lambert, H., Bharat, S., Sudha, S., & Kumari L. (1999). *Situational analysis of sexual health in India: Report on the social science research component, Trivandrum*. London, UK: Department for International Development: SASHI Project.
- Shreeniwas, S. (1995). Knowledge about HIV/AIDS and condom use among college students in urban South India. *Morrison Institute for Population and Resource Studies Research Report Series No. 63*.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION

- S. Sudha and S. D. Morrison. How Violence Against Women may Influence Care Seeking for Reproductive Tract Morbidity: Evidence from Northern India *resubmitted*.
- S. Sudha and R. B. Karnik. Shreeniwas, S. (1995). Immigrant adaptation, family relations, and elder care use of older Asian Indians in North Carolina.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

- Sudha S., Khanna S., Irudaya Rajan S. & Srivastava R. Traditions in transformation: Is son preference emerging among the Nayars of Kerala state, South India? Individual Presentation at the American Sociological Association 101st Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada, August 14-16 2006.
- Sudha S., & Morrison, S.D. Reproductive health problem reporting and treatment seeking behaviors in Northern Indian women Poster presentation at the American Public Health Association 134th Annual Meeting & Exposition (November 4-8, 2006) in Boston, MA.
- Morrison S.D., Haldeman L.A., S. Sudha, Gruber K., Bailey R. Eco-mapping cultural adaptation resources (CARS) for immigrant and refugee health in central North Carolina Poster presentation at the American Public Health Association 134th Annual Meeting & Exposition (November 4-8, 2006) in Boston, MA.
- Sudha S. Family and culture in South Asia. Invited presentation at the World Visions symposium on South Asia at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, March 2006.
- Sudha S., Williams, I. C., Dhossche D. & Herbert D. Comparing measurement validity of the Vital Exhaustion and Depression Scale (MQ) among older African Americans and Whites. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, Washington DC, November 2004.
- Sudha S. Widows in India: Demographic facts and storytellers' realities. Paper presented at the Imagined Families in US and India seminar, Women's Studies Dept. UNC-Greensboro, November 2002.
- Sudha S., Mutran, E.J., Suchindran, C, & Williams, I.C. Reproductive history and later life health: Contrasting older African American and White women. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, Boston, November 2002.
- Sudha, S., Irudaya Rajan, S., & Sarma, P.S. Gender and family support in South India. Poster presentation at Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Atlanta, May 2002.
- Sudha S., Mutran, E.J., Irudaya Rajan, S., & Sarma, P.S. Preferences for family care among older men and women in South India. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, Chicago, November 2001.
- Sudha S., and Irudaya Rajan, S. District level analysis of sex ratio at birth and sex ratio of child survival in India: 1981-1991. Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Washington DC, March 2001.
- Mutran, E.J., Sudha, S. Ethnic differences in attitudes to and use of adult care homes. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington DC, November 2000.
- Mutran, E.J., Sudha, S., Desai, T., & Long, K. Satisfaction with care among elderly African American and White Residents of adult care facilities. Paper presented at the 21st Annual Meeting of the Southern Gerontological Society, Raleigh NC, March 2000.

- Shreeniwas, S. & Irudaya Rajan, S. Patriarchy, development and daughter-disfavour in India 1981-1991: Evidence on pre- and post-natal sex selection. Paper presented at the International Women's Conference: Women's Status Visions and Reality, New Delhi, February 2000.
- Sudha, S., Irudaya Rajan, S.I., Suchindran, C., Mutran, E.J., & Sarma, P.S. Social networks and health status among elderly men and women in South India. Paper presented at The Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, New York, March 1999.
- Sudha, S., Irudaya Rajan, S.I., Suchindran, C., Mutran, E.J., & Sarma, P.S. Social networks and health status among elderly men and women in South India. Paper presented at the NIA Technical Assistance Workshop for New Scholars in Aging Research, National Institute on Aging, Washington DC, Nov. 1998.
- Sudha, S., & Irudaya Rajan, S. Rising female demographic disadvantage in India 1981-1991: What is the role of sex-selective abortion and female infanticide. Paper presented at the Seminar on Gender and Development: Indicators and Strategies, UNRISD and Norwegian Research Council, Oslo, Sept. 1998.
- Sudha, S., & Irudaya Rajan, S. Rising female demographic disadvantage in India 1981-1991: What is the role of sex-selective abortion and female infanticide. Paper presented at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, jointly sponsored by the Centre for Population Studies and Health Promotion Research Unit, London, Sept. 1998.
- Sudha, S., and Irudaya Rajan, S. Intensifying masculinity of infancy sex ratio in India: preliminary evidence from the 1981 and 1991 censuses. Paper presented at: the T. N. Krishnan Memorial Seminar on Development Experience of Southern States in a Comparative Perspective, Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum, Kerala, Sept. 1997.
- Sudha, S., and Irudaya Rajan, S. Intensifying masculinity of infancy sex ratio in India: preliminary evidence from the 1981 and 1991 censuses. Paper presented at the Seminar on Gender, Poverty and Well-Being, UNDP / UNRISD / CDS, Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum, Kerala Nov. 1997.
- Sudha S. Qualitative research methods: An overview. Paper presented at the Kerala Research Project on Local Level Development: Research Methodology Workshop, Kerala Institute for Local Administration, Dec. 1996.
- Shreeniwas, S. Political use of the Internet among South Asian groups. Paper presented at the Workshop on International Democratization, School of International Affairs, Columbia University, sponsored by the Mellon Foundation, February 1996.
- Clark, A. W., & Shreeniwas S. Questioning the links between child survival and maternal education: An Indian case study. Paper presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, San Francisco, 1995.
- Shreeniwas, S. and Mahmood, N. The impact of son mortality on parents' contraceptive use in Pakistan. Poster presented at the Population Association of America Annual Meetings, San Francisco, 1995.

- A. W. Clark and Shreeniwas, .. Excess female child mortality in Gujarat State, India: Class constraints on the effect of maternal education. Paper presented at the Bay Area Colloquium in Population, March 1994.
- A. W. Clark and Shreeniwas, S. Excess female child mortality in Gujarat State, India: Class constraints on the effect of maternal education. Paper presented the Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Miami, May 1994.
- Shreeniwas, S. Family size, structure and children's education: Ethnic differentials over time in Peninsular Malaysia. Paper presented at the Seminar on the Micro-Level Consequences of High Fertility, Population Council, New York, June 1992.
- Shreeniwas, S. Family size, structure and children's education: Ethnic differentials over time in Peninsular Malaysia. Paper presented at the International Sociological Association Conference on Social Stratification, Trento, Italy, May 1992.
- Shreeniwas, S. Family size, structure and the achievement of children: the case of Peninsular Malaysia. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington DC, March 1991.

GRANTS

“Enablers of HIV testing decision-making in Hispanic/Latino Women in the US South” Sharon Morrison-PI of pilot study, Sudha Shreeniwas, Co-PI of pilot study (15%), TRIAD Center for Health Disparities. 1P20MD002289-01, NCMHD/NIH, 10/1/2007-9/30/2012, \$6,589,787 Wallace, Debra C. (PI),

“Traditions in transformation: Social change and new reproductive technologies in Kerala, India”, funded by Wenner Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research Foundation Research Grant. \$ 25,000. 2003-2004.

“Community cultural adaptation resources for nutritional health information and food security”, with Lauren Haldeman, Sharon Morrison, and Ken Gruber. UNCG External Proposal Development Incentive Program. \$ 50,000. 2003-2004.

“Reproductive history and later life health: A pilot study”, funded by the Center on Minority Aging, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. \$29,831. 2001-2002.

“Reproductive history and later life health by ethnicity”, small seed grant from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill University Research Council. \$2,000. 2000.

“District-level analysis of sex ratios at birth using 1981 and 1991 Indian census data to examine intensifying bias against girl children during development”, UNFPA Population and Sustainable Development Program. \$750. 1997.

"AIDS/HIV Awareness Among College Students in South India", Mellon Foundation research grant, U-C Berkeley. \$2500. 1994.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Population Association of America
American Sociological Association
Gerontological Society of America
Indian Association for the Study of Population
Indian Association of Women's Studies

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Member, Program Committee, Gerontological Society of America Behavioral and Social Science Section Program, 2002-2003.

Co-guest Editor with E. J. Mutran of a special issue of *Research on Aging* devoted to Culture, Minority Group Membership and Health

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Marriage and the Family* (2008-present)

Occasional manuscript reviewer for:

American Sociological Review
Indian Journal of Medical Research
Journal of Biosocial Science
Journal of Cross Cultural Gerontology
Journal of Family Issues
Journal of Marriage and the Family
Journal of Women's Health
Nordic Institute of Asian Studies
Population Studies
Research on Aging
Social Science and Medicine

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO SERVICE

Member, UNCG HDFS Textbook Committee, 2009 - present
Member, UNCG HDFS Internationalization Committee, 2009 - present
Member, UNCG HDFS Dept. Undergraduate Committee, 2004 - present.
Member, UNCG HDFS Faculty Student Liaison Committee 2005-2006.
Member, Gerontology Program Advisory Committee, 2001 – 2006.
Member, HDFS Social Committee, 2001 – 2006.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Presented information on cultural diversity issues among aging populations in NC for the Greensboro Mental Health Coalition, Jan. 2005.

Presented information on South Asian populations in North Carolina at the North Carolina Coalition Against Domestic Violence Statewide Conference, May 16th-18th 2002.

Conduct informational workshops on South Asian cultural and women's issues for North Carolina Triangle area service providers.

Conduct training sessions for volunteers in domestic violence resource groups serving the South Asian immigrant community in North Carolina

Conduct outreach programs among the South Asian immigrant community regarding domestic violence issues and services

Co-Founder / Former Board Member of KIRAN, a North Carolina Triangle area crisis resource group for South Asian origin women

Volunteer for NARIKA, a domestic violence resource group for South Asian women in the San Francisco East Bay Area (1993-95).

COURSES TAUGHT AT UNCG

HDF 211: Lifespan Development (Undergraduate)

HDF 304: Adult Development in the Family (Undergraduate)

HDF 409: Family Diversity (Undergraduate)

HDF 428: Families in the Middle Years (Undergraduate)

HDF 562: Family Gerontology (Undergraduate)

HDF 602A: Problems in HDF/Gerontology: Aging, Social Support and Health (Graduate)

HDF 602: Families in Middle and Later Life (Graduate)

OTHER TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Psychosocial Aspects of Aging (Medical Sociology). Spring 2002, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Graduate / Upper level undergraduate course, with students from allied health departments.

Selected Topics in the Sociology of Health. (Guest Lecturer) Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Fall 1999.

Psychosocial Aspects of Aging. (Guest Lecturer) Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Fall 1999.

Gender Relations, Population and Development. Developed training materials and taught for the UNFPA's Population and Sustainable Development Diploma Program for mid-

level policy and planning officials from developing countries world-wide, at the Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum, Kerala, India. 1996-98.

Micro-approaches to Population and Development. Developed training materials and taught for the UNFPA's Population and Sustainable Development Diploma Program for mid-level policy and planning officials from developing countries world-wide, at the Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum, Kerala, India. 1998.

Qualitative Research Approaches. Developed teaching summary for participants in the Kerala Research Program on Local Level Development, Centre for Development Studies, Trivandrum, Kerala, India. 1996.

GRADUATE ADVISING AT UNCG

PhD THESIS COMMITTEE MEMBER:

DANSOKHO, SELMA CHIPENDA. Directed by Dr. Andrea Hunter

KARNIK, RACHNA. Working Title: Pretend play of young children (3-4 year olds) in India (Gujarat). Directed by Dr. Jonathan Tudge

CRAIG, DEBRA (2008). Household Income, Economic Pressure, and Depressive Mood among Unmarried Women in Midlife: The Moderating Effects of Locus of Control, Financial Instrumental Support Received from Parents, and Race. Directed by Dr. Heather Helms

MURPHY, YVETTE. (2004). Constructed Meanings of Kinship Care: African American Grandmothers Raising Grandchildren Within the Context of the Child Welfare System. Directed by Dr. Peggye Dilworth-Anderson.
(Awarded the George and Beatrice Goldman Fisher Gerontology Doctoral Thesis Prize UNCG, 2004)

WILLIAMS, ISHAN, C. (2003). The effects of context on the emotional and physical health outcomes of Black and White family caregivers. Directed by Dr. Peggye Dilworth-Anderson.
(Awarded the George and Beatrice Goldman Fisher Gerontology Doctoral Thesis Prize UNCG, 2003)

GIBSON, BRENT, E. (2003). A Methodological Journey to Examine the Stress Process Among Dementia Caregivers from Three Ethnoracial Groups - Caucasian, African American, and Hispanic. Directed by Dr. Peggye Dilworth-Anderson.

MASTER'S THESIS COMMITTEE MEMBER:

KARIS J. MADISON. Parent, Child and Relational Contexts of Child Disclosure About Peer Relationships in Early Adolescence. Directed by Dr. Anne Fletcher and Dr. Andrea Hunter.

DEBRA L. CRAIG (2005). Household Income and Depressive Mood among Single Women in Midlife: Does the Source of Income Matter? Directed by Dr. Heather Helms and Dr. Sudha Shreeniwas
(Awarded the George and Beatrice Goldman Fisher Gerontology Master's Thesis Prize UNCG, 2005)

OTHER GRADUATE ADVISING

PhD THESIS COMMITTEE MEMBER:

TUNG, HO-JUI. (2001). Ethnicity, use of Chinese medicine physicians, and health status among the elderly in Taiwan. School of Public Health, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Directed by Dr Elizabeth J. Mutran.

MASTER'S THESIS COMMITTEE MEMBER:

PARIKH, SAPANA. (2002). Negotiation of Retirement and Health Needs: Aging Indian Americans and their Children in North Carolina. School of Public Health, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Directed by Dr Elizabeth J. Mutran.

MARZ, PAMELA J. (2001). Neglect of Elders: A Structural Analysis of Nursing Homes at the Turn of the Century. School of Public Health, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Directed by Dr Elizabeth J. Mutran.

STEVENS, RACHEL A. (2001). Reproductive Health in Northeast Cambodia: A Quantitative Program Evaluation of a Community-Based Distribution Project. School of Public Health, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Directed by Dr. Sudha Shreeniwas and Dr. Alfredo Fort.

REFERENCES AVAILABLE ON REQUEST