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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Researcher, Native Nations Institute for Leadership, Management, and Policy, Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (April 2009 – Present)

Operations Manager, Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (April 2006 – Present)

Research Analyst, Native Nations Institute for Leadership, Management, and Policy, Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (February 2007 – March 2009)

Senior Program Coordinator, Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (February 2005 – April 2006)

Research Coordinator, Native Nations Institute for Leadership, Management, and Policy, Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (November 2002 – February 2007)

Senior Research Specialist, Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (June 2001 – January 2005)

Program Assistant, Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (August 2000 – May 2001)

Graduate Assistant, Nutrition and Physical Activity Unit, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (November 1999 – December 2000)

Injury Prevention Intern, Tucson Area Indian Health Service, Tucson, AZ, (June 2000 – August 2000)

Graduate Assistant, Center for Native American Health, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (September 1999 – December 1999)

Research Assistant, Center for Science in the Public Interest, Washington, DC, (July 1998 - December 1998)

Legislative Volunteer, National Congress of American Indians, Washington, DC, (May 1998 - June 1998)

Program Manager, Human Services Research Institute, Cambridge, MA, (October 1997 - May 1998)

Research Assistant/Senior Administrative Assistant, Human Services Research Institute, Cambridge, MA, (March 1997 - October 1997)

Administrative Assistant, Human Services Research Institute, Cambridge, MA, (October 1996-March 1997)

EDUCATION

Mel and Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health, Tucson, AZ. Dr.P.H. in process.

University of Arizona College of Public Health, Tucson, AZ. M.P.H., 2001, GPA 4.0, concentrations in community health practice and American Indian policy.

Harvard University Extension School, Cambridge, MA. Non-degree work, 1997 – 1999, coursework in public health and economics.

Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. A.B. Biology and Society, 1996, concentrations in health and society and American Indian studies.

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RECENT RESEARCH

Beyond "Health Care": Community, Governance, and Culture in the Health and Wellness of Native nations – qualitative and quantitative research project funded by the WK Kellogg Foundation, 2011-2014

Improving Health Care Access in Native American Communities: What Can Tribes Do? – Case study research project funded by the WK Kellogg Foundation, 2009-10

Improving Health Care Access in Native American Communities: What Can Tribes Do? – Formative research project funded by the Nathan Cummings Foundation, 2008

Citizen Use of Per Capita Distributions: A Report to A Midwestern Native Nation – Research project funded by the nation, 2008

PUBLICATIONS

Cornell, Stephen, Miriam Jorgensen, **Stephanie C. Rainie**, Ian Record, Ryan Seelau, and Rachel Rose Starks. (In Press). *Per Capita Distributions of American Indian Tribal Revenues: A Preliminary Discussion of Policy Considerations*. Joint Occasional Papers on Native Affairs (JOPNA). Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy and Harvard Project on American Indian Economic Development: Tucson, AZ, and Cambridge, MA. 21pp.

Arsenault, Jaime and **Stephanie C. Rainie**. *Does Tribal Management of Health Care Delivery Increase Access to Care?* Indian Country Today. July 19, 2009. Available at <http://www.indiancountrytoday.com/living/health/51022847.html>.

Rainie, Stephanie Carroll, Joan Timeche, Kylie Dickman, and Robert Merideth (Eds.). (2003) "Native Nations, the Environment, and the State of California: Tribal-State Relationships and Environmental Quality." Provides an overview of the April 2003 workshop of the same name, where representatives of Native nations and agencies discussed and responded to the California Environmental Protection Agency's "Policy for Working with Tribes along the California-Baja California Border."

Rainie, Stephanie Carroll (Eds.). (2003) "Building Native Nations: Environment, Natural Resources, and Governance." Summary of a conference held December 11-13, 2002, in Tucson, AZ.

Merideth, Robert and **Stephanie Carroll Rainie** (Eds.). (2002) "Native American Health and Welfare in an Age of New Federalism," an updated compilation of presentations and discussions from a conference held in Tucson, AZ in November 1998.

In Progress

Cornell, Stephen, Miriam Jorgensen, **Stephanie C. Rainie**. *The Shift to Tribal Control: Native American Health Care in the Self-Determination Era*. Joint Occasional Papers on Native Affairs (JOPNA). Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy and Harvard Project on American Indian Economic Development: Tucson, AZ, and Cambridge, MA. 21pp.

Arsenault, Jaime, Stephen Cornell, Miriam Jorgensen, **Stephanie C. Rainie**. *Health Care Access in American Indian Communities: A Brief History of American Indian Health and Health Management*.

Rainie, Stephanie C and Christina Cutshaw. *The Push to Cut: Is it Ethical to Restrict Access to Vaginal Birth After Previous Cesarean Delivery?*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, Public Health Research and Evaluation, Mel and Eniz Zuckerman College of Public Health, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, (Fall 2011)

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CONFERENCES, SYMPOSIA, AND MEETINGS

Presentations

"Opportunities for Improving the Health of Tribal Communities" Udall Scholar Orientation Session, August 4, 2011, Tucson, AZ.

"Tribal Community Management of Health Care: What are the Lessons?" American Public Health Association Conference, November 9, 2010, Denver, CO.

"Tribal Community Management of Health Care: What are the Lessons?" Poster Presentation DiversityRx Conference, October 19, 2010, Baltimore, MD.

"Tribal Community Management of Health Care: What are the Lessons?" National American Indian Studies Association Meeting, May 20-22, 2010. Tucson, AZ.

"Improving Health Access and Outcomes in Native American Communities: What Can Tribes Do?" 20th Annual Native Health Research Conference, August 27, 2008, Portland, OR.

"Improving Health Access and Outcomes in Native American Communities: What Can Tribes Do?" and "Gender and Employment in Indian Country." Native Nations Institute International Advisory Committee, June 14, 2008, Vancouver, BC, Canada.

"Per Capita Revenue Distribution: Policy Considerations" 14th Annual Oweesta/L.E.A.D. Institute 2008 National Conference, March 19, 2008, Denver, CO.

"Research directions: The Native Nations Institute for Leadership, Management, and Policy," National Congress of American Indians Policy Research Center Meeting, June 12, 2005, Green Bay, WI.

"Factors Contributing to Tribal Economic Success," Native American Affordable Housing Track, Seventh Annual Arizona Affordable Housing Conference, March 27-28, 2003, Tucson, AZ.

Participation

Train-the-Trainer Pilot, "Research that Benefits Native Communities: A Guide for Tribal Leaders." Albuquerque, NM. National Congress of American Indians Policy Research Center, April 2009.

Site Visitor, "Honoring Contributions in the Governance of American Indian Nations: An Awards Program that Identifies, Celebrates & Shares Outstanding Examples of Tribal Governance," various sites, Harvard Project on American Indian Economic Development, July and August, 2008.

Site Visitor, "Honoring Contributions in the Governance of American Indian Nations: An Awards Program that Identifies, Celebrates & Shares Outstanding Examples of Tribal Governance," various sites, Harvard Project on American Indian Economic Development, September and November, 2003.

Planning Coordinator, "Native Nations, the Environment, and the State of California: A Workshop on Tribal-State Relationships and Environmental Quality Issues," Temecula, CA, April 14-15, 2003, co-sponsored by the Morris K. Udall Foundation; California Environmental Protection Agency, Border Environmental Program; and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9.

Planning Coordinator, "Building Native Nations: Environment, Natural Resources, and Governance," Tucson, AZ, December 11-13, 2001, co-sponsored by the Native Nations Institute for Leadership, Management, and Governance at the Udall Center for Studies in Public Policy, The University of Arizona; the Morris K. Udall Foundation; the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; and the Pascua Yaqui Tribe of Arizona.

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Planning Committee Member, "Should Government Cover Traditional Indian Medicine?" Scottsdale, AZ, September 6-8, 2001, co-sponsored by the University of Arizona College of Medicine and the Indian Health Service Clinical Support Center.

Planning Committee Member, "First National Conference on Multicultural Mental Health Research into the 21st Century," Boston, MA, October 1997.

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Support for "Oct. 2010-Sept. 2011 Workplan." Cooperative agreement with Morris K. Udall Foundation. \$330,000. Co-PI with S. Cornell & R. Varady.

Support for "Oct. 2009-Sept. 2010 Workplan." Cooperative agreement with Morris K. Udall Foundation. \$331,000. Co-PI with S. Cornell & R. Varady.

Support for "Oct. 2008-Sept. 2009 Workplan." Cooperative agreement with Morris K. Udall Foundation. \$330,000. Co-PI with S. Cornell & R. Varady.

Support for "Oct. 2007-Sept. 2008 Workplan." Cooperative agreement with Morris K. Udall Foundation. \$344,000. Co-PI with S. Cornell & R. Varady.

"Executive Education Seminar on Environmental Issues, the U.S.-Mexico Border, and Tribal Sovereignty." U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. \$15,000. October 2001 – March 2003. Co-PI with S. Cornell, R. Varady, R. Merideth, J. Timeche, & M. Begay.

Support for the "Building Native Nations: Environment, Natural Resources, and Governance Conference." U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. \$30,000. December 2001 – February 2002. Co-PI with J. Timeche.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Indian Science and Engineering Society
American Public Health Association
Arizona Public Health Association

SERVICE AND CITIZENSHIP

Community

Native Images, Inc Board Member, Tucson, AZ (2009-Present)
Desert Sky Community School Board Member (Treasurer), Tucson, AZ (2006-2008)
Pascua Yaqui Tribal Community Health Status Assessment Planning Committee, Consultant (2000-2001)
Sunnyside Unified School District Tutor, Tucson, AZ (1999-2000)
National Congress of American Indians, Legislative Volunteer (1998)
Students For Children, Cornell University, Public Relations (1995-1996)
Alpha Omicron Pi Fraternity, Cornell University, Public Relations Chair (1995-1996)
Alpha Omicron Pi Fraternity, Cornell University, Food Net Coordinator (1994-1995)
Community Service Corps, Andover High School, Bread and Roses Coordinator (1991-1992)
Captains Club, Andover High School, Cross Country (1991)
Varsity Letter, Andover High School, Cross Country, Winter Track, Spring Track (1990-1992)
Junior State of America, Andover High School, Treasurer (1990-1991)

University of Arizona

Arizona College of Public Health Advising and Mentoring Workgroup (2001-2002)
American Indian Graduate Center Transition Team Committee (2001)

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HONORS AND AWARDS

Ahtna Heritage Foundation Scholarship, 2009-Current
Zuckerman Family Foundation Scholarship, 2010-2011
Ecotrust Native American Scholarship, 2010-2011
Arizona College of Public Health Internship Conference Distinguished Presentation Award, 2001
Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium Scholarship, 2000-2001
University of Arizona Graduate College Out-of-State Tuition Scholarship, 1999-2001
Fort McDowell Wassaja Memorial Scholarship, 2000
Ahtna Heritage Foundation Scholarship, 1995-2001
Copper River Native Association Scholarship, 1995-1996
Alpha Omicron Pi Outstanding New Member Award, 1994
The Junior State of America Outstanding Member Award – Andover Chapter, 1991