



Curriculum Vitae
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EDUCATION

- 2015 Northwestern University
PhD, Department of Anthropology
- 2008 Johns Hopkins University
BA, Program in Behavioral Biology, *Graduated with Honors*

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2021 -present [Assistant Professor](#), Loyola University Chicago
Department of Anthropology
- 2024 – 2027 Carolyn Farrell, BVM, Endowed Professor in Women and Leadership for
the Gannon Center for Women’s Leadership, Loyola University Chicago
- 2024 – present Research Associate, Universitas Padjadjaran, Bandung, Indonesia
- 2023 – present [Faculty Affiliate](#) for the Center for Research and International Affairs,
Loyola University Chicago
- 2016 - present Research Associate, The Field Museum of Natural History
Keller Science Action Center
- 2022- 23 [Faculty Fellow](#) for the Gannon Center for Women’s Leadership, Loyola
University Chicago
- 2015 - 2016 Postdoctoral Research Fellow, The Field Museum of Natural History
Integrative Research Center

AWARDS

- 2023-24 Alice B. Hayes Faculty Teaching Award for Advising and Mentoring (Awarded)
- 2023-24 St. Ignatius of Loyola Award for Teaching Excellence (Awarded, Rising Star)
- 2022-23 Alice B. Hayes Faculty Teaching Award for Advising and Mentoring
(Awarded, Rising Star)

2022-23	Provost's Award for Excellence in Teaching Freshmen (Awarded, Runner-Up)
2023	Langerbeck Outstanding Research Mentor Award (Nominated but not awarded)
2022-23	St. Ignatius of Loyola Award for Teaching Excellence (Nominated but not awarded)

RESEARCH

Fellowships and Grants (\$1,265,990+ awarded to date)

2024	PI: Building Interfaith America Emerging Leader Grant. InterFaith America. Submitted (\$1000).
2024	PI: Office of Research Services, Loyola University of Chicago: Research Support Grant (\$4,995): Water and Indigenous Health in the Peruvian Amazon
2024	Carolyn Farrell, BVM, Endowed Professor in Women and Leadership for the Gannon Center for Women's Leadership, Loyola University Chicago. (Selected as Awardee for 2024-2027, ~\$440,400 in support)
2024	Co-PI: Culturally Responsive Intervention Incorporating AI to Promote Healthy Integration Among Afghan Evacuees in Illinois and Tennessee (Pilot Study) - Schreiber Venture Fund Innovation Grant (\$47,763)
2024	Co-PI: Office of Research Services, Loyola University of Chicago: Research Support Grant: Culturally Responsive Intervention Incorporating AI to Promote Healthy Integration Among Afghan Evacuees in Illinois and Tennessee (Pilot Study) (\$5,000)
2024	Gannon Center for Women and Leadership – Gannon Graduate Leader Program (\$5,000)
2023-24	The Schmitt Foundation – Schmitt Fellows Graduate Leadership Program (\$75,000)
2024	Office of Research Services, Loyola University of Chicago: Manuscript Assistance Grant (\$963)
2023-2024	National Endowment for the Humanities - "Humanizing STEM Education: Navigating Future Challenges Through Integrated Instruction" (sub-award \$4,000)

2023	Gannon Center for Women and Leadership – Gannon Graduate Leader Program (\$1,000)
2023	Wenner-Gren Seminar: Biocultural Anthropology for the 21st Century: Intergenerational, Interdisciplinary, and International Impacts (Selected as Wenner-Gren Seminar for 2023, ~\$275,000 to support the international seminar)
2023	Gannon Center for Women and Leadership – Faculty Fellow (\$8,000)
2020-2023	British Academy, Knowledge Frontiers Interdisciplinary, International Research Program (co-PI): "Water Insecurity and Gender-Based Violence: Exploring Links and Steps for Prevention in Indonesian and Peruvian Women" (\$201,810)
2023	Hank Center for Catholic Studies, Loyola University Chicago: Faculty Research Proposal” “Education, Equality and Women's Health: Co-Designing a Gender Equality Intervention in Catholic Communities in Rural Peru (\$9,000)
2022	Office of Research Services, Loyola University of Chicago: Research Support Grant (\$5,000)
2022	Office of Research Services, Loyola University of Chicago: Manuscript Assistance Grant (\$1,000)
2022	INSPIRED Micro-Grant, Loyola University of Chicago and the National Science Foundation: "Climate Change and the Health of Women and Children in Peru". (\$2,000)
2022	School of Social Work, Loyola University Chicago: Funding for student involvement in international research (\$800)
2022	College of Arts and Sciences Dean's Office, Loyola University Chicago (PI): Funding for student involvement in international research (\$5,000)
2021	HWISE-RCN Collaborator Accelerator Award, HWISE-RCN and National Science Foundation: “Large-Scale Infrastructure Projects and Household Water Insecurity in the Amazon: Corporate Responsibility is Crucial for Indigenous Health and Livelihoods" (\$2,000)
2021	<i>Plan International</i> Grant (co-PI): "Youth Leadership on Climate Change: Photovoice Perspectives across the Peruvian Andes, Amazon, and Coast" (\$19,000)
2015 - 2016	Negaunee Foundation Postdoctoral Research Fellowship (PI) (\$57,500)

- 2015 - 2016 Wenner-Gren Foundation Engaged Anthropology Grant (PI): "Vulnerability & Health Outcomes in Amazonia": An Innovative Conference Engaging Peruvian Scholars, Policy-Makers & Indigenous Community Members" (EA-92) (\$5,000)
- 2014 - 2015 The Leadership Fellowship: Northwestern University Leadership Center (\$3,000)
- 2015 National Science Foundation Grant: Supporting participation in "Statistical Methods in Ethnographic Research", Duke University Marine Lab, Beaufort, NC (NSF #0649817) (unknown cost of instruction, lodging, and food)
- 2013- 2014 Wenner-Gren Foundation Dissertation Fieldwork Grant (PI): "Stress, Health, and Physiological Functioning among the Awajún of the Peruvian Amazon" (#8628) (\$24,666)
- 2014 Northwestern University Graduate Research Grant (PI): "Health Care Access and Mental Health in the Amazon: A BioCultural Approach to Traditional and Western Health Care in an Awajún Community in Peru" (\$3,800)
- 2014 Northwestern University Undergraduate Research Grant (co-PI): "Health Care Access and Mental Health in the Amazon: A BioCultural Approach to Traditional and Western Health Care in an Awajún Community in Peru" (\$3,000)
- 2010 - 2013 National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship (\$90,000)
- 2012 Northwestern University Graduate School Travel Conference Grant (\$700)
- 2009 - 2015 Northwestern University Graduate Fellowship (\$123,00 over 6 years + tuition)
- 2011 National Science Foundation Grant: Supporting participation in "Cultural Anthropology Field School: Tsimané Amazonian Panel Study", Department of Beni, Bolivia (NSF #0925900) (unknown cost of instruction, lodging, and food)
- 2012 & 2014 Lecron Foster and Friends of Anthropology Summer Research Grant (\$1,300)
- 2010 National Science Foundation (co-PI): "Human Ecological Immunology: Shuar Health and Life History Project" (NSF-BCS-1027687 - Originally titled, "Ecology of Inflammation in lowland Bolivia" with Co-PI Bill Leonard) (\$131,853)
- 2009 International Society of Ethnobiology Graduate Travel Conference Grant (\$450)
- 2008 Manu Learning Center Fellowship for Resident Naturalists (\$2,000)
- 2008 Johns Hopkins Program in Latin American Studies Grant (\$500)

SCHOLARSHIP

Peer-Reviewed Articles (22 articles published to date)

- Accepted **Tallman PS**, Seligman R, Madimenos F, Liebert M, Cepon T, Sugiyama L, Snodgrass J, McDade T. Somatic symptoms and biological functioning among Shuar of the Ecuadorian Amazon. Invited submission for special issue of the *American Journal of Human Biology*.
- 2024 **Tallman PS**, Miller A, *Brandley S, *Lee C, Gildner T, Robins T, **Collins S. Helicobacter pylori exposure among the Awajún of the Peruvian Amazon: Prevalence and environmental, social, and biological associations. *American Journal of Biological Anthropology*.
- 2024 **Tallman PS**, Piland, N, *Villarmarzo, M, Lacy, L, Valdés-Velásquez. Waterscapes meet socio-ecological models: A framework to examine water insecurity and the health of Indigenous peoples and local communities in the Amazon basin. Submitted to *People and Nature*.
- 2024 **Tallman PS**, *Kothadia, A, *Archdeacon, N*, **Collins, S, Salmon-Mulanovich, G, López L, Castañeda K, Rusyidi, B. Cole, S. Gender-Based Water Violence: Cross-Cultural Evidence for Severe Harm Associated with Water Insecurity for Women and Girls. *Violence Against Women*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/10778012241230323>
- 2024 Cole, S, **Tallman PS**, Salmon-Mulanovich, G, Rusyidi, B. Water Insecurity is associated with Gender-Based Violence: A Mixed-Methods Study in Indonesia. *Social Science and Medicine*. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2023.116507>
- 2023 *Archdeacon, N, Salmon-Mulanovich, G, *Kothadia, A, López L, Castañeda K, Rusyidi, B. Cole, S., **Tallman, PS**. Teenage Pregnancy in Tambogrande, Peru: Causes, Consequences, and Cycles of Violence and Disadvantage. *Culture, Health, and Sexuality*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/13691058.2023.2193250>
- 2023 **Tallman PS**, **Collins, S, Salmon-Mulanovich, G, Rusyidi, B. *Kothadia, Aman Cole, S. Water Insecurity and Gender-Based Violence: A Global Review of the Evidence. *WIREs Water*. DOI: 10.1002./wat2.1619.
- 2022 **Tallman PS**, **Collins, S, Salmon-Mulanovich, G, Chaparro, M. Water Insecurity, Self-Reported Physical Health, and Objective Measures of Biological Health in the Peruvian Amazon. *American Journal of Human Biology*. DOI: 10.1002/ajhb.23805

*Undergraduate student co-author.

- 2022 Silva, M, **Tallman, PS**, Hoffman, K, Yavinsky, R, Fleckman, J, Stollow, Jeni, LeSar. Learning from the past: the role of social and behavior change in public health emergencies. *Global Health: Science and Practice*. 10 (4). DOI: 10.9745/GHSP-D-22-00026
- 2022 **Tallman PS**, **Sanchez-Samaniego G, Valdés-Velásquez A. The “Double Burden of Malnutrition” in the Amazon: Drastic Changes in Diets, Obesity, and Anemia Over 40 Years in Awajún Communities in Peru. *Ecology of Food and Nutrition*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/03670244.2021.1916925>
- 2022 **Tallman PS**, Pace C, Southgate T, **Riley-Powell A, Valdés-Velásquez A, Salmón-Mulanovich G, Hartinger SM, Paz-Soldán VA. Ecosyndemics: The Potential Synergistic Health Impacts of Highways and Dams in the Amazon. *Social Science and Medicine*. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2020.113037>
- 2021 Torres-Slimming PA, López L, Castañeda K, Durand O, **Tallman PS**, Salmon-Mulanovich G. Explorando percepciones del impacto de cambio climático en tres regiones en el Perú. *Revista Kawsaypacha*. 8: 101-117. <https://doi.org/10.18800/kawsaypacha.202102.005>
- 2021 **Sanchez-Samaniego G, Mäusezahl D, **Tallman PS**, Peña S. Cardiovascular Disease in the Peruvian Highlands: Local Perceptions, Barriers, and Paths to Preventing Chronic Diseases in Andean Adults. *International Journal of Public Health*. <https://doi.org/10.3389/ijph.2021.1604117>
- 2021 **Sanchez-Samaniego G, **Tallman PS**, Valdés-Velásquez A. Metabolic Syndrome Risk Unexpectedly Predicted by Traditional Food Consumption among the Awajún of the Peruvian Amazon. *Annals of Human Biology*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/03014460.2021.1908424>
- 2019 **Tallman PS**, Valdés-Velásquez A, Salmón-Mulanovich G, Riley-Powell A, Villafuerte LB, Hartinger SM, Paz-Soldán VA. A “cookbook” for vulnerability research. *Frontiers in Public Health*. 7 (352): 1-7
- 2019 **Tallman PS**. Water insecurity and mental health in the Amazon: Economic and ecological drivers of distress. *Economic Anthropology*. 6 (2): 304-316
- 2018 **Tallman PS**. “Now we live for the money”: Shifting markers of status, stress, and immune function in the Peruvian Amazon. *Ethos*. 46 (1): 134-157
- 2017 Wali A, Alvira D, **Tallman PS**, Ravikumar R, Macedo M. Together we can thrive: Linking well-being and conservation in the Amazon region of Peru. *Ecology and Society*. 22 (4):6

** Graduate student co-author.

- 2016 **Tallman PS.** The Index of Vulnerability: An anthropological method linking social-ecological systems to mental and physical health outcomes. *Social Science and Medicine*. 162: 68-78.
- 2012 McDade TW, **Tallman, PS**, Madimenos FC, Liebert MA, Cepon TJ, Sugiyama LS, Snodgrass JJ. 2012. Analysis of biovariability of high sensitivity C-reactive protein in lowland Ecuador reveals no evidence of chronic low-grade inflammation. *American Journal of Human Biology*. 24 (5): 675-681.
- 2012 **Tallman PS**, Kuzawa CW, Adair LS, Borja J, McDade TW. Microbial exposures in infancy predict levels of the immuno-regulatory cytokine interleukin 4 in Filipino young adults. *American Journal of Human Biology*. 24 (4): 446-453.
- 2012 Kuzawa CW, **Tallman PS**, Adair LS, Borja J, McDade TW. 2012. Inflammatory profiles in the non-pregnant state predict offspring birth weight at Cebu: evidence for intergenerational effects of low-grade inflammation. *Annals of Human Biology*. 39 (4): 267-274.
- 2011 McDade TW, **Tallman PS**, Adair LS, Borja J, Kuzawa CW. 2011. Comparative insights into the regulation of inflammation: Levels and predictors of interleukin 6 and interleukin 10 in young adults in the Philippines. *American Journal of Physical Anthropology*. 146 (3): 373-384

Book Chapter (1 book chapter accepted for publication)

- Accepted Cole, S., Sandag, Y., **Tallman, P.**, Salmon-Mulanovich, G, Rusyidi, B. Gender and Water Governance in Indonesia: A Human Rights Perspective. Submitted to an edited volume on “Gender and Water Governance”. *Routledge*.

Book Reviews (2 book reviews published to date)

- 2022 *Roytman, M., **Tallman, PS.** Book Review of “The Work of Hospitals: Global Medicine in Local Cultures” edited by William Olsen. *World Medical and Health Policy*. <https://doi.org/10.1002/wmh3.538>
- 2020 **Tallman PS.** Book Review of "Climate Change and Social Inequality: The Health and Social Costs of Global Warming" by Merrill Singer. *American Journal of Human Biology*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1002/ajhb.23428>

Peer-Reviewed Articles Under Review (4 manuscripts currently submitted/under review)

- Revised and Resubmitted Poland-McClain W, **Tallman PS**, Rai A, Archdeacon N, Shallal G, Salmon-Mulanovich G. Scoping Review of Cultural Responsivity in Interventions to Prevent Gender-Based Violence in Latin America. Submitted to *Trauma, Violence, and Abuse*.

- Submitted Collins S, **Tallman PS**. Food and water insecurity among the Awajún in the Peruvian Amazon. Invited submission for special issue of the *Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics*.
- Submitted Lucas Hertzog, Marshall Makate, David Chipanta, Boladé Banougnin, Martina Mchenga, Gavin Pereira, Sylvester Nyadanu, Jennifer Dunne, **Paula S. Tallman**, Shalean Collins, Kefyalew Alene, Pauline Rousseau-Gueutin, Astghik Mavisakalyan, Ivan Hanigan. Extreme drought and sexual violence against adolescent girls: a multi-country population-based study. Submitted to *PLOS Global Public Health*

Manuscripts in Process

Abha Rai, Mary Lehman Held, Ali Tarokh, Maria Vidal de Haymes, Shakila Fro, Farzana Farzam, Elisa Levya Cea, Alix Sanchez Gomes, **Paula Tallman**, Madison Juarez, George, Thiruvathukal. AER for Stronger Communities: A Culturally Responsive Intervention for Afghan Evacuees. Research Note to be submitted to *Families in Society*.

Tallman PS, *Kothadia, A, **Collins, S, Salmon-Mulanovich, G, Rusyidi, B. Cole, S. A Comparative Study of Water Insecurity and Health in Peru. To be submitted to *Health and Place*.

Tallman PS, Salmon-Mulanovich G, Courter G, Rusyidi B, Cole S. Food insecurity associated with gender-based violence in Indonesia. To be submitted to *Social Science and Medicine*.

Salmon-Mulanovich G, Archdeon N, Shallal G, López L, Castañeda K, **Tallman PS**. Comprehensive Sexual Education for Gender-Based Violence Prevention in Catholic Communities: Case Study and Proposal. To be submitted to *Feminist Pedagogy*.

*Kothadia, A, **Tallman PS**, Cole S, López L, Castañeda K, Rusyidi, B, Salmon-Mulanovich, G. Water insecurity and infrastructural violence in Peru. To be submitted to *GeoForum*.

*Brandley, S. **Tallman, PS**. Miller A, *Lee C, Gildner T, Robins T, **Collins S. “Evolutionary Perspectives on Helicobacter Pylori Infection and Symptomatology among the Awajún of the Peruvian Amazon”. To be submitted to the *American Journal of Human Biology*.

Robins T, *Brandley, S. **Tallman, PS.** Miller A, * *Lee C, Gildner T,**Collins S
Helicobacter pylori infection prevalence and markers of systemic and localized
immune responses in participants from Mississippi and Southwestern Illinois

Tallman, PS, Silva, M. Hoke, M. “The Road Less Traveled: Elevating the Stories
of Women Leaders in Global Health and Anthropology”. Pitch accepted by
Annals of Global Health.

TEACHING AND STUDENT MENTORSHIP

Mentored Student Fellowships and Awards (\$48,820 + awarded to date)

2024	College of Arts and Sciences, Loyola University in Chicago: Undergraduate Summer Research Experience. Awardee: Emilie Lane (Freshman Anthropology Major) (\$2500)
2024	Outstanding Senior Award in Across Anthropological Sub-Disciplines (Chardin Award) from Loyola University in Chicago. Awardee: Sophea Brandley
2024	Outstanding Senior Award in Biological Anthropology from Loyola University in Chicago. Awardee: Aman Kothadia.
2024	Outstanding Senior Award in Bioethics from Loyola University in Chicago. Awardee: Grace Shallal (Junior Political Science and Bioethics) (\$3000)
2024	John Grant Research Award in Bioethics from Loyola University in Chicago. Awardee: Grace Courter (Junior Major in Public Health and Anthropology) (\$2500)
2023	Community Bridges Scholarship Award: Awardee: Aman Kothadia (Junior Public Health Major, Minor in Anthropology) (\$1000 in scholarship funds)
2023	ITW (Illinois Tool Works) Scholarship. Awardee: Aman Kothadia (Junior Public Health Major, Minor in Anthropology) (\$3500 in scholarship funds)
2023	Loyola Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program, Loyola University Chicago: Hank Center Undergraduate Research Fellowship. Awardee: Grace Shallal (Junior Political Science and Bioethics) (\$2500)
2023	College of Arts and Sciences, Loyola University in Chicago: Undergraduate Summer Research Experience. Awardee: Sophea Brandley (Junior Anthropology Major) (\$2500)

2023	College of Arts and Sciences, Loyola University in Chicago: Undergraduate Summer Research Experience. Awardee: Willa Poland-McClain (Sophomore Major in Sociology, Minor in Spanish) (\$2500)
2023-25	Carroll and Adelaide Johnson Scholarship, Gannon Center for Women and Leadership, Loyola University in Chicago. Awardee: Willa Poland-McClain (Sophomore Major in Sociology, Minor in Spanish) (\$11,000 in scholarship and research funds)
2023-24	John Grant Research Award in Bioethics from Loyola University in Chicago. Awardee: Willa Poland-McClain (Sophomore Major in Sociology, Minor in Spanish) (\$2500)
2023-24	John Grant Research Award in Bioethics from Loyola University in Chicago. Awardee: Aman Kothadia (Junior Public Health Major, Minor in Anthropology) (\$2500)
2022	Department of Anthropology, Loyola University Chicago: Undergraduate Conference Travel Award. Awardee: Sophea Brandley (Sophomore Anthropology Major) (\$250)
2022-23	The Robert and Betty Parkinson Scholars Award from the Parkinson School of Public Health, Loyola University Chicago. Awardee: Aman Kothadia (Junior, Public Health Major, Anthropology Minor) (\$8,000 in scholarship funds)
2022-23	John Grant Research Award in Bioethics from Loyola University in Chicago. Awardee: Natalie Archdeacon (Junior Social Work Major, Minor in Women and Gender Studies and Psychology) (\$2500)
2022	“Best Presentation Award” for the presentation, “Are WASH-related Stressors a Form of Violence?” at the Water and Environment Student Talks (WEST) Conference. University of British Columbia. June 10, 2022. Awardee: Aman Kothadia (Junior, Public Health Major, Anthropology Minor) (\$155)
2022	“Runner-Up for Best Presentation Award” for the presentation, “Intergenerational Effects of Water Insecurity” at the (WEST) Conference. University of British Columbia. June 10, 2022. Awardee: Natalie Archdeacon. (Junior Social Work Major, Minor in Women and Gender Studies and Psychology) (\$115)
2022	College of Arts and Sciences, Loyola University in Chicago: Undergraduate Summer Research Experience. Awardee: Aman Kothadia (Junior, Public Health Major, Anthropology Minor) (\$2500)
2022	Department of Anthropology, Loyola University Chicago: Undergraduate Conference Travel Award. Awardee: Sophea Brandley (Sophomore Anthropology Major) (\$250)

2022 Department of Anthropology, Loyola University Chicago: Undergraduate Conference Travel Award. Awardee: Aman Kothadia (Junior, Public Health Major, Anthropology Minor) (\$250)

Courses Taught

2022-23 Lecturer for The Theology of Healing Earth in Action (THEA) Institute
School of Environmental Sustainability, Loyola University Chicago
"Water and Society" (Summer Session)

2021-2022 Assistant Professor, Loyola University Chicago
Department of Anthropology
"Sex, Science, and Anthropological Inquiry" (ANTH 106) Fall
"Epidemics and Pandemics" (ANTH 362) Spring
"Introduction to Biocultural Anthropology" (ANTH 103) Spring

2021 Visiting Lecturer, The College of the Holy Cross
Department of Sociology and Anthropology
"Health, the Environment, and Justice" (ANTH 299) Spring

2020 - 2021 Visiting Lecturer, University of Massachusetts Boston
Department of Anthropology
"Introduction to Biological Anthropology" (ANTH 105) Fall

2018- 2019 Visiting Lecturer, Salve Regina University
Department of Cultural, Environmental, and Global Studies
"Global Health and Anthropology: Society, Medicine, and the Body"
(SOA-249-01) Fall (Honors) and Spring

2016 Coordinator and Instructor, The Field Museum of Natural History
"Urban Ecology Field Lab" (Summer)
"UIC Heritage Garden Internship" (Summer)

2015 Teaching Assistant, Northwestern University
"Strategies and Paradigms for Leadership" (Fall)
"Human Origins" (Fall and Spring)

2014 "Human Life Histories" (Fall)

ORGANIZED CONFERENCES/PANELS/WORKSHOPS

2022 Chair and Presenter for Panel: "Climate Change, Water, and Women's Health".
Parkinson School of Public Health Professionalization Series. Loyola University
Chicago, IL. October 4, 2022.

- 2022 Chair of Conference Session: "Water Insecurity and Anthropology: Connecting Research to Social Action to Address a Pressing Global Health Issue". Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropologists. Salt Lake City, Utah, April 2022.
- 2016 Organized Workshop: "Evaluating Healthy Nature for Human Health and Wellbeing: Connecting Science, Practice, and Policy." International Union for the Conservation of Nature World Conservation Congress. Oahu, Hawaii. Sept. 1-10, 2016.
- 2016 Organized and Chaired Conference: "Vulnerability and Health Outcomes in Amazonia". Wenner-Gren Foundation Engaged Anthropology sponsored event. Universidad Cayetano Peru Heredia. Lima, Peru. Feb. 25-26, 2016.
- 2016 Organized Conference Panel: "Biocultural Approaches to the Embodiment of Inequality: Evidence and Methods from Three Generations of Scholars". American Anthropological Association 115th Annual Meeting. Minneapolis, MN. Nov.16-20, 2016
- 2016 Chaired Conference Panel: "Discovering and Uncovering New Paths in Biocultural Anthropology: Theoretical Approaches". American Anthropological Association 115th Annual Meeting. Minneapolis, MN. Nov.16-20, 2016

PRESENTATIONS

- 2024 Poster: "Food Insecurity and Gender-Based Violence: A Scoping Review". Grace Courter (Public Health undergraduate student) and Paula Tallman. St. Albert's Day Research Symposium. Loyola University Chicago, Health Sciences Campus. November 7th, 2024.
- 2024 "Inseguridad hídrica, cambio climático y salud de las mujeres en la costa norte del Perú" en el marco del coloquio Navegando el cambio climático, la inseguridad hídrica y sus efectos en la salud humana organizado por el Instituto Riva-Agüero y el Instituto de la Naturaleza, la Tierra y Energía (PUCP). October 15th, 2024.
- 2024 Panelist: Annual Interdisciplinary Roundtable with Loyola Faculty on "Undergraduate research opportunities on international topics". Hosted by the Center for Research on International Affairs (CRIA), Loyola University Chicago. September 20th, 2024.
- 2024 Panelist: "Teaching Across the Sciences and Humanities". Focus on Teaching and Learning Conference. August 14th 2024. Loyola University Chicago.
- 2024 Speaker: "Action Research to Address Water Insecurity and Gender-Based Violence in Indonesia and Peru". 4th Annual Frugal Innovations in Global Health Conference. Live Zoom on March 14th, 2024.

- 2023 Panelist for Executive Roundtable: "Transforming Structural Vulnerability Research: Integrating Ethnographic and Biocultural Approaches". American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting. Toronto, Canada. November 19th, 2023.
- 2023 Speaker: "Gender, Human Rights, and Water Governance in Indonesia". International Lecture Series hosted by Politeknik Stia Lan Jakarta and Universitas Padjadjaran. October 29th, 2023.
- 2023 Panel Moderator and Speaker: "Water Insecurity and Gender-Based Violence: A Linked Public Health Threat". Office of Global Affairs and Community Engagement, "Water Insecurity Across Borders". October 17th, 2023.
- 2023 Podium presentation: "Gender-based water violence": Cross-cultural evidence for severe harm associated with water insecurity for women and girls". Annual Meeting of the Human Biology Association. April 2023.
- 2023 Speaker: Anthropology Colloquium: Department of Anthropology at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. March 3rd, 2023.
- 2023 Speaker: "Climate Change, Gender, and Food Insecurity". International Seminar "Climate Change, Human Security, and Gender". Universitas Kristen Wira Wacana Sumba, Indonesia. Feb. 3rd 2023.
- 2022 Keynote Speaker: Environmental Justice in Peru. Kawsaypacha: Mesa de Reflexión Ambiental. Instituto de la Naturaleza, Tierra y Energía de la Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú. October 27, 2022.
- 2022 Panel Speaker: "Lessons from the field - Water Insecurity Experiences (WISE) scales". Water and Health Conference. UNC Chapel Hill Water Institute. Chapel Hill, NC. October 26, 2022.
- 2022 "Water Insecurity in the Amazon Rainforest: Disruptions to the Human-Water Ecosystem". Flash Presentation presented at the American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting. Seattle, WA. November, 9-13, 2022.
- 2022 Presenter: "Climate Change and Gender-Based Violence: Challenges and Actions in Indonesia". Webinar hosted by the Social Welfare Graduate Program at the Universitas Padjadjaran, Indonesia. June 15th, 2021.
- 2022 "Water insecurity associated with multiple measures of perceived health in the Peruvian Amazon". Annual Meeting of the Human Biology Association. April 2022.
- 2022 "Extreme Household Water Insecurity Found in Sumba, Indonesia: How Can We Empower Women in Water Management?" Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropologists. April 2022.

- 2020 "Ecosyndemics: The Potential Synergistic Health Impacts of Highways and Dams in the Amazon." Society for Medical Anthropology Annual Meeting. Havana, Cuba. March 9-12, 2020.
- 2019 "Critical Biocultural Anthropology: Historical Roots and New Directions Part 2. New Directions: Expanding Theory and Method in Critical Biocultural Anthropology." Panel at the Engaging Anthropology Conference. University of Massachusetts, Amherst. Oct. 3-6, 2019
- 2018 "Water Insecurity in One of the Wettest Places on Earth" Society for Economic Anthropology. Water and Economy Conference. Tempe, Arizona, March 1-3rd, 2018.
- 2018 "A "Nutritional Space of Vulnerability": Food Insecurity, Market Food Consumption, and Health" for the Panel "What do we mean when we talk about food insecurity?" Society for Applied Anthropology Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA. April 3-7, 2018.
- 2017 "Vulnerability: Going Beyond the Physical to the Spiritual to Understand Indigenous Health in the Amazon." American Association of Physical Anthropologists 86th Annual Meeting. New Orleans, LA. April 19-22, 2017.
- 2016 "Wellbeing and Conservation: Can Humans and Forests Thrive Together?". Association for Tropical Biology and Conservation (ATBC). Montpellier, France. June 18-23, 2016.
- 2015 "Dried Blood Spot Technology: EBV Antibodies among the Awajún of the Peruvian Amazon". Andes Amazon Biodiversity Conservation International Meeting. Lima, Peru. Oct. 15-18, 2015.
- 2015 "The Index of Vulnerability: A Multidimensional Measure of Stressor Exposure". American Anthropological Association 114th Annual Meeting. Denver, CO. November, 18-22, 2015.
- 2015 "The Index of Vulnerability: A Multidimensional Measure of Stressor Exposure". Annual Meetings of the Human Biology Association. St. Louis, MO. March 25th, 2015.
- 2014 "Witchdoctors Wanted: Cultural Changes and Lack of Access to Traditional Healers in an Awajún community in the Peruvian Amazon". UIC Second City Anthropology Conference. Chicago, IL. March 8th, 2014.
- 2012 "Shuar Life History and Health Project: Somatic Symptoms and Physiological Functioning in the Shuar of the Ecuadorian Amazon. Poster. Annual Meeting of the Human Biology Association. Portland, OR. April 12th, 2012.
- 2011 "Human Ecological Immunology and the Hygiene Hypothesis: Early Life Predictors of Interleukin-4 in young adult Filipinos. Poster. Annual Meetings of the Human Biology Association. Minneapolis, MN. April 13th, 2011.

- 2009 "Still We Go to the Forest: Common Illnesses and Medicinal Plants in Indigenous Communities in the Peruvian Amazon". Congress of the International Society of Ethnobiology: When Nature Meets Culture. Taipei, Taiwan. October 2009.

ONLINE MEDIA & PUBLIC-FACING SCHOLARSHIP

- 2024 Informe de Resultados: Igualdad de género y empoderamiento: construyendo herramientas y habilidades en adolescents de Tambogrande, Piura. Policy Brief for Fe y Alegría. November 2024.
- 2024 Profiled: "School of Social Work Leads Project Tracking Stress Among Afghan Evacuees".
<https://www.luc.edu/socialwork/stories/archive/sswleadsprojecttrackingstressamongafghanevacuees.shtml>
- 2024 Online Article: "How Water Insecurity Impacts Women's Health". October. 2024. Sapiens. <https://www.sapiens.org/culture/water-insecurity-gender-based-violence/>
- 2024 Online Article: "Water Insecurity and Women's Health". Global Water Forum. April 2024. <https://www.globalwaterforum.org/2024/04/24/water-insecurity-and-womens-health/>
- 2023 Profiled: Faculty Friday Spotlight. College of Arts and Sciences. Friday Sept. 9th, 2022.
- 2023 Profiled: "Sausage of Science" podcast hosted by the Human Biology Association. Recorded on Jan. 10th, 2023.
- 2022 Profiled: LUC-INSPIRED Micro-grant recipient on Dec. 5th, 2022.
<https://www.instagram.com/p/ClpYkTgMuY4/?hl=en>
- 2022 Policy Brief: "Violencia de genero y embarazo adolescente: La necesidad de la presencia de Fe y Alegria en la margen izquierda, distrito de Tambogrande, Piura" in Spanish. Sent to Peruvian government officials and the NGO *Fe y Alegria* in September 2022.
- 2022 Water Insecurity and Gender-Based Violence: Exploring Links and Steps for Prevention" in English and Bhasa Indonesian. Sent to Indonesian government officials and stakeholders in February 2022.
- 2021 Final Research Report submitted to Plan International - "Proyecto: Impacto Diferenciado del Cambio Climático en Niños, Niñas, Adolescentes, Jóvenes y Mujeres en Cusco, Loreto, y Piura". Submitted on June, 10th 2021.
- 2021 Panelist: "Gender-Based Violence and Water Insecurity" HWISE NOW Virtual Coffee hour. Virtually hosted on June 29th, 2021.

- 2021: Featured Scholar of the Month: HWISE (Household Water Insecurity Experiences) Research Coordination Network. April 6th, 2021.
- 2020 Featured: "Water Insecurity and Women's Health: International, Interdisciplinary Research During Covid-19" - International Webinar streamed by the HWISE network. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c7TUuqfXOU8&t=319s>
- 2020 Op-ed: Will "Faith not Fear" Spread the Coronavirus? Sapiens, Digital Magazine. <https://www.sapiens.org/culture/coronavirus-evangelicals/>
- 2019 Article: Water Insecurity in One of the Wettest Places on Earth: Contamination, Accessibility, and Mental Health in the Amazon. Global Water Forum. (<http://www.globalwaterforum.org/2019/08/19/water-insecurity-in-one-of-the-wettest-places-on-earth-contamination-accessibility-and-mental-health-in-the-amazon/>)
- 2017: Featured: A Leader in Her Field (Museum). The Northwestern University Center for Leadership. <https://lead.northwestern.edu/news/articles/a-leader-in-her-field-museum.html>
- 2015 Featured: How Being Poor Can Make You Sick. The Chicago Council on Science and Technology. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TRt4nO6mJdw>)
- 2015 Featured: What the Awajún of Peru Find Attractive: The Chicago Council on Science and Technology. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jvjUd4HICGM>)
- 2014 Assistant Producer and Videographer: "Everything is Normal Now: Lifestyle Changes Among the Awajún" (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uVEUDKG6MP4>)
- 2013 Film Crew Guide: "Encounters with the Other": Kartemquin Productions <https://kartemquin.com/news/3638/maria-finitzos-encounters-with-bolivia>
- 2010 Contributor: "Extraction: The Plundering of the Amakaeri Reserve": Trisight Entertainment (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=F5bDHpQCcqM>)
- 2009 Assistant Producer and Videographer: "Oil Exploration in the Manu Biosphere": Edison Productions (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zOYRMRqfrPQ>)

SERVICE

- 2023 Judge for Student Presentations and Posters at the Human Biology Association Annual Meeting. April 19th, 2023.
- 2023 [“Gannon Graduate Leaders”](#): Leadership Coaching Program through the Gannon Center for Women and Leadership.

- 2022 Panelist: Loyola University Chicago Libraries Open Access Week: “Open for Climate Justice: Publishing Open Access at Loyola”. October 26th, 2022.
- 2022 Presenter: Resource Insecurity and Global Health Disparities. Health Disparities Discussion. Loyola Pre-Health Society. Loyola University Chicago. October 20th, 2022.
- 2021-23 Loyola University Chicago Dual Credit Program. Faculty Mentor for "Human Ecological Footprint" with Carmel Catholic High School.
- 2022 Presenter: Water Insecurity and Women’s Health: A Pressing Global Health Issue. Student Advocates for Medicine & Policy. Loyola University Chicago. Sept. 27th, 2022.
- 2022-23 Faculty Advisor for Chardin Student Anthropological Society: Loyola University Chicago
- 2019 - present Corresponding Editor: *Current Anthropology*
- 2020 - present Review Board: *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*
- 2018 - present Manuscript Reviewer: *Social Science and Medicine, Nature Scientific Data, American Journal of Biological Anthropology, American Journal of Human Biology, Human Organization, International Journal of Peace and Development Studies, Sustainability, WIREs Water, Global Environmental Change, International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, Environmental Science & Technology, Anthropocene, Frontiers in Environmental Science, Nutrients, International Journal for Equity in Health, International Journal of Public Health, Women, Global Public Health, Children, Water Security, Current Anthropology, American Anthropologist, Social Science and Humanities Open, International Journal of Public Health, and The Lancet Regional Health – America’s, Ethos, Discover Public Health.*
- 2022 Mentor: Loyola University Chicago Empowering Sisterhood (LUCES) Mentorship Program – Center for Diversity and Inclusion
- 2022 National Science Foundation: Reviewer Panel for Interdisciplinary Proposals (exact panel cannot be disclosed)
- 2016 - present National Science Foundation: Reviewer Panel for Anthropology Proposals (exact panel cannot be disclosed)

2022	Proposal Review Panel: Graduate Women in Science (GWIS) National Fellowship Program
2022	Featured: Kappa Kappa Gamma Alumni Career Panel at Loyola University Chicago. April 13th, 2022.
2022	Featured: Keynote Speaker for the Gannon Center's Undergraduate Women's Leadership Award at Loyola University Chicago. March 21, 2022.
2021	Featured: Faculty Panel on Discrimination in STEM at Loyola University Chicago. Dec. 2 nd , 2021.
2021	Featured: Professionalism Series - Graduate School: Chardin Club for the Department of Anthropology at Loyola University Chicago. Nov. 2 nd , 2021.
2018 - present	Invited guest lectures at University of Wisconsin (Milwaukee), Tulane University, University of Chicago, Loyola University Chicago, Northwestern University, Council on Science and Technology.
2015 - present	Admissions Alumni Volunteer: Johns Hopkins University
2015	Leadership Tutor: Leadership Center, Northwestern University
2013	Student/Faculty Liaison: Department of Anthropology, Northwestern University
2011-12	Laboratory Manager and Safety Designate: Laboratory for Human Biology Research, Northwestern University
2011	Assistant: Cells to Society, Summer Biomarker Institute, Institute for Policy Research, Northwestern University
2011 - present	Experienced Resource Person: National Science Foundation, Graduate Research Fellowship Program
2011 & 2015	Group Leader: Inter-Cultural Explorers Club, Northwestern Graduate School

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Sigma Xi: Honor Society of Research Scientists and Engineers

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