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**EDUCATION**

BA, Anthropology, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

*December 2008*

MA, Medical Anthropology, University of Montana, Missoula, MT

*May 2012*

PhD, Applied Medical Anthropology, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR

*June 2019*

**PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS**

**Assistant Professor of Anthropology**

The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa

*August 2019 – ongoing*

***Past***

**Consultant**

VITAL PROJECT, School of Social Work

The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa

*August 2020 – May 2021*

**RESEARCH APPOINTMENTS**

***Current***

**Reproductive, Perinatal, and Postpartum Care Patient Assessment Project**

UA Maternal and Infant Health Collaborative

*October 2020 – TBD*

**Measuring the Impact of Doula Care in Central Alabama**

University of Alabama’s Council for Community-Based Partnerships, Principal Investigator

*October 2020 – May 2021*

**Grade III Tearing of Pelvic Floor Surgically Repaired without Recurrence with Subsequent Unmedicated Vaginal Birth: A Case Study and Qualitative Assessment** *July 2020 – Ongoing*

**Community-led Maternal and Infant Health Research Needs Assessment**

University of Alabama, Principal Investigator

*January 2020 – Ongoing*

**Community Doula Program Evaluation Project**

Oregon State University and the Community Doula Program

Qualitative Researcher

*September 2019* – *Ongoing*

***Past***

***American Institutes of Research Patient-Experience Implementation Team***

Site coordinator

*January 2019 – February 2020*

***Improving Patient Experiences of Respect and Autonomy During Maternity Care***

***Site Coordinator***

*June 2018 – February 2020*

***Territorial Biologies and the Premature Body: Maternal Stress and Gestational Age at Delivery in Cayey, Puerto Rico***

Co-Investigator with Dr. Melissa Cheyney, Oregon State University (Anthropology)

*August 2016 – March 2018 (publications forthcoming)*

***Oregon State University’s Difference, Power and Discrimination Pilot Project***

***Research Assistant***

*January 2016 - April 2016*

***A Healthy Start: An Exploratory Pilot Study of MCH Concerns in Puerto Rico***

***Research Assistant***

Oregon State University (Anthropology)

*July 2014 - August 2014*

***Keene State College and Oregon State University Breastfeeding in the Workplace Study***

***Research Assistant***

Keene State University – Dr. Meg Henning; Oregon State University – Dr. Melissa Cheyney (Public Health)

*May 2014 - May 2015*

**AFFILIATIONS**

**2019 – ongoing: McCollough Institute for Pre-Medical Scholars**

*University of Alabama, College of Arts & Sciences*

**2019-ongoing: Latin American, Caribbean, and Latinx Studies Program**

*University of Alabama, College of Arts & Sciences*

**RESEARCH & PROFESSIONAL AWARDS**

**2021:** UA Council for Community Based Partnerships, Emerging Community Engaged Scholars Fund $3,000

**2021:** UA Division of Community Affairs, $2,000

**2020** Sasakawa Young Leaders Fellowship Initiative, *$10,000*

**2020** UA Council for Community Based Partnerships Seed Funds *$2,070*

**2019** UA College Academy of Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity

College of Arts and Sciences *$6,000*

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**2019** OSUAnthropology Program Sudy Storm Graduate Memorial Award *$500*

**2019** OSUPresidents Commission on the Status of Women’sBreaking Barriers in Research Award *$1,500*

**2018** OSU College of Liberal Arts Supplemental Research Award *$500*

**2017** NSF Cultural Anthropology DDRG supplemental funding *$4,220*

**2016** NSF Cultural Anthropology Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant (DDRG)*$21,405*

**2016** SYLFF Study Research Abroad Grant *$5,000*

**2015** OSU Anthropology Kathryn Ross Award *$1,500*

**2015** Oregon SYLFF Graduate Fellowships for International Research (2015-2016) *$12,000*

**2015** OSU Presidents Commission on the Status of Women *$500*

**UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH MENTEES**

***Current***

**Spring 2021 – ongoing,** Alexandra Meyer, Undergraduate, McCollough Program, University of Alabama

**Spring 2021 – ongoing,** Grace Gleason, Undergraduate, University of Alabama

**Fall 2020 – ongoing,** Mia Liacopoulos, Undergraduate, McCollough Program, University of Alabama

**Fall 2020 – on going,** Emmily Mobley, Undergraduate, McCollough Program, University of Alabama

**Fall 2020 – on going** Emily Ryu, Undergraduate, University of Alabama

**Spring 2020 – on going** Jordan Myer, Undergraduate, McCollough Program, University of Alabama

**Spring 2020 – on going** Lillian Slaughter, Undergraduate, McCollough Program, University of Alabama

***Past***

**Fall 2020 – Spring 2021** Ava Johnson, Undergraduate, University of Alabama

**Spring 2020** Kaitlin Truslow, Undergraduate, Emerging Scholars Program, University of Alabama

**GRADUATE RESEARCH MENTEES**

**Olivia Radcliffe, Summer 2020-ongoing,** Masters in Biocultural Medical Anthropology

**Emily Locke, Fall 2020- ongoing ,** Masters in Biocultural Medical Anthropology

**Rabeya Khatun, Fall 2021 - ongoing,** Doctorate in Biocultural Medical Anthropology

**TEACHING**

**ANT 612** Biocultural Anthropology Seminar, Spring 2021, University of Alabama, 4 students

**ANT 476/576** Nutritional Anthropology, Fall 2020, University of Alabama, 4 students

**ANT 102,** Intro to Cultural Anthropology, Fall 2020, University of Alabama, 157 students

**ANT 413/513**, Peoples of Latin America, Spring 2020, University of Alabama, 7 students

**ANT 102**, Intro to Cultural Anthropology, Spring 2020, University of Alabama, 75 students

**ANT 440**, Culture, Fall 2019, University of Alabama, 35 students

**STUDENT COMMITTEES**

**Christina Morgan**, Doctoral Student, Committee Member, University of Alabama

**Haley Beech,** Doctoral Student (Social Work), Committee Member, University of Alabama

**Sarah Morrow**, Doctoral Student, Committee Member, University of Alabama

**Emily Locke**, Masters Student, Chair, University of Alabama

**ACADEMIC SERVICE**

***Department***

**2020- on-going** Milady Murphy Scholarship Committee; Chair

**2020 – on-going** Decolonizing Committee; Chair

**2019-ongoing** Partners for Alabama Families and Communities, lead member

**2019- ongoing** Library Representative

**2019- ongoing** Professional Workshop Committee

**2019- ongoing** Undergraduate Committee

**2019- ongoing** REACH Undergraduate Mentor

*Past*

**2019-2020** Lambda Alpha Advisor

***University***

**2020-ongoing** CARSCA review committee for College of Arts & Sciences; member

**2019-ongoing** Faculty Advisory Committee; member

***Community***

**2021 – current** Birthwell Community Doula Program, Birmingham, Alabama Board Member

**2021 – current** Heart of the Valley Birth and Beyond, Corvallis, Oregon, Vice President

**2018 – 2021** Heart of the Valley Birth and Beyond, Corvallis, Oregon, Board Member

**FELLOWSHIPS**

**2021-2022** Engaged Community Scholars Program **–** UA’s Center for Community Based Partnerships

**2021-2022** CBPR Partnership Academy – Detroit Community-Academic Urban Research Center

**2020-2021** Community Engaged Learning Fellow – UA’s Center for Community Based Partnerships

**2020-ongoing** Faculty Learning Community on Communicating about Race and Diversity

**2020** Learning in Action Fellow – UA’s Quality Enhancement Plan

**INVITED GUEST LECTURES:**

**March 29th, 2021:** Southwest Technical College Midwife Associate Degree Program

**Presentation:** Data Collection as Tool for Advocacy (Virtual)

**March 11, 2021:** Latin American, Caribbean, and Latinx Studies Program

**Presentation:** Understanding Perinatal Stress and Maternal Care in Puerto Rico (Virtual)

**January 31st, 2020:** Maternal and Infant Health Roundtable, Birmingham, AL

**Presentation:** Community-Led MIH Research Needs Assessment

**RECENT & UPCOMING CONFERENCES**

**May 21-22, 2022 (TBD)**, AL Birth Equity Summit, Alabama

**Role:** Co-organizer

**February 22-24, 2022**, Integrated Maternity Care Summit, San Juan, Puerto Rico

**Role:** Co-Chair organizer and presenter

**August 8th, 2021,** Society for Nutrition Education and Behavior

**Role:** Co-author, Mentor

**Poster Title:** Raising Reliance and Resilience, Child Well-Being in the Context of

Food Insecurity: A Nutritional Assessment of the Secret Meals for Hungry Children Program

**June 16th, 2021**, International Confederation of Midwives Triennial

**Role:** Co-presenter

**Workshop session title:** Infant Touch Workshop, Sponsored Johnson & Johnson session

**June 10th, 2021,** U.S. National Breastfeeding Committee Conference

**Role:** Co-author, Mentor

**Poster Title:** Examining Perceptions of Infant Health & Well-Being in Multiple Disaster Contexts

**June 1, 2021,** Alabama School of Drug and Alcohol Studies

**Role:** Co-Presenter for Workshop

**Workshop Session Title:** Bridging the Gap: Attacking Stigma, Barriers, and Patient-Centered Treatment

**May 22nd, 2021,** Minority Student Research Symposium, All of Us Research Program

**Role:** Co-Author, Mentor

**Poster Title:** Interprofessional Prevention of OASIS

**April 20th, 2021**, UA 15th Annual Excellence in Community Engagement Conference

**Role:** Co-Author, Mentor

**Poster Title:** Collaboration with Communities to Address the Perinatal Health Crisis in Alabama

**April 20th, 2021**, UA 15th Annual Excellence in Community Engagement Conference

**Role:** Co-Author, Mentor

**Poster Title:** A Community Engaged Approach to Teaching Nutritional Anthropology: A Collaboration with Schoolyard Roots

**March 31, 2021**,Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity Conference. University of Alabama.

**Role:** Co-author, Mentor

**Poster Title:** Community Driven Collaboration Addressing Perinatal Health in Alabama

**March 18-20, 2021, National Academies of Practice Annual Conference**

**Role:** Organizer, co-presenter

**Poster Title:** An Interdisciplinary Approach to Scaling-Up Reproductive, Perinatal, and Infant Healthcare in Alabama

**March 22 & 26, 2021,** Society for Applied Anthropology Annual Meetings

**Role:** Panelist

**Presentation titles:** “Pregnancy and Birth in a Complex Society: Scaling Up Doula Services for Medicaid Populations in Oregon” *(oral presentation)*

“Community Driven Collaboration Addressing Perinatal Health in Alabama” *(oral presentation)*

**November 17th, 2020,** UA College for Community Health Sciences’ Research and Scholarly Activity Day

**Role:** Co-Author, Co-Presenter

**Presentation Title**: A Novel, Multidisciplinary Approach to Improve Alabama’s Maternal, Infant, and Child Health Outcomes, University of Alabama *(oral presentation)*

**November 17th, 2020,** UA College for Community Health Sciences’ Research and Scholarly Activity Day

**Role:** Co-Author, Co-Presenter

**Presentation Title**: Re-establishing the High-Risk Infant Clinic for Newborns in West Alabama, University of Alabama *(oral presentation)*

**November 7, 2020:** American Anthropology Association Annual Conference

**Role:** Chair, presenter

**Roundtable title:** Gendered Inequities during the COVID19 Pandemic: The Inscribing of Structural Vulnerabilities on Women’s Bodies *(roundtable)*

**June 2, 2020:** Winternitz Conference, University Medical Center, Tuscaloosa, AL

**Role:** Presenter

**Title:** Maternal Stress and Birth Outcomes in Puerto Rico *(oral presentation)*

**October 18, 2019:** Oregon Doula Summit, Corvallis, Oregon

**Role:** Invited speaker, chair of steering committee

**Presentation title:** “The Community Doula Program: Models that Work” *(oral presentation)*

**PUBLICATIONS**

***Refereed Publications***

Cheyney, M.J., Henning, M., **Horan, H.**, Ferguson, M., & Bovbjerg, M. 2019. “From Policy to Practice: Women’s Experiences of Breastfeeding-Friendly Worksites, Part 1.” *Clinical Lactation*.

Cheyney, M.J., Henning, M., **Horan, H.**, Ferguson, M., & Bovbjerg, M. 2019. “From Policy to Practice: Women’s Experiences of Breastfeeding-Friendly Worksites, Part 2.” *Clinical Lactation*.

**Horan, H**., Cheyney, M., Nako, E., and Bovbjerg, M. 2020. Maternal Stress and the ZIKV Epidemic in Puerto Rico. *Journal of Critical Public Health.*

**Horan, H.**, Cheyney, M., Caldari, V., and Piovanetti, Y. 2021. “La crisis de la atención de maternidad: Experts’ perspectives on the syndemic of poor maternal and infant health outcomes in Puerto Rico”. *Human Organization.*

Albright, D. L., McDaniel, J. T., Suntai, Z., **Horan, H.,** & York, M. Pregnancy and binge drinking An intersectionality theory perspective using veteran status and racial identity. *Journal of Maternal and Child Health.* Accepted for publication April 26, 2021.

Albright, D. L., McDaniel, J. T., Suntai, Z., **Horan. H,** & Hirsch, B. Is subjective cognitive decline associated with behavioral health outcomes among mothers? *Women’s Health Issues.* Under review.

Hernandez-Reif, M., **Horan, H.** Nickelson, J., Lee, A., Godoy, G., et al. Collaborating and Partnering with Community Members to Effect Health Change for Mothers, Children, and Families in Rural West Alabama. *Journal of Community Practice*. Under review.

***Non-Refereed Publications***

**Horan, H**. (2019). Forging Universal Access to Universal Doula Care in Oregon. International Doula Magazine, (pp. 14-17): Doulas of North America, International.

**Horan, H.** (2019). eds. Emily Doerr-Yates, and Luisa Reis-Castro, Somatosphere: Science, Medicine, and Anthropology. The Protective Dualism: Maternal Knowledge Practices of the Zika Crisis in Puerto Rico. Blog post. <http://somatosphere.net/2019/historias-of-zika.html/>.

Cheyney, M., Bovbjerg, M., & **Horan, H.** (2019). Collaborative Research as Resistance: Successful Collaboration across Disciplines. Society for Cultural Anthropology: Fieldsites. *In* Co-authorship as Feminist Writing and Practice series https://culanth.org/fieldsights/collaborative-research-as-resistance-successful-collaboration-across-disciplines

***Contributions***

**Horan, H.** with B. Ruder and C.L. Everson.2018. “A Daya’s Omen: Chronicling Melissa Cheyney as a Scholar, Postmodern Midwife and Activist.” *In* Ways of Knowing About Birth, edits by Robbie Davis-Floyd, 249-254. Long Grove, Illinois: Waveland Press, Inc.

**COMMUNITY EVENTS/OUTREACH**

**April 24th, 2021:** School Yard Roots Family Meal Event, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

**LANGUAGES SPOKEN**

English (native speaker)

Spanish (native speaker)

**SOFTWARE SPECIALIZATIONS**

QSR International NVivio®, versions 11 & 12 plus

IBM Statistical Package for the Social Sciences® (SPSS)

**RELEVANT SKILLS/PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Birth Doula, DONA Int’l

*October 2012 – Ongoing, Refreshed training April 2021*

Postpartum Doula

*October 2012 – Ongoing, Refresher training, April 2021*