

Biographical Sketch

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(A) PROFESSIONAL PREPARATION

Univ. of Michigan	Anthropology, with Highest Honors	A.B., 1988
Univ. of Minnesota	Anthropology	M.A., 1990
Univ. of Minnesota	Anthropology	Ph.D., 1995

(B) APPOINTMENTS

2008-present	Professor, Department of Anthropology and Center for Applied Social Research, OU
2003-08	Associate Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Univ. of Colorado
2003-08	Faculty Associate, Center for Bioethics and Humanities, Univ. of Colorado
1997-03	Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Univ. of Colorado
1995-97	Instructor, Department of Psychiatry, Univ. of Colorado

(C) PUBLICATIONS

i. Five Most Relevant Publications

1. Paul Spicer and Michelle Sarche (2012). Poverty and possibility in the lives of American Indian and Alaska Native Children. *The Oxford Handbook of Poverty and Child Development*. (pp.480-488) Oxford: Oxford Univ. Press
2. Paul Spicer (2010). Designing studies for special populations: Lessons from research in native North America. *Applied Research in Child and Adolescent Development: A Practical Guide* (pp. 81-99). London: Taylor and Francis
3. Calvin D. Croy, Marjorie Bezdek, Christina M. Mitchell, and Paul Spicer (2009). Young adult migration from a northern plains Indian reservation: Who stays and who leaves. *Population Research and Policy Review* **28**, 641-660
4. Janette Beals, Spero M. Manson, Christina M. Mitchell, Paul Spicer, and the AI-SUPERPFP Team (2003). Cultural specificity and comparison in psychiatric epidemiology: Walking the tightrope in American Indian research. *Culture, Medicine, and Psychiatry* **27**, 259-289.
5. Lori L. Jervis, Paul Spicer, Spero M. Manson, and the AI-SUPERPFP Team (2003). Boredom, "trouble," and the realities of postcolonial reservation life. *Ethos* **31**, 38-58.

ii. Five Other Significant Publications

1. Paul Spicer, Teresa LaFromboise, Carol Markstrom, Michael Niles, Amy West, Karen Fehringer, Liane Grayson, and Michelle Sarche (2012). Toward an applied developmental science for native children, adolescents, and families. *Child Development Perspectives*, **6**(1), 49-54
2. Janette Beals, Spero M. Manson, Nancy R. Whitesell, Christina M. Mitchell, Douglas K. Novins, Sylvia Simpson, Paul Spicer, and the AI-SUPERPFP Team (2005). Prevalence of Major Depression in two American Indian reservation populations: Unexpected findings with a structured interview. *American Journal of Psychiatry* **162**, 1713-1722
3. Janette Beals, Douglas K. Novins, Paul Spicer, Heather D. Orton, Christina M. Mitchell, Spero M. Manson, and the AI-SUPERPFP Team (2004). Challenges in operationalizing the DSM-IV clinical significance criterion. *Archives of General Psychiatry* **61**, 1197-1207
4. Paul Spicer, Janette Beals, Calvin D. Croy, Christina M. Mitchell, Douglas K. Novins, Laurie Moore, Spero M. Manson, and the AI-SUPERPFP Team (2003). The prevalence of alcohol dependence in two American Indian reservation populations. *Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research* **27**, 1785-1797
5. Paul Spicer, Douglas K. Novins, Christina M. Mitchell, and Janette Beals (2003). Aboriginal social organization, contemporary experience, and American Indian adolescent alcohol use. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol* **64**, 450-457.

(D) SYNERGISTIC ACTIVITIES

- Development of approaches to improve the adoption and sustainability of water filter technologies and to facilitate community planning for climate change as a co-investigator and member of the steering committee of the OU's WaTER Center;
- Development of ethnographic research on culture, community organization, and the uses of information in disseminating and responding to risk communication in weather and climate at the OU's Center for Risk and Crisis Management
- Collaboration with survey researchers on measure development and embedded ethnographic research in climate change adaptation, demography, human development, and epidemiology;
- Fostering American Indian and native South American national and community dialogues on genomics and health research as PI on multiple grants from the program in Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications research at the National Human Genome Research Institute;
- Author of over 50 contributions to the peer-reviewed literature; Principal investigator on 9 federal grants (HHS) and two grants from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, all with a focus on American Indian communities

(E) COLLABORATORS & OTHER AFFILIATIONS

i. Collaborators and Co-Editors

Greg Aarons (UC, San Diego); Heather Basara (OU); Jan Beals (Univ. of Colorado); Cecelia Big Crow (Univ. of Colorado); Marjorie Bezdek (Univ. of Colorado); Robert Bradley (Arizona State Univ.); Joe Bray (Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma); Dedra Buchwald (Univ. of Washington); Sarah Conti (Private Practice); Calvin Croy (Univ. of Colorado); Dennis Dahlke (Peaceful Spirit ARC); Ray Daw (Yupik-Kuskokwim Behavioral Health); Mark Doescher (OUHSC); Norah Dunbar (OU); Robert Emde (Univ. of Colorado); Karen Fehringer (Univ. of Colorado); Hi Fitzgerald (Michigan State Univ.); Candace Fleming (Univ. of Colorado); Morris Foster (OU); Karen Frankel (Univ. of Colorado); Eva Garoutte (Boston College); Steve Gilbert (Urban NW Treatment Center); Elinor Graham (Univ. of Washington); Liane Grayson (Univ. of South Dakota); Jeffrey Henderson (Black Hills Center for American Indian Health); Patricia Henderson (Black Hills Center for American Indian Health); Yang Hong (OU); Hank Jenkins-Smith (OU); Donna Johnson (Univ. of Washington); Carol Kaufman (Univ. of Colorado); Ellen Keane (Univ. of Colorado); Gena Keppel (Univ. of Washington); Anne Kovas (Univ. of Oregon Health and Sciences U); Teresa LaFromboise (Stanford); Cecil Lewis (OU); Craig Love (Westat); Spero Manson (Univ. of Colorado); Carol Markstrom (West Virginia Univ.); Kathleen Masis (MT-Wyoming Tribal Leaders Association); Dennis McCarty (Univ. of Oregon Health and Sciences U); Renee McPherson (OU); Jacqueline Mercer (Urban NW Treatment Center); Christina Mitchell (Univ. of Colorado); Robert Nairn (OU); Michael Niles (Deceased); Douglas Novins (Univ. of Colorado); Suzanne Pak-Gorstein (Univ. of Washington); Dorothy Rhoades (OU HSC); Traci Rieckman (Univ. of Oregon Health and Sciences U); David Sabatini (OU); Michelle Sarche (Univ. of Colorado); Carol Silva (OU); Lesley Steinman (Univ. of Washington); Alexandra Tito (OU); Raul Tito (OU); Amy West (Univ. of Illinois Chicago); Nancy Whitesell (Univ. of Colorado); Xiangming Xiao (OU)

ii. Graduate Advisors and Postdoctoral Sponsors

David Lipset (Univ. of Minnesota); Timothy Dunnigan (Univ. of Minnesota)

iii. Thesis Advisor and Postgraduate-Scholar Sponsor

Derrell Cox (OU Anthropology); Will Foster (OU Anthropology); Scott Ketchum (OU Anthropology; member of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma); Anne Kroeger (OU Anthropology); Elisha Oliver (OU Anthropology; African American); Lauren Simons (OU Anthropology; Brazilian national); Alexandra Tito (OU Anthropology; Peruvian national); Dong Yue (OU Anthropology; Chinese national)

Number of Graduate Students Advised: 8; Number of Post-Doctoral Scholars Sponsored: 0