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EDUCATION

- 1998-2001 Ph.D., Harvard University, Department of Sociology
Awards: G-4 Grant from National Science Foundation IGERT [NSF No. 9870661] (1999);
Distinction in Oral Examination (1998)
- 1996-1998 M.A., Harvard University, Department of Sociology
Awards: Distinction in Qualifying Examinations (1997); Graduate Prize Fellowship
(1996)
- 1992-1996 B.A., Carleton College, Department of Sociology/Anthropology
Awards: *Magna cum laude* honors (1996); Distinction, Senior Comprehensive
Thesis (1996); Technos International Prize (1996); Wingspread Fellowship
(1995); Dean's List (1994-1995); Mellon Minority Undergraduate
Fellowship (1994); Carleton College Grant (1992)

EMPLOYMENT AND POSITIONS

- 2011-pres. Chair, Department of Sociology, University of Chicago
- 2009-pres. Professor of Sociology and the College, University of Chicago
- 2006-2009 Associate Professor of Sociology and the College, University of Chicago
- 2002-2006 Assistant Professor of Sociology and the College, Princeton University
(Promoted to Associate Professor with tenure, 2006)
- 2005-2006 Elias Boudinot Bicentennial Preceptor, Princeton University
- 2005-2005 Visiting Scholar, New York University, Center for Advanced Social Science
Research (Spring)
- 2004-2004 Visiting Scholar, Columbia University, NYC Social Welfare Indicators Survey
Center (Fall)
- 2001-2002 Research Associate, Princeton University, Office of Population Research

AFFILIATIONS

- 2009-pres. Trustee, National Opinion Research Center
- 2009-pres. Associate, Social Interactions, Identity, and Well-being Program, Canadian
Institute for Advanced Research
- 2009-pres. Senior Fellow, Society of Fellows, University of Chicago
- 2006-pres. Research Associate, Population Research Center, NORC, University of Chicago
- 2002-2006 Faculty Associate, Office of Population Research, Princeton University
- 2002-2006 Faculty Affiliate, Education Research Section, Princeton University

- 2002-2006 Executive Committee Member, Center for Migration and Development, Princeton University. 2002-2006
- 2002-2006 Fellow, Young Faculty Leaders Forum, Harvard University
- 1999-2001 Ph.D. Candidate Affiliate, Malcolm Wiener Center, Harvard University
- 1998-2001 Fellow, Multidisciplinary Program in Inequality and Social Policy, Harvard University

AWARDS AND HONORS, RESEARCH

- 2012 Ascend Fellowship, Aspen Institute
- 2010 Elected to Sociological Research Association
- 2010 Best Book of 2009, C. Wright Mills Award, Society for the Study of Social Problems (SSSP)
- 2010 Honorable Mention, Best Book, Mirra Komarovsky Award, Eastern Sociological Society (ESS)
- 2009 Visiting Professorship, University of Bologna (five days)
- 2008 Excellence Visiting Professorship, University of Bologna (declined due to unavailability)
- 2005 Best Book of 2004, C. Wright Mills Award, SSSP
- 2005 Best Book, Robert E. Park Award, Community and Urban Sociology Section (CUSS), American Sociological Association (ASA)
- 2005 Honorable Mention, Best Book Award, Sociology of Culture Section (SCS), ASA
- 2005 Honorable Mention, Best Book, Mirra Komarovsky Award, ESS
- 2005 Elias Boudinot Bicentennial Preceptorship, Princeton University
- 2004 Best Article, Robert E. Park Award (now Jane Addams Award), CUSS, ASA
- 2003 Honorable Mention, Best Article Award, SCS, ASA
- 2001 Postdoctoral Fellowship, University of Michigan, Research and Training Program on Poverty, the Underclass and Public Policy, University of Michigan (declined)
- 2001 Chancellor's Postdoctoral Fellowship, University of California, Berkeley (declined)

AWARDS AND HONORS, TEACHING

- 2010 Thesis advisor to recipient of Harold E. Goettler Political Institutions Prize, Katherine Morris, University of Chicago
- 2006 Outstanding Faculty Advisor Award, Department of Sociology, Princeton University (elected by sociology majors)
- 2006 Thesis advisor to recipient of Brown Thesis Prize, Sara Holloway, Department of Sociology, Princeton University
- 2004 Outstanding Faculty Advisor Award, Department of Sociology, Princeton University (elected by sociology majors)

GRANTS

- 2010 Spencer Foundation Grant. Co-PIs Mario L. Small, Roseanna Ander, Jonathan Guryan, John List, Jens Ludwig, Stephen Raudenbush (Evaluating the Chicago Public Schools Mentoring Strategy, Qualitative Portion) (2010-11).
- 2006 MacArthur Foundation Grant, Consortium for the Study of School Improvement, University of Chicago. Co-PIs: Micere Keels, Stephen Raudenbush, and Mario L. Small.

- (Identifying Mobility Pathways and Effects of Mobility on Peer Social Networks and Academic Achievement in Chicago Elementary Schools) (2006-09)
- 2003 National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, Investigator Research Supplement grant under Christina Paxson, Princeton University (Economic Status, Public Policy, and Child Neglect, NICHD # 3 R01 HD039135-03S1) (2003-06)

BOOKS

- 2009 Small, Mario L. *Unanticipated Gains: Origins of Network Inequality in Everyday Life*. New York: Oxford University Press.
Awards:
Best Book of 2009, C. Wright Mills Award, SSSP (2010)
Honorable Mention, Best Book, Mirra Komarovsky Award, ESS (2010)
- 2004 Small, Mario L. *Villa Victoria: The Transformation of Social Capital in a Boston Barrio*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.
Awards:
Best Book of 2004, C. Wright Mills Award, SSSP (2005)
Best Book, Robert E. Park Award, CUSS, ASA (2005)
Honorable Mention, Best Book, Mirra Komarovsky Award, ESS (2005)
Honorable Mention, Best Book Award, SCS, ASA (2005)
Translations:
Italian: *Villa Victoria: Povertà e capitale sociale in un quartiere di Boston*.
Introduzione di Marco Castrignanò e Gabriele Manella. FrancoAngeli: Milano, Italy.

EDITED VOLUMES

- Forth. Scott Allard and Mario L. Small, eds. *Reconsidering Urban Disadvantage: The Role of Systems, Institutions, and Culture*. *Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Sciences*.
- 2010 Harding, David, Michele Lamont, and Mario L. Small, eds. *Reconsidering Culture and Poverty*. *Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Sciences*.

ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

- 2012 Small, Mario L. and Jessica Feldman. "Ethnographic Evidence, Heterogeneity, and Neighbourhood Effects after Moving to Opportunity." Pp. 57-77 in van Ham M., Manley D., Bailey N., Simpson L. & Maclennan D. (eds). *Neighbourhood Effects Research: New Perspectives*. Springer: Dordrecht.
- 2011 Small, Mario L. "How to Conduct a Mixed Method Study: Recent Trends in a Rapidly Growing Literature." *Annual Review of Sociology*. 37:55-84.

- 2010 Lamont, Michele and Mario L. Small. "Cultural Diversity and Anti-Poverty Policy." *International Social Science Journal*. 61(199):169-80.
- 2010 Small, Mario L., David Harding, and Michele Lamont. "Reconsidering Culture and Poverty." *Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*. 629(1):6-27.
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Human Resources." *RSA Journal*. Autumn.
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "'How Many Cases Do I Need?' On Science and the Logic of Case Selection in Field Based Research." *Ethnography*. 10(1): 5-38. (Lead article)
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "Lost in Translation: How Not to Make Qualitative Research More Scientific." Pp. 165-71 in Michèle Lamont and Patricia White (eds.), *Workshop on Interdisciplinary Standards for Systematic Qualitative Research*. Washington, DC: National Science Foundation.
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "Four Reasons to Abandon the Idea of 'The Ghetto'." *City and Community*. 7(4):389-98.
- 2008 Small, Mario L, Erin M. Jacobs, and Rebekah P. Massengill. "Why Organizational Ties Matter for Neighborhood Effects: A Study of Resource Access through Childcare Centers." *Social Forces*. 87(1):387-414.
- 2008 Lamont, Michèle and Mario L. Small. "How Culture Matters: Enriching Our Understanding of Poverty." Pp. 76-102 in David Harris and Ann Lin, (eds.), *The Colors of Poverty: Why Racial and Ethnic Disparities Persist*. New York, NY: Russell Sage Foundation.
- 2007 Small, Mario L. "Is There Such a Thing as 'The Ghetto'? The Perils of Assuming that the South Side of Chicago Represents Poor Black Neighborhoods." *City*. 11(3):413-21.
- 2007 Small, Mario L. and Christopher Winship. "Black Students' Graduation From Elite Colleges: Institutional Characteristics and Between-Institution Differences." *Social Science Research*. 36(3): 1257-75.
- 2007 Small, Mario L. "Racial Differences in Networks: Do Neighborhood Conditions Matter?" *Social Science Quarterly*. 88(2):320-43.
- 2006 Small, Mario L. "Neighborhood Institutions as Resource Brokers: Childcare Centers, Inter-Organizational Ties, and Resource Access among the Poor." *Social Problems*. 53(2):274-92.
- 2006 Small, Mario L. and Monica McDermott. "The Presence of Organizational Resources in Poor Urban Neighborhoods: An Analysis of Average and Contextual Effects." *Social Forces*. 84(3):1697-1724.
- 2005 Small, Mario L. and Laura Stark. "Are Poor Neighborhoods Resource-Deprived? A Case Study of Childcare Centers in New York." *Social Science Quarterly*. 86(s1):1013-36.

- 2005 Small, Mario L. "Urban Village: Even in a 'Model' Community, Participation is Hard to Maintain." *Commonwealth Magazine*. Winter.
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "Can Social Capital Last? Lessons from Boston's Villa Victoria Housing Project." *Rappaport Institute for Greater Boston Policy Brief*. 1(1):1-6. October.
- 2002 Small, Mario L. "Culture, Cohorts, and Social Organization Theory: Understanding Local Participation in a Latino Housing Project." *American Journal of Sociology*. 108(1):1-54. (Lead article)
Awards: Best Article, Robert E. Park Award, CUSS, ASA (2004)
Honorable Mention, Best Article Award, SCS, ASA (2003)
- 2001 Small, Mario L. and Katherine Newman. "Urban Poverty After *The Truly Disadvantaged*: The Rediscovery of the Family, the Neighborhood, and Culture." *Annual Review of Sociology*. 27:23-45.
Reprints: Reprinted in W. Allen Martin (ed). 2004. *The Urban Community*. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson Prentice Hall.
- 2000 Small, Mario L. "Panama." In Henry L. Gates and Anthony Appiah (eds) *Encarta Africana*. Second edition. CD-ROM: Microsoft.
- 1999 Small, Mario L. "Departmental Conditions and the Emergence of New Disciplines: Two Cases in the Legitimation of African-American Studies." *Theory and Society*. 28:659-707. (Lead article)

BOOK REVIEWS, REPORTS, AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 2011 Imai, Ryoko, Desmond Patton, Jonathan Rodkin, and Mario L. Small (P.I.). *Qualitative Evaluation of the 2010-11 CPS Mentoring and Advocacy Program*. Chicago, IL: University of Chicago.
- 2011 Evans, John, Sally T. Hillsman (*ex officio*), Andrew Perrin, Mario L. Small (*Chair*), and Sandra Smith. *Report to the American Sociological Association Regarding the 2010 National Research Council Assessment of Doctoral Programs*. Washington, DC: American Sociological Association.
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Review of *Theorizing Discrimination in an Era of Contested Prejudice: Discrimination in the United States*, by Samuel Roundfield Lucas." *American Journal of Sociology*. 116(1):296-98.
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Review of *Contexts of Social Capital: Social Networks in Markets, Communities, and Families*, edited by Ray-May Hsung, Nan Lin, and Ronald L. Breiger." *Contemporary Sociology*. 38(1):44-6.

- 2009 Small, Mario L. "Review of *Black Power to Black Studies: How a Radical Social Movement Became an Academic Discipline* by Fabio Rojas." *Journal of Black Studies*. 39:990-92.
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "Review of *Black on the Block: The Politics of Race and Class in the City* by Mary Pattillo." *American Journal of Sociology*. 113(4):1183-5.
- 2007 Lamont, Michèle and Mario L. Small. "Cultural Diversity and Poverty Eradication." Background paper prepared for the World Report on Cultural Diversity (UNESCO).
- 2006 Small, Mario L. "Review of *For the City Yet to Come: Changing African Life in Four Cities* by AbdouMaliq Simone." *Contemporary Sociology*. 35(3):319-19.
- 2006 Small, Mario L. "Race and Ethnic Politics." *Blackwell Encyclopedia of Sociology*. Oxford, UK: Blackwell Publishing.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE, JOURNALS

- 2009-pres. Editorial Board Member, *City and Community*
- 2008-2011 Associate Editor, *American Journal of Sociology*
- 2008-2010 Advisory Editor, *Social Problems*
- 2008-2009 Advisory Editor, *Sociological Quarterly*
- 2007-2009 Editorial Board Member, *Social Psychology Quarterly*
- 2007-pres. Editorial Board Member, *Sociological Forum*
- 2006-pres. Editorial Board Member, *Social Science Quarterly*
- 2006-2008 Editorial Board Member, *American Journal of Sociology*
- 2005-2006 Journal Oversight Committee Member, *City and Community*, Community and Urban Sociology Section, American Sociological Association
- 2001-pres. Reviewer for *American Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *National Science Foundation*, *Social Problems*, *Sociological Perspectives*, *Contemporary Sociology*, *Sociological Methods and Research*, *City and Community*, *Social Forces*, *Social Science Quarterly*, *Social Psychology Quarterly*, *Journal of Urban Affairs*, *Symbolic Interaction*, *Sociological Methods and Research*, *Qualitative Sociology*, *International Journal of Management and Decision Making*, *University of Chicago Press*, and *Oxford University Press*.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE, OTHER

- 2011 Co-Chair, External Review Committee for Department of Sociology, Johns Hopkins University
- 2010-2013 Council Member, ASA
- 2010-2013 Council Member, CUSS, ASA
- 2010-2013 Council Member, Section on Sociological Practice and Public Sociology, ASA
- 2010-2011 Chair, Ad-hoc Committee on the NRC Rankings, ASA
- 2009-2010 Chair, Jane Addams Award Committee, CUSS, ASA
- 2007-2009 Member, Nominations Committee, ASA
- 2007 Panel Member, Minority Postdoctoral Fellowship, National Science Foundation
- 2006-2007 Executive Committee Member, ESS

2006-2007 Program Committee Member, 2007 Meeting, ESS
 2005-2006 Session Organizer, Social and Political Capital Among Latinos in Urban Areas, 2006 Meeting, ASA
 2004-2005 Chair, Student Paper Award Committee, CUSS, ASA
 2003-2004 Roundtables Organizer, Theory Section, 2004 Meeting, ASA, 2004 Meeting
 2003-2004 Member, Student Paper Award Committee, CUSS, ASA
 2003-2004 Race and Ethnicity Topic Subcommittee, 2004 Meeting, Population Association of America

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE, UNIVERSITY

University of Chicago

2011-2014 Chair, Department of Sociology
 2011-2012 Councilor, Council of the University Senate
 2010-2011 Member, Population Studies Search Committee, Department of Sociology
 2009-2010 Chair, Population Studies Search Committee, Department of Sociology
 2008-2010 Member, Committee on Campus Planning
 2008-2009 Member, Advanced Residency Committee
 2007-2008 Chair, Dissertation Fellowship Committee, Center for the Study of Race, Politics, and Culture
 2007-2008 Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Sociology
 2006-2007 Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Sociology
 2006-2007 Committee Member, Harper Dissertation Fellowship
 2006-2007 Committee Member, CRPC Summer Travel Grant
 2007 Speaker, Conference on Inner-City Entrepreneurship

Princeton University

2005-2006 Priorities Committee Member
 2005-2006 Member, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Sociology
 2005 Speaker, Mellon Minority Undergraduate Fellows Dinner
 2004 Speaker, Mellon Minority Undergraduate Fellows Dinner
 2003-2004 Graduate Committee Member, Department of Sociology
 2003-2004 Faculty Search Committee Member, Department of Sociology
 2003 Speaker, training session for Multicultural Advisors, Wilson College
 2003 Speaker, discussion on class in American society, Wilson College
 2002-2003 Brown Prize Committee Member, Department of Sociology
 2002 Speaker, discussion on poverty and social capital with undergraduate group Paideia

PRESENTATIONS AND PANELS

2012 Small, Mario L. "The Institutional Foundations of Social Capital: Evidence from Mothers and Childcare Centers." Presented at the Spring Colloquium, Department of Sociology, Northern Illinois University, Dekalb, IL, April. *Invited.*
 2012 Small, Mario L. "The Institutional Foundations of Social Capital: Evidence from Mothers and Childcare Centers." Presented at the Population Studies Center, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, April. *Invited.*

- 2012 Small, Mario L. "The Institutional Foundations of Social Capital: Evidence from Mothers and Childcare Centers." Presented at the Broom Center for Demography, University of California, Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, March. *Invited.*
- 2011 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital." Presented at the Sociology Workshop, Nuffield College, Oxford University, Oxford, UK, November. *Invited.*
- 2011 Small, Mario L. "Whom We Talk to When We Talk about Important Matters." Presented at the Social Interactions, Identity, and Well-being Program, Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, Montreal, Quebec, September.
- 2011 Small, Mario L. "Framing, Community Participation, and Social Mobilization in Low-Income Neighborhoods: A Case Study." Presented at Renmin University, Beijing, China, July. *Invited.*
- 2011 Small, Mario L. "Whom We Talk to When We Talk about Important Matters." Presented at Personal Networks: Methods and Applications conference at the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain, June.
- 2011 Small, Mario L. "Writing *Unanticipated Gains*." Presented at the Mellon Minority Undergraduate Fellowship banquet, Carleton College, Northfield, MN, May. *Invited.*
- 2011 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital." Presented in the Department of Sociology, Loyola University Chicago, Chicago, IL, April. *Invited.*
- 2011 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital." Presented in the Department of Sociology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC, February. *Invited.*
- 2011 Small, Mario L. "Writing *Unanticipated Gains*." Presented at the Methods of Analysis Program in the Social Sciences speaker series, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, January. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital." Presented at the Social Interaction and Organizing at Northwestern speaker series, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, November. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital." Presented at the Governance and Management department of the School of Public and Environmental Affairs, University of Indiana, Bloomington, IN, October. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital." Presented at the MPISP Inequality Proseminar, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, October. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Making Friends in Violent Neighborhoods." Presented at American Educational Research Association Meeting, Denver, CO, August. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital." Presented at the Ph.D. Proseminar, Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO. April. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital: It's Not Whom You Know; It's Where you Know Them From." Presented at the Sociology Department Colloquium, Stanford University, Stanford, CA. April. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital: It's Not Whom You Know; It's Where you Know Them From." Presented at the Colloquium of the Center on Culture, Immigration, and Youth Violence Prevention, University of California, Berkeley, CA. April. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Doing Fieldwork in the City of Boston: Coming to Terms with Difference." Presented at the Eastern Sociological Society Meeting, Boston, MA. March. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital." Presented at the Culture and Society and the Inequalities Workshop, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA. February. *Invited.*
- 2010 Small, Mario L. "Ethnographic Evidence and Neighborhood Effects: Strong and Weak Approaches to Generating Hypotheses from the Field." Presented at the Seminar on Neighbourhood Effects: Theory and Evidence, University of St. Andrews, St. Andrews, Scotland. February. *Invited.*

- 2009 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital: An Organizational Perspective on Networks and Wellbeing." Presented at the Department of Sociology, Harvard University, Cambridge, MD. December. *Invited.*
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital: An Organizational Perspective on Networks and Wellbeing." Presented at the Department of Sociology, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD. November. *Invited.*
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "Rethinking Social Capital: An Organizational Perspective on Networks and Wellbeing." Presented at the Social Interactions, Identity, and Well-being Program, Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, Halifax, NS. September. *Invited.*
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "Lost in Translation." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA. August. *Invited.*
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "Social Capital and Organizational Embeddedness: Toward a Contextualist Model of Network Inequality." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, CA. August. *Invited.*
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "Support Networks of Mothers of Young Children." Presented at the *All Our Kin* Conference, Yale University, New Haven, CT. May.
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "The Challenge of Sustaining Community Participation: The Case of Villa Victoria." Presented at the Duffy Community Partnership and Leadership Initiative Spring Colloquium, Beloit College, Beloit, WI. April.
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "What Is a Close Friend? Deduction and Induction in the Study of Friendship Networks." Presented at the Sunbelt Conference, International Network for Social Network Analysis, San Diego, CA. March.
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "What Is a Close Friend? Deduction and Induction in the Study of Friendship Networks." Presented at the Organizations and Markets workshop, Booth School of Business, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL. March. *Invited*
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "Urban Renewal and Community Participation: A Housing Project in Boston"; "Villa Victoria and the Chicago School in 21st Century Urban Sociology"; "Organizational Density and the Chicago Ghetto"; "Ethnography, the Sociological Imagination, and the City." Presented over four days at the Faculty of Political Sciences, University of Bologna, Bologna, Italy. February. *Invited.*
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "The Support Networks of Mothers of Young Children: Why Childcare Centers Matter." Presented at the Community Luncheon, Divinity School, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL. February. *Invited.*
- 2009 Small, Mario L. "How Representative are Chicago Ghettos? Organizational Density, Outlier Cities, and Neighborhood Effects." Presented at the Sociology Colloquium, University of California. Berkeley, CA. January. *Invited.*
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "How Representative are Chicago Ghettos? Organizational Density, Outlier Cities, and Neighborhood Effects." Presented at the Workshop on Human Potential and the Education Workshop, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL, October. *Invited.*
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "Cultural Framing and Community Participation: The Case of Villa Victoria." Presented at the Culture and Poverty Conference, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, October. *Invited.*
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "How Representative are Chicago Ghettos? Organizational Density, Outlier Cities, and Neighborhood Effects." Presented at the Inequality Workshop, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL, October. *Invited.*

- 2008 Small, Mario L. "How Representative are Chicago Ghettos? Organizational Density, Outlier Cities, and Neighborhood Effects." Presented at the Social Interactions, Identity, and Well-being Program, Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, Ottawa, ON, September. *Invited.*
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "Organizational Embeddedness and Social Capital." Presented at the Organizations and Urban Inequality Workshop, Hauser Center for the Study of Non-Profits, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, September. *Co-organized.*
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "Four Reasons to Abandon the Idea of 'The Ghetto'." Presented at the session The Ghetto: Origins, History, and Discourse, Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Boston, MA, August.
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "Organizational Embeddedness and Social Capital." Presented at the session Immigrants, Their Relationships, and Work, Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Boston, MA, August. *Invited.*
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "How Representative are Chicago Ghettos? Organizational Density, Outlier Cities, and Neighborhood Effects." Presented at the Seminar, Department of Sociology and West Coast Poverty Center, University of Washington, Seattle, WA, April. *Invited.*
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "Public Sociology in the Age of *Freakonomics*: Bringing a Perspective Back In." Keynote address at the Midwest Sociological Society Meetings, St. Louis, MO, March. *Invited.*
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "How Do Neighborhoods Affect Life Chances? What Childcare Centers Suggest about the Role of Organizational Networks." Presented at the Seminar, Center for New Institutional Social Sciences, Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO, January. *Invited.*
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "What is a Close Friend? The Effects of Organizational Context on Friendship Formation among Mothers in Childcare Centers." Presented at the Sunbelt Conference, International Network for Social Network Analysis, St. Pete Beach, FL, January.
- 2008 Small, Mario L. "How Do Neighborhoods Affect Life Chances? What Childcare Centers Suggest about the Role of Organizational Networks." Presented at the Demography Workshop, Population Research Center, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL, January. *Invited.*
- 2007 Small, Mario L. "Is Chicago Still an Ideal Urban Laboratory?" Keynote luncheon at the Illinois Political Science Association and Illinois Sociological Association meeting, University of Illinois, Chicago, IL, October. *Invited*
- 2007 Small, Mario L. "Networks among Mothers in Daycares: Strong Ties, Weak Ties, or Something Else?" Presented at the Ethnographic Methods Workshop, Department of Sociology, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, May. *Invited*
- 2007 Small, Mario L. "Networks among Mothers in Daycares: Strong Ties, Weak Ties, or Something Else?" Presented at the Qualitative Research Interest Group Workshop, Department of Sociology, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland, May. *Invited*
- 2007 Small, Mario L. "Neighborhood Effects and Organizational Networks: The Case of Childcare Centers." Presented at the Seminar Series, Department of Sociology, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, March. *Invited.*
- 2006 Small, Mario L. "Mechanisms Behind the Effect of Neighborhood Poverty: A View from the U.S." Presented at the conference on Neighborhood Effects, Educational Achievements, and Challenges for Social Policies, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, August-September. *Invited.*
- 2006 Small, Mario L. "Why Do They Flock Together? On the Mechanisms Behind Homophilous Tie Formation in Organizations." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montreal, Canada, August.
- 2006 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation and Resource Deprivation in High Poverty Neighborhoods." Presented at the Sociology Department, University of Chicago, Chicago, IL, February. *Invited.*

- 2006 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in Villa Victoria: What Happened? Why? (And Why Students of Neighborhood Poverty Should Care)." Presented at Sociology Department Colloquium, Columbia University, New York, NY, January. *Invited.*
- 2005 Small, Mario L. "From Engagement to Apathy to Hope: A Short History of Villa Victoria." Presented at the First Hispanic Heritage Celebration, Boston City Hall, Boston, MA. *Invited.*
- 2005 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in Villa Victoria: What Happened? Why? (And Why Students of Neighborhood Poverty Should Care)." Presented at the Race and Ethnicity Workshop, University of Wisconsin, Madison, April. *Invited.*
- 2005 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in Villa Victoria: What Happened? Why? (And Why Students of Neighborhood Poverty Should Care)." Presented at the Center for Advanced Social Science Research Seminar, New York University, New York, NY, April. *Invited.*
- 2005 Small, Mario L. "Childcare Centers as Neighborhood Institutions: A Multi-Method Study." Presented at the Fragile Families Data Workshop, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, February. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "The Presence of Organizational Resources in Poor Urban Neighborhoods: An Analysis of Average and Contextual Effects." Presented at the Quantitative Methods in the Social Sciences Seminar, Columbia University, New York, NY, December. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in Villa Victoria: What Happened? Why?" Presented at the Sociology Department Colloquium, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, November. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "Can Social Capital Last? Lessons from Boston's Villa Victoria Housing Complex." Presented at the Rappaport Institute for Greater Boston, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, November. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in a Predominantly Puerto Rican Housing Complex in Boston: What Happened? Why?" Presented at the Biennial Conference of the Puerto Rican Studies Association, New York, NY. October.
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in a Boston Housing Complex: Does Culture Matter?" Presented at the Miniconference on Self-Organizing Inequalities, Center for the Study of Inequality, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, October. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in Villa Victoria: What Happened? Why?" Presented at the School of Social Work, Columbia University, New York, NY, October. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "How Neighborhoods Matter: Notes on Professional and Theoretical Discourse in Schools of Social Work." Presented at the Faculty Development Seminar, School of Social Work, Columbia University, New York, NY, August. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "How to Conduct a Multi-Method Study: Using Fragile Families to Understand Childcare Centers in New York." Presented at the Fragile Families Data Workshop, Columbia University, New York, NY, July. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "The Scarcity of Organizational Resources in High Poverty Neighborhoods?" Presented at the Summer Research Workshop, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, June.
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "The Scarcity of Organizational Resources in High Poverty Neighborhoods." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Boston, MA, April.

- 2004 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in Villa Victoria: What Happened? And Why?" Presented at the Urban Sociology Workshop, Department of Sociology, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, March. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "How to Use a Case Study to Open the 'Black Box': Notes from *Villa Victoria*." Presented at the National Poverty Center, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, January. *Invited.*
- 2004 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in Villa Victoria: What Happened? And Why?" Presented at the National Poverty Center, Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, January. *Invited.*
- 2003 Small, Mario L. "How to Use a Case Study to Open the 'Black Box': Notes from *Villa Victoria: The Transformation of Social Capital in an Boston Barrio*." Presented at the Graduate Center at the City University of New York, New York, NY, December. *Invited.*
- 2003 Small, Mario L. "On Case Study Use in Opening the 'Black Box'." Presented at the conference, Being Here and Being There: Fieldwork Encounters and Ethnographic Discoveries. University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, November. *Invited.*
- 2003 Small, Mario L. . " 'Migrant Transnationalism and Modes of Transformation' by Steven Vertovec." Presented and discussed at the conference, Conceptual and Methodological Developments in the Study of International Migration. Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, May. *Invited.*
- 2003 Small, Mario L. "How to Use a Case Study to Open the 'Black Box': Notes from *Villa Victoria: The Transformation of Social Capital in an Urban Barrio*." Presented at the Center for Migration and Development, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, April. *Invited.*
- 2003 Small, Mario L. "Community Participation in a Puerto Rican Housing Project in Boston." Presented at the Program in Latin American Studies, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, April. *Invited.*
- 2003 Small, Mario L. "What is a Neighborhood Institution?" Presented at the conference, Young Faculty Leaders Forum, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, April. *Invited.*
- 2002 Small, Mario L. "The Jorge Hernández Cultural Center: A Case in the Use of Culture to Generate Social Capital Among the Poor." Presented at the conference, Taking the Measure of Culture. Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, June. *Invited.*
- 2002 Small, Mario L. Participant. "Qualitative Research on 'Moving to Opportunity'." Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, June. *Invited.*
- 2002 Small, Mario L. "Better Environments or Better Students? Why Black Graduation Rates Are Higher in Some Elite Colleges than Others." Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA, May.
- 2002 Small, Mario L. Discussant. "Immigration and Culture: European and American Perspectives." Panel at the conference, "Race/Ethnicity, Self/Culture, and Inequality." Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, April. *Invited.*
- 2002 Small, Mario L. "How Well Do We Know the 'Ghetto'? Hypotheses on the Relationship Between Resources and Social Capital in Poor Neighborhoods." Presented at the School of Social Work. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, March. *Invited.*
- 2002 Small, Mario L. "Social Capital in a Puerto Rican Neighborhood in Boston." Presented at the Berkeley Diaspora Studies Colloquium. University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, January. *Invited.*
- 2001 Small, Mario L. and Christopher Winship. "Better Environments or Better Students? Why Black Graduation Rates Vary Across Elite Colleges and Universities." Presented at the

- conference, Mellon Foundation, Diversity in Higher Education. Boston University, Boston, MA, November-December.
- 2001 Small, Mario L. " 'From the Resources of Poverty to the Poverty of Resources? The Erosion of the Survival Model' by Mercedes González de la Rocha." Presented and discussed at the conference, *Out of the Shadows: Political Action and the Informal Economy—Latin America and Beyond*. Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, November. *Invited*.
- 2001 Small, Mario L. "Time, Culture, and Social Organization: The Case of a Predominantly Puerto Rican Housing Project." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Anaheim, CA, August.
- 2001 Small, Mario L. "Racialized Ways of Seeing." Presider and discussant. Session of the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Anaheim, CA, August.
- 2001 Small, Mario L. "Neighborhood Change, Generational Disjuncture: A Study of Social Organization in a Predominantly Puerto Rican Housing Project." Presented at the Department of Sociology. Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, February.
- 1994 Small, Mario L. "Toward Understanding the Causes of Black Male Violent Crime." Presented at the conference, Ford-Mellon Research Scholars' Conference. Mt. Holyoke College, South Hadley, MA, August.

TEACHING AND ADVISING

University of Chicago

- 2006-pres. Logic of Inquiry in Case Study Methods (graduate), New Research in Urban Inequality (graduate), Social Theory and Evidence Workshop (graduate), The Sociology of Intellectuals (undergraduate), Social Science Inquiry III (formerly, Democracy and Social Science III) (undergraduate), Paper Writing Seminar (graduate), Inequality in American Society (formerly Inequality: Race, Class, Gender, and Neighborhood in American Society) (undergraduate, graduate)

Princeton University

- 2002-2006 Selected Topics in Social Processes: Cultural Analysis (graduate), Selected Topics in Social Structure: Inequality and Culture (graduate), Logic of Inquiry in Ethnographic Methods (graduate), Inequality: Class, Race, and Gender (undergraduate), Qualitative Research Methods (graduate), Selected Topics in Social Structure: Social Stratification and Inequality (graduate)

Harvard University

- 1997-2000 Assistant Senior Tutor for Advising, Mather House; Sexual Assault and Sexual Harassment Advisor, Mather House; Resident Tutor in Sociology, Mather House; Independent Research Advisor; Introduction to Sociology (Teaching Fellow)

Carleton College

- 1993-1996 Volunteer Writing Assistant, Writing Center; Volunteer ESL Tutor, A.C.T Office; Spanish Tutor; Introductory Spanish (Teaching Assistant)

Miscellaneous

