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EMPLOYMENT RECORD:

2007 to present: Vice President and Distinguished Scholar, The Population Council, New York
1989 to 2006: Vice President, Policy Research Division, The Population Council, New York
1988 to 1989: Deputy Director, Center for Policy Studies, The Population Council, New York
1982 to 1988: Senior Associate, Center for Policy Studies, The Population Council, New York
1973 to 1981: Associate, Center for Policy Studies, The Population Council, New York
1977 to 1986: Associate Professor (adjunct), Department of Population and Family Health,
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EDUCATION:

M.S. 1968, Electrical Engineering (systems analysis), Eindhoven Institute of Technology, The Netherlands

Ph.D. 1972, Physiology and Biomedical Engineering, University of Illinois.
Dissertation: "A Cybernetic Model of the Demographic Transition"

Postdoctoral Fellow 1973, Population Dynamics, Johns Hopkins University

HONORS AND AWARDS:

Laureate, International Union for the Scientific Study of Population 2013

Member, U.S. National Academy of Sciences 2002.

Member, Royal Dutch Academy of Sciences 1986.

Member, Johns Hopkins Society of Scholars 1988.

Robert J. Lapham Award, Population Association of America, 1997.

Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science, 1994.

Mindel Sheps Award, Population Association of America, 1986.

Research Career Development Award, National Institutes of Health, 1980–1985.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Member, Steering Committee, Workshop on Recent trends in fertility in Sub-Saharan Africa, National Research Council, 2015-2017

Member, Committee on Sustainability Science: Preparing for 9 Billion on the Planet, Board on Environmental Change and Society, National Research Council, 2013

Member, Committee on The Long-run Macroeconomic Implications of Population Aging, National Research Council, 2010-2012

Member, Social Security Advisory Board, Technical Panel on Assumptions and Methods, 2010-2011

Chair, Institutional Review Board, Population Council, 2008-present

Member, Editorial Committee, *Population and Development Review*, 2007-present

Chair, Editorial Committee, *Studies in Family Planning*, The Population Council, 2000–present.

Chair, Panel on Population Projections, Committee on Population, National Research Council, 1998-2000.

Member, Technical Advisory Group, MEASURE, DHS+, Macro International, 1998-2000.

Member, Board on Sustainable Development, National Research Council, 1994–2000.

Member, Committee on Population, National Research Council, 1994–2000.

Member, Population Advisory Committee, Hewlett Foundation, 2000.

International Advisory Group, MacArthur Foundation, November, 1999–2003.

Member, Board of African Population and Health Research Centre (APHRC), Nairobi, 1996-2000.

Briefing on “Population Policy Options in the Developing World” to Vice President Albert Gore, August 1994.

Briefing on “Population Policy Options in the Developing World” to Secretary of State Warren Christopher, April 1994.

Member, Advisory Group on Population and Goals, UNICEF, 1993–1995. Member, Technical Advisory Committee, EVALUATION Project, University of North Carolina, 1992–1997.

Member, Scientific Advisory Committee, Demographic and Health Surveys, Institute for Resource Development, Columbia, MD, 1987–1998.

Member, Editorial Committee of *Studies in Family Planning*, 1981–present.

Member, Population–Environment Fellows Program Board, University of Michigan, 1992–1995.

Member, Board of Directors, Society for the Study of Social Biology, 1987–present.

Member, Committee on Biomedical Demography, International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, 1986–1990.

Member, Working Group on Health Consequences of Contraceptive Use and Controlled Fertility, National Academy of Sciences, 1986–1990.

Testimony on “Demographic Impact of AIDS in Africa” before Presidential Commission on AIDS, April 1988.

Member, United Nations Expert Group on Methodology for Measuring Contraceptive Use Dynamics, 1988.

Member, World Bank Mission to Indonesia, December 1985.

Member, Board of Directors, Population Association of America, 1983–1986.

Chairman, Committee on Family Demography and the Life Cycle of the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, 1982–1985.

Member, Third United Nations Expert Group on Methods of Measuring the Impact of Family Planning Programmes on Fertility, 1982.

Member, Committee for the Analysis of Family Planning Programs of the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, 1978–1981.

Member, Second United Nations Expert Group on Methods of Measuring the Impact of Family Planning Programmes on Fertility, 1979.

Member, Committee on Nutrition and Fertility, Food and Nutrition Board, National Academy of Sciences, 1980–1982.

Member, State of the Art Committee, Panel on the Determinants of Fertility, National Academy of Sciences, 1980–1982.

Member, Study Group on Methodological Aspects of the Demography of the Family, Committee for International Cooperation in National Research in Demography (Paris), 1979, 1982.

Chairman, organizer, discussant, and/or presenter of papers at scientific meetings of the United Nations, World Bank, WHO, AID, IUSSP, PAA, AAAS, and NAS.

Reviewer of articles or books for *Demography*, *Family Planning Perspectives*, *Journal of American Statistical Association*, *Journal of Biosocial Sciences*, *Population and Development Review*, *Population Studies*, *Science*, *Social Biology*, *Studies in Family Planning*.

PUBLICATIONS:

Articles and book chapters:

“Africa’s unique fertility transition”, in “Recent trends in fertility in sub-Saharan Africa” *Population and Development Review*, Supplement to vol.42. 2017

“Recent trends in fertility in sub-Saharan Africa” *Population and Development Review*, Supplement to vol 42. Co-editor with John Casterline. 2017

“Trends in the transition to adulthood: The role of education”. *Population Studies* (with Barbara Mensch and Ann Blanc) 11 Apr 2017.

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“Africa’s challenging demographic future” at <http://www.humanosphere.org/basics/2015/10/oped-africas-challenging-demographic-future/>

“How Many More Missing Women? Excess Female Mortality and Prenatal Sex Selection, 1970–2050. *Population and Development Review*, 41(2): 241–269 (with Christophe Z. Guilmoto) 2015

Fertility Change: Quantum and Tempo. In: James D. Wright (editor-in-chief), *International Encyclopedia of the Social & Behavioral Sciences*, 2nd edition, Vol 9. Oxford: Elsevier. pp. 10–12. 2015

“Global fertility and population trends.” Special issue on "Global Women's Health" *Seminars in Reproductive Medicine* 33:5-10, 2015

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Capturing the Demographic Dividend in Pakistan. Edited by Zeba A. Sathar, Rabbi Royan, and John Bongaarts. The Population Council. 2013

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