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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

University of Wisconsin-Madison
 Anna Julia Cooper Postdoctoral Fellow 2023-2024
 Assistant Professor of Sociology 2024
 • Faculty Affiliate, Center for Demography and Ecology

EDUCATION

Stanford University 2023
 Ph.D., Sociology
Dissertation title: The Inequalities of Well-being and Income
Committee: Jeremy Freese (chair), David B. Grusky, and Florencia Torche

The University of Chicago 2015
 Master of Public Policy

Government College Lahore, Pakistan 2007
 Bachelors, Economics major; Mathematics and Statistics minor

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Rauf, Tamkinat. 2023. “Differential Sensitivity to Adversity by Income: Evidence from a Study of Bereavement” *Social Science Research*. [[Replication package](#)]

Rauf, Tamkinat and Jeremy Freese. 2023. “Happiness Scholarship and Redistributive Preferences.” *Social Psychology Quarterly*. [[Preregistration](#)] [[Replication package](#)]

Rauf, Tamkinat. 2023. “Mental Health Effects of Income over the Adult Life Course.” *Socius* 9. [[Replication package](#)]

- Winner of Best Student Paper Award, ASA Section on Evolution, Biology, & Society

Freese, Jeremy, **Tamkinat Rauf**, and Jan Gerrit Voelkel. 2022. “Advances in Transparency and Reproducibility in the Social Sciences.” *Social Science Research* 107: 102770.

- Lead article in 50th Anniversary Special Issue

Torche, Florencia and **Tamkinat Rauf.** 2021. “The Political Context and Infant Health in the United States.” *American Sociological Review* 86(3): 377-405. [[Replication package](#)]

- Lead article
- Featured in the Sage Sociology [podcast](#), ASA [press release](#), and ASA *Sociological Insights for Development Policy* brief, vol. 22(1).

Rauf, Tamkinat. 2021. "How College Makes Liberals (Or Conservatives)." *Socius* 7: 1-13. [[Replication package](#)]

Rauf, Tamkinat. 2020. "Getting a Job, Again: New Evidence Against Subjective Well-being Scarring." *Social Forces* 100(1): 218-245. [[Replication package](#)]

- Winner of the Barbara & Sandy Dornbusch Award for a Contribution to the Understanding or Solution of a Social Problem, Stanford University

Torche, Florencia, and **Tamkinat Rauf.** 2020. "Transition to Fatherhood and the Health of Men." *Journal of Marriage and Family* 83(2): 446-465.

Salganik, Matt, Ian Lundberg, Alexander Kindel, ... **Tamkinat Rauf**... Sara McLanahan. 2020. "Measuring the Predictability of Life Outcomes with a Scientific Mass Collaboration". *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, 117(5): 8398-8403.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Rauf, Tamkinat and Jeremy Freese. "Genetic Influences on Depression and Selection into Adverse Life Experiences"

Rauf, Tamkinat, Jan Gerrit Voelkel, James Druckman, and Jeremy Freese. "Why Survey Experiments Fail: Evidence from Re-analyses of 100 Experiments"

HONORS AND AWARDS

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| 2023-2024 | Anna Julia Cooper Postdoctoral Fellowship, University of Wisconsin-Madison |
| 2022 | Best Student Paper Award, ASA Section on Evolution, Biology, & Society |
| 2022 | Barbara & Sandy Dornbusch Award for a Contribution to the Understanding or Solution of a Social Problem, Stanford University |
| 2022 | Centennial Teaching Assistant Award, School of Humanities and Sciences, Stanford University |
| 2021-2022 | Stanford Center for American Democracy Fellowship (\$1,200) |
| 2022 | Graduate Research Opportunity Award, Stanford (\$1,200) [Could not accept] |
| 2021 | RSF Summer Institute in Social Science Genomics, training grant |

- 2021-2022 Institute for Research in the Social Sciences (IRiSS), Dissertation Fellowship (\$11,000)
- 2021 Sociology Research Opportunity Award, Stanford (\$1,000)
- 2021 Departmental nomination, Lieberman Fellowship, Stanford
- 2020 Institute for Research in the Social Sciences (IRiSS), research grant (\$1,200)
- 2018-2019 Graduate Public Service Fellowship, Haas Center, Stanford. (\$3,000)
- 2016-2018 Wells Family Fellowship, Stanford University (full tuition and stipend)
- 2015 University of Chicago Survey Lab, conference travel award
- 2013-2015 Irving B. Harris Fellowship, University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy (full tuition and stipend)

PRESENTATIONS

Invited Talks

“Preregistration”

- 2023 University of Wisconsin-Madison, Center for Demography and Ecology

“The Inequalities of Well-being and Income”

- 2022 Northwestern University, Department of Sociology
- 2022 University of Wisconsin-Madison, Department of Sociology

Conference Presentations

“Happiness Scholarship and Redistributive Preferences.” (with Jeremy Freese)

- 2023 American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, session on *Social Psychology in the Wider World: Policy and Practice*, Philadelphia, PA. (Forthcoming)
- 2023 American Association for Public Opinion Research Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.

“Differential Sensitivity to Adversity by Income: Evidence from a Study of Bereavement”

- 2023 Population Association of America Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
- 2023 Pacific Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Bellevue, WA.
- 2021 American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, session on *Multidimensional and Longitudinal Perspectives on Social Class and Inequality*. Virtual

“Identifying the Elusive Causal Income Effect on Mental Well-being”

- 2023 Population Association of America Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

- 2022 Integrating Genetics and the Social Sciences, Annual Conference, Boulder, CO
- 2022 American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, session on *Inequality and Stratification*, Los Angeles, CA

“Selection into Adversity by Polygenic Predictors of Depression.” (with Jeremy Freese)

- 2022 American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, session on *Use of Polygenic Scores in Sociology*, Los Angeles, CA
- 2022 Integrating Genetics and the Social Sciences, Annual Conference, Boulder, CO (non-presenter)

“Why Survey Experiments Fail: Evidence from Re-analyses of 100 Experiments.” (with Jeremy Freese, Jan Gerrit Voelkel, and James Druckman)

- 2022 American Association of Public Opinion Research, Chicago, IL (non-presenter)

“The Political Context and Infant Health in the United States.” (with Florencia Torche)

- 2021 American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Virtual (non-presenter)
- 2020 Population Association of America Annual Meeting [Paper accepted. Meeting cancelled due to COVID-19]

“How College Makes Liberals (Or Conservatives).”

- 2020 American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, round table session, Virtual

“The Effect of Fatherhood on Men's Health.” (with Florencia Torche)

- 2020 Population Association of America Annual Meeting [Paper accepted. Meeting cancelled due to COVID-19]

“Getting a Job, Again: Does Unemployment Scar for Life?”

- 2019 Population Association of America Annual Meeting, Austin TX

“Selecting into Social Influence: Political Identity Development in College.”

- 2018 Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting, round table session, Philadelphia PA

TEACHING

Stanford University

- Wellbeing and Society (SOC 126D), Instructor (2020)
- Senior Seminar: Comparative Studies in Race & Ethnicity (CSRE 200x), Research Mentor (2020)
- Sociological Methodology III: Models for Discrete Outcomes (SOC 383), Teaching Assistant (2018, 2019)
- Junior Seminar: Preparation for Research (SOC 2022), Teaching Assistant (2018)
- Economic Sociology (SOC 114/214), Teaching Assistant (2017)

University of Chicago

- Politics and Policy (PBPL 22100), Teaching Assistant (2014)

OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS), <i>Project Assistant</i>	2018-Present
National Opinion Research Center (NORC), <i>Graduate Research Assistant</i>	2015-2016
State Bank of Pakistan (central bank), <i>Economic Analyst</i>	2008-2013

PROFESSIONAL TRAININGS

- Summer Institute in Social Science Genomics, Russell Sage Foundation (2021)
- Genomics for Social Scientists, University of Michigan (2021)
- Non-Probability Sampling, American Association of Public Opinion Research (2015)
- Macroeconomic Forecasting, International Monetary Fund (2013)
- Financial Programming and Policies, International Monetary Fund (2012)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Disciplinary Service

- ASA, Discussant, “Opportunities and Challenges in the Use of Biological Data in Social Science Research” (2023)
- ASA, Presider, “New Directions in the Study of Culture and Inequality” (2023)
- PAA, Poster Discussant, “Education, Employment, and Inequality” (2023)
- PSA, Presider, “Health Inequalities” (2023)
- Reviewer: *American Journal of Sociology*, *American Sociological Review*, *Demography*, *European Sociological Review*, *Journal of Health & Social Behavior*, *Journal of Family Studies*, *Social Forces*, *Social Problems*, *Social Psychology Quarterly*, *Social Science & Medicine*, *Sociological Inquiry*, *Sociological Methodology*, *Sociological Perspectives*, *SSM – Population Health*, *Time-sharing Experiments in the Social Sciences*

Department & University Service

- Graduate admissions committee, Department of Sociology, Stanford University (2018, 2022)
- Peer mentor, Stanford Association of Sociology Graduate Students (2017-2019, 2022)
- Judge, annual conference of Stanford Undergraduate Research Association (2021)
- Speaker, workshop on Publishing in Academic Journals, Department of Sociology, Stanford University (2020)
- Professional development chair, Stanford Association of Sociology Graduate Students (2018-2019)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association

- Sections: *Evolution, Biology, & Society; Inequality, Poverty, & Mobility; Methodology; Social Psychology; Sociology of Mental Health*

American Association for Public Opinion Research

Population Association of America