

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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#### **Academic Training**

June 1985	M.P.H., University of Washington Seattle, Washington
May 1979	M.D., Columbia College of Physicians and Surgeons New York, New York
June 1974	A.B., Cum Laude, History and Science, Radcliffe College Cambridge, Massachusetts

#### **Traineeships**

1983-1985	Robert Wood Johnson Clinical Scholar University of Washington Seattle, Washington
1982-1983	Chief Resident, Department of Medicine Harlem Hospital Center New York, New York
1979-1982	Residency Training, Internal Medicine Harlem Hospital Center New York, New York

## Board Certification and Licensure

### Board Qualification

1983                      Diplomate, American Board of Internal Medicine  
Candidate 089171

### Licensure

1981                      New York (active)

## Committees, Professional Organizations and Societies

Member                      Tobacco Products Scientific Advisory Committee, Food and Drug Administration (February 2018-present)

Member                      National Academy of Medicine (2017-present)

Member                      Advisory Board, New York University College of Global Public Health (2017-present)

Member                      Board of Directors, Truth Initiative (2017-present)

Member                      External Advisory Board, NYU School of Medicine, Department of Population Health (2016-present)

Chair                          NYC Board of Health (2014-present)

Chair and President      Board of Directors, Fund for Public Health in New York City (2014-present)

Member                      Board of Directors, NYC Health + Hospitals Corporation (2014-present)

Member                      Committee on Planning the Assessment/Evaluation of HIV/AIDS Programs Implemented Under United States Global Leadership Against HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria Reauthorization Act of 2008 (2008-2013)

Associate Editor          American Journal of Public Health (2002- 2014)

International Editor      American Journal of Public Health (2000- 2002)

Member                      American Public Health Association (1998-present)

## Academic Appointments/Employment

2014-present              Commissioner  
New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene  
New York, New York

2009-2014                Program Director  
African Health Initiative and Child Well-Being Prevention Program  
Doris Duke Charitable Foundation  
New York, New York

2002-2009                Deputy Commissioner, Health Promotion and Disease Prevention

New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene  
New York, New York

- 2001-2002 Associate Director, Health Equity  
Rockefeller Foundation  
Southern Africa Office
- 1995-present Associate Professor, Clinical Public Health and Clinical Medicine  
Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons (on  
leave)  
New York, New York
- 1985-2005 Department of Community Medicine  
University of Zimbabwe  
Harare, Zimbabwe
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| 1985-1991 | Lecturer                                    |
| 1992-2000 | Senior Lecturer (on leave 1987-88, 1995-97) |
| 2000-2005 | Associate Professor (on leave 2001-05)      |
- 1997-2001 Research Associate, Department of Medicine  
Stanford University Medical Center  
Stanford, California
- 1995-1997 Director, Harlem Center for Disease Prevention  
Columbia School of Public Health  
New York, New York
- 1987-1988 Attending Physician, Department of Medicine  
Harlem Hospital Center  
New York, New York

### **Honors**

- 2017 Kenneth A. Forde Lifetime Achievement Award, Columbia  
University
- 2017 Baseball Leadership Award, Arthur Ashe Institute for Urban  
Health
- 2017 Beny J. Primm Humanitarian Award, START
- 2017 Honoree, VOCAL-NY
- 2017 Victoria J. Mastrobuono Award for Women's Health, National  
Organization for Women
- 2017 Champion of Public Health, City University of New York, School of  
Public Health
- 2017 Fuerza Award, Latino Commissioner on AIDS
- 2016 Sapientia et Doctrina Medal, Fordham University
- 2016 Frank A. Calderone Prize in Public Health, Columbia University,

	Mailman School of Public Health
2016	Founders' Award, Citizens' Committee for Children of New York
2016	Marshall England Memorial Public Health Award, Commission on the Public's Health System
2014	Public Health Leadership Award, Treatment Action Group
2014	Lucille Bulger Community Service Award, Community League of the Heights
2014	Public Service Award, Coalition of Behavioral Health Agencies
2013	Haven Emerson Award, Public Health Association of New York City
1979	Franklin McLean Award for "Best Graduating Black Medical Student," Columbia College of Physicians and Surgeons
1974	Ames Award for "Courage and Leadership," Harvard-Radcliffe

### **Fellowship and Grant Support**

- Apr. 1999-Mar. 2003 Targeted Epidemiological Treatment vs. General Population Approaches to STD/HIV prevention. Supported by USAID under the Horizons programme. (David Wilson, Principal Investigator)
- Dec. 1999-Jan. 2002 Use of Lay Volunteers in HIV Counselling and Testing among Antenatal Women in Chitungwiza. Supported by Swedish International Development Agency (SIDA) and National Institute of Health, United States
- Aug. 1999-Sept. 2001 Factory based AIDS Prevention (FWAPP). Supported by AusAID in collaboration with Australian Overseas Volunteers
- Aug. 1999-Sept. 2001 Cost-sharing for peer education in workplace based AIDS prevention. Supported by the Royal Netherlands Embassy
- Nov. 1997-Feb. 2001 Investigator and programme director. Zimbabwe AIDS Prevention Project, a HIVNET (NIH) site
- Aug. 1994-Dec. 1995 "User acceptability of over-the-counter vaginal preparations" Population Council. Multicentre study; Zimbabwe (Principal Investigator)
- Apr. 1994-Mar. 1995 "Adolescents AIDS Prevention," Ford Foundation
- Jan 1993-Jan. 1994 "User acceptability of the female condom in Zimbabwe, awarded by WHO, Special Programme of Research Development and Research Training in Human Reproduction
- Apr.1992-Dec. 1994 "Women and AIDS in Zimbabwe: An Ethnographic Study" International Center for Research on Women

Washington, District of Columbia

Mar. 1992-Feb. 1995 "Impact of structural adjustment on health in an urban and a rural area of Zimbabwe," funded by Nordic Institute for African Studies. (David M. Sanders, Principal Investigator)

Jan. 1992-Dec. 1994 Preparation for evaluation of AIDS vaccine (PAVE) funded by National Institutes of Health. (David Katzenstein, Principal Investigator)

### **Consultancy Work**

May-Dec. 2000 Team member, AIDS Exploration, Rockefeller Foundation

Nov.1997- Mar.1998 Assessment of the impact of the Family Health Project in collaboration with the Ministry of Health, World Bank

June-July 1997 Team member, Assessment of Malawi AIDS Control Program World Bank

Aug. 1992 Evaluation of Village Community Worker Program in Zimbabwe, Commissioned by UNICEF

Jan. 1992 Review of water- and sanitation-related diseases in Zimbabwe. Commissioned by the World Bank, funded by UNICEF

### **Publications**

#### **Original, peer-reviewed articles**

Bailey ZD, Krieger N, Agénor M, Graves J, Linos N, Bassett MT. Structural racism and health inequities in the USA: Evidence and interventions. *Lancet*. 2017; 389(10077): 1453-63.

Tsao TY, Konty KJ, Van Wye G, Barbot O, Hadler JL, Linos N, Bassett MT. Estimating potential reductions in premature mortality in New York City from raising the minimum wage to \$15. *Am J Public Health*. 2016; 106(6):1036-41.

Bassett MT, Gallin EK, Adedokun L, Toner C. From the ground up: Strengthening health systems at district level. *BMC Health Serv Res*. 2013; 13(Suppl 2):S2.

Dumanovsky T, Huang CY, Nonas CA, Matte TD, Bassett MT, Silver LD. Changes in energy content of lunchtime purchases from fast food restaurants after introduction of calorie labelling: Cross sectional customer surveys. *BMJ*. 2011; 343:d4464.

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Farley TA, Caffarelli A, Bassett MT, Silver L, Frieden TR. New York City's fight over calorie labeling. *Health Aff (Millwood)*. 2009; 28 (6):w1098-109.

Chamany S, Silver LD, Bassett MT, Driver CR, Berger DK, Neuhaus CE, Kumar N, Frieden TR. Tracking diabetes: New York City's A1C registry. *Milbank Q*. 2009; 87(3): 547-70.

Huang C, Dumanovsky T, Silver LD, Nonas C, Bassett MT. Calories from beverages purchased at 2 major coffee chains in New York City, 2007. *Prev Chronic Dis*. 2009; 6(4): A118.

Angell SY, Silver LD, Goldstein GP, Johnson CM, Deitcher DR, Frieden TR, Bassett MT. Cholesterol control beyond the clinic: New York City's trans fat restriction. *Ann Intern Med*. 2009 151(2):129-34.

Dumanovsky T, Nonas CA, Huang CY, Silver LD, Bassett MT. What people buy from fast-food restaurants: Caloric content and menu item selection, New York City 2007. *Obesity (Silver Spring)*. 2009; 17(7):1369-74.

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Springer CM, Tannert Niang KM, Matte TD, Miller N, Bassett MT, Frieden TR. Do medical students know enough about smoking to help their future patients? Assessment of New York City fourth-year medical students' knowledge of tobacco cessation and treatment for nicotine addiction. *Acad Med*. 2008; 83(10):982-9.

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Frieden TR, Bassett MT, Thorpe LE, Farley TA. Public health in New York City, 2002-2007: Confronting epidemics of the modern era. *Int J Epidemiol* 2008; 37(5):966-77.

Foerster SB, Silver LD, Kohatsu ND, Frieden TR, Bassett MT, Horton MB. Childhood obesity on the front lines. *Am J Prev Med*. 2007; 33(4 Suppl):S175-7.

Karpati AM, Bassett MT, McCord C. Neighbourhood mortality inequalities in New York City, 1989-1991 and 1999-2001. *J of Epidemiol Community Health* 2006; 60(12):1060-4.

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Bassett MT, Bijlmakers L, Sanders DM. Professionalism, patient satisfaction and quality of health care: Experience during Zimbabwe's structural adjustment programme. *Soc Sci Med.* 1997; 45(2):1845-52.

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Bassett MT, Levy L, Chokunonga E, Mauchaza B, Ferlay J, Parkin DM. Cancer in the European population of Harare, Zimbabwe, 1990-92. *Int J Cancer.* 1995; 63(1):24-2.

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“Discrimination: A Public Health Threat” – A Conversation. City University of New York Law Center. Queens, New York: Sept 12, 2017.

“Bending the Arc of the Moral Universe: Doing Good by Making Systems Better.” Medecins Sans Frontieres-USA General Assembly: Plenary on Race, Inclusion, and Movements. New York, New York: June 23, 2017.

“Structural Racism and Health: From Evidence to Action.” The Lancet: Inequality and Health in the United States: A Social Justice Symposium. Harvard Medical School. Boston, Massachusetts: April 24, 2017

“Success Stories and the Path Forward in Tobacco Prevention and Control: New York City.” Closing Plenary. National Conference on Tobacco or Health. Austin, Texas: March 24, 2017.

“Epidemiology and Equity: Using Data to Advance Justice.” Alexander D. Langmuir Honorary Lecture, American Epidemiological Society 90<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting. New York, New York: March 23, 2017

“Social Work, Health Equity and Racial Justice.” Sapientia et Doctrina Lecture. Fordham University Graduate School of Social Service, New York, New York; November 17, 2016.

“Advancing Health Equity as a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Clinical Scholar.” Annie Lea Schuster Alumni Speaker. Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Clinical Scholar Summit, Atlanta, Georgia; November 16, 2016.

“Public Health Meets the Problem of the Color Line.” Frank A. Calderone Prize in Public Health Lecture, New York, New York; Oct. 25, 2016.

“From Bedside Manner to Sidewalk Manner.” Commencement Address. Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, Massachusetts; May 12, 2016.

“The Role of Public Health Data in Advancing Health Equity in All Policies.” America Public Health Association Conference, Chicago, Illinois; November 2015.

“#BlackLivesMatter: A Challenge to the Medical and Public Health Communities.” Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, Cambridge, Massachusetts; October 2015.

“#BlackLivesMatter: A Challenge to the Medical and Public Health Communities.” David Sanders Lecture in Public Health and Social Justice. University of the Western Cape. Bellville, South Africa; July 8, 2015.

“Calories, Fat and Salt: How New York City Helped Redefine Modern Food Safety.” University of

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“Public Health as Social Justice: Addressing Health Inequities in New York City.” Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists Conference, Boston, Massachusetts; June 2015.

“Bringing a Public Health Lens to Healthcare Delivery.” John Lindenbaum Memorial Lecture. Columbia University Medical Center, New York, New York; April 15, 2015.

“Public Health as Social Justice: Lessons from Harlem to Harare.” Stephen Stewart Gloyd Endowed Lecture. University of Washington, Seattle, Washington; April 3, 2015.

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### **Hosted Lectures (selected)**

“Insecurity and Energy Justice: A Call for Public Health,” Dr. Diana Hernández, Assistant Professor of Sociomedical Sciences at Columbia University’s Mailman School of Public Health. Queens: New York; March 5, 2018.

"Characterizing and Measuring Racism: Implications for Addressing Racial Inequities in Health," Dr. Courtney Cogburn, Assistant Professor, Columbia School of Social Work. Queens: New York; January 29, 2018.

“After Hurricane Maria: A Discussion on DOHMH’s Relief Effort,” Oxiris Barbot, MD, First Deputy Commissioner, New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. Queens: New York; December 20, 2017.

“Health and Racist Ideas: A History,” Ibram X. Kendi, PhD, Professor of History and International Service, American University and Director of the Anti-Racist Research and Policy Center at American University. Queens: New York; December 5, 2017.

“Leveling the Playing Field: Achieving Equity and Eliminating Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Children’s Health and Healthcare,” Glenn Flores, MD, FAAP, Chief Research Officer and Director of the Health Services Research Institute, Connecticut Children's Medical Center. Queens: New York; November 29, 2017.

“Building Health,” Stephen Yablon, AIA, LEED AP, Stephen Yablon Architecture. Queens: New York; October 30, 2017.

“Overview of Contemporary Issues in Global Public Health Law and Responses to Global Public Health Crises,” Lawrence O. Gostin, JD, University Professor, Georgetown University Law Center; Founding O’Neill Chair in Global Health Law; Faculty Director, O’Neill Institute for National and Global Health Law, and Director, World Health Organization Collaborating Center on National & Global Health Law. Queens: New York; September 26, 2017.

“How We Created a Public Health Crisis by Segregating our Neighborhoods,” Richard Rothstein, Research Associate, Economic Policy Institute; Senior Fellow, Chief Justice Earl Warren Institution on Law and Social Policy, and University of California, Berkeley School of Law. Queens: New York; September 14, 2017.

“Latino Immigrants, Acculturation and Health: Promising New Directions in Research,” Ana Abraído-Lanza, PhD, Professor, Department of Sociomedical Sciences; Program Director,

Initiative for Maximizing Student Development, and Mailman School of Public Health, Columbia University. Queens: New York; July 17, 2017.

“Dismantling Structural Racism: Strategies for Public Health Practitioners,” Zinzi Bailey, ScD, MSPH, Director of Research and Evaluation, Center for Health Equity, NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. Queens: New York; June 20, 2017.

“The State of Black Immigrants,” Carl Lipscombe, Deputy Director, Black Alliance for Just Immigration, and Co-Founder of #BlackLivesMatter. Queens: New York; May 8, 2017.

“Labor of Love: Transforming the Way We Care.” Ai-jen Poo, Executive Director of the National Domestic Workers Alliance and Co-Director of Caring Across Generations. Queens, New York; April 17, 2017.

“Race, Place and Chronic Disease: Segregation as a Root Determinant of Health Inequities,” Brian Smedley, Ph.D., Co-Founder and Executive Director, National Collaborative for Health Equity. Queens, New York; March 1, 2017.

“Screening RIKERS & Discussing Mass Incarceration with Just Leadership USA,” Khalil A. Cumberbatch, Manager of Trainings, JustLeadershipUSA, and Janos Marton, Director of Policy and Campaigns, JustLeadershipUSA. (JustLeadershipUSA is dedicated to cutting the U.S. correctional population in half by 2030.) Queens, New York; February 22, 2017.

“Drug Policy, Black Life and History: Notes toward a Harm Reduction of Color Critique,” Samuel Kelton Roberts, Jr., PhD, Director, Columbia University Institute for Research in African-American Studies; Associate Professor of History, Columbia University School of Arts and Sciences, and Associate Professor of Sociomedical Sciences, Columbia University, Mailman School of Public Health. Queens, New York; January 30, 2017.

“Violence Against Transgender Individuals and Communities as a Public Health Crisis,” LaLa Zannell, Lead Organizer, New York City Anti-Violence Project; Elana Redfield, Director, LGBTQI Affairs, New York City Human Resources Administration, and Olympia Perez, TransJustice Program Co-Coordinator for Leadership Development, Audre Lorde Project. Queens, New York; November 21, 2016.

“Medical Apartheid in Hospitals in New York City,” Neil S. Calman, MD, FAAFP, President and Chief Executive Officer, Institute for Family Health, and Chair, Department of Family Medicine and Community Health, Icahn School of Medicine, Mount Sinai. Queens, New York; July 20, 2016.

“Shifting Social Climates and the Health of Sexual Minorities in the United States,” Ilan Meyer, PhD, Williams Senior Scholar of Public Policy, Williams Institute, University of California, Los Angeles, School of Law. Queens, New York; June 6, 2016.

“The Politics of Premature Death in Black America,” Khalil Gibran Muhammad, PhD, Director, Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, New York Public Library. Queens, New York; May 4, 2016.

“The Health of Latino Populations: Key Questions and Issues,” Ana Abraido-Lanza, PhD, Associate Professor, Sociomedical Sciences, Columbia University, Mailman School of Public Health. Queens, New York; April 12, 2016.

"Pursuing Equality for Mental Health: Lessons from the United Kingdom," Right Honorable Norman Lamb, Member of Parliament, and Minister of State for Community and Social Care at the Department of Health in the United Kingdom Government (2012-2015). Queens, New York; April 4, 2016.

A Conversation and Musical Performance with the Kuumbra Singers of Harvard College. Queens, New York; March 14, 2016.

A Conversation with Yusef Salaam, convicted of assault and rape in 1990 as one of the Central Park Five. Queens, New York; February 28, 2016.

“From Mississippi Freedom Summer to Black Lives Matter: Recollections on Race, Health and the Civil Rights Movement,” Robert Fullilove, EdD, Professor and Associate Dean, Community and Minority Affairs, Sociomedical Sciences, Columbia University Medical Center. Queens, New York; February 24, 2016.

“The Protest Psychosis: How Schizophrenia Became a Black Disease,” Jonathan Metzl, MD, PhD, Director of the Center for Medicine, Health and Society, and Professor of Psychiatry, Vanderbilt University. Queens, New York; January 25, 2016.

“Mistreating Health Inequities: Race, Medicine and Justice,” Dorothy E. Roberts, JD, Professor of Law, University of Pennsylvania. Queens, New York; October 2, 2015.

“Avertable Deaths: The Power and Limitations of the Message,” Dr. Steven Woolf, MD, MPH, Director of the Virginia Commonwealth University Center on Society and Health, and Professor of Family Medicine and Population Health, Virginia Commonwealth University. Queens, New York; June 26, 2015.

“Body and Soul: The Black Panther Party and the Fight Against Medical Discrimination,” Alondra Nelson, PhD, Dean of Social Science, Professor of Sociology and Gender Studies, Columbia University. Queens, New York; June 22, 2015.

“Community Loss and Neighborhood Risks: New Social Indicators,” Mimi Abramovitz, DSW,

Bertha Capen Reynolds Professor of Social Policy, and Chair, Social Policy Curriculum Area, Silberman School of Social Work at Hunter College, City University of New York; City University of New York Graduate Center. Queens, New York; May 4, 2015.

“Taking Population Health Seriously: Implications for Research and Practice,” Ana V. Diez Roux, MD, PhD, MPH, Dean, Drexel University School of Public Health. Queens, New York; April 1, 2015.

“Re-framing Women's Health with a Reproductive Justice Lens,” Lynn Roberts, Assistant Professor, Community Health, City University of New York School of Public Health. Queens, New York; March 16, 2015.

Black History Month film “Changing Face of Harlem” introduction, Chirlane McCray, First Lady of New York City. Queens, New York; February 17, 2015.

A Conversation with Victor Dzau, MD, President, National Academy of Medicine, and Community Health Leaders. Attendees included representation from area hospitals and universities, local and national funders, community-based organization such as Makes the Road New York and the New York City Justice Alliances and other key stakeholders. Queens, New York; Jan. 13, 2015.

“The Housing and Neighborhood Study: Research Design and Preliminary Findings,” Elyzabeth Gaumer, Acting Assistant Commissioner, Research & Evaluation, New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development. Queens, New York; January 12, 2015.

“Neighborhoods, Housing and Health: A Panel Discussion with Emerging Researchers,” Dustin T. Duncan, ScD, Assistant Professor, Department of Population Health, New York University School of Medicine, and Mariana C. Arcaya, ScD, Yerby Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Harvard University Center for Population and Development Studies. Queens, New York; December 8, 2014.

“Fair Society, Healthy Lives: Getting Evidence into Action,” Sir Michael Marmot, Professor of Epidemiology and Public Health, and Director, Institute for Health Equity, University College London. Queens, New York; November 5, 2014.

“Health As Equity Actualized: Real Life Communications Approaches to Addressing Root Causes,” Makani Themba, Executive Director, Praxis Project. Queens, New York; October 14, 2014.

“Racial Equity at the Intersection of Public Health and Health Care: Lessons Learned through the W.K. Kellogg Foundation America Healing Racial Equity Initiative,” Gail Christopher, DN, Vice President for Program Strategy, W.K. Kellogg Foundation. Queens, New York; June 23, 2014.

“Making the Case for Equity: Advancing Health Equity Through Place-Based Solutions,” Angela Glover Blackwell, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, PolicyLink; and Mildred Thompson,



Director, PolicyLink, Center for Health Equity and Place. Queens, New York; May 19, 2014.