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EDUCATION

<u>Year</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Area of Study</u>
1984	Ph.D.	Texas Tech University Lubbock, TX	Human Development
1981	M.S.	Texas Tech University Lubbock, TX	Human Development
1979	B.A.	Indiana University of Pennsylvania Indiana, PA	Psychology

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

2016	Visiting Scholar, Shu-Te University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan
2016 – present	Senior Fellow, Center for Gerontology, Virginia Tech
2015- permanent	University Distinguished Professor, Virginia Tech
2014- present	Virginia Tech Faculty of Health Sciences (FHS)
2011- 2016	Affiliate Faculty, Alliance for Social, Political, Ethical, and Cultural Thought (ASPECT), Virginia Tech
2011 - present	Professor, Department of Internal Medicine and Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine, Virginia Tech Carilion School of Medicine, Roanoke, VA (Secondary appointment, 2014 - present; adjunct appointment, 2011-2013).
2006 - present	Founding Director, Institute for Society, Culture, & Environment, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA (interim director 2006-2008)

2004-2012	Adjunct Research Professor of Community Medicine and Geriatrics, Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine, Blacksburg, VA
2004	Research Fellow, Centre for Social Change Research, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane, AU
2002-2003	Acting Associate Dean for Research, College of Human Science and Education, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA
1996-2016	Director, Center for Gerontology, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA
1996-2016	Professor, Adult Development and Aging, Department of Human Development, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA
1994-96	Associate Director for Gerontology, Geriatric Education Center, University of Colorado Health Sciences Center, Denver, CO
1993-96	Professor & Coordinator, Gerontology Program, University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO
1992	Visiting Scholar, Henry A. Murray Research Center, Radcliffe College, Cambridge, MA
1989-93	Associate Professor & Coordinator, Gerontology Program, University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO
1984-89	Assistant Professor & Coordinator, Gerontology Program, University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO
1983-84	Assistant to the Associate Dean for Research & Graduate Studies, College of Home Economics, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX
1982-84	Instructor, South Plains College, Levelland, TX
1982-83	Instructor, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX
1980-83	Research Assistant, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX

HONORS AND AWARDS

2015	Graduate Commencement Speaker, Virginia Tech
2014	Fellow, American Psychological Association, Division 20
2012	Gary Andrews Visiting Fellow, Australian Association for Gerontology
2012	Distinguished Mentorship in Gerontology Award, Behavioral and Social Sciences Section, Gerontological Society of America
2007	Fellow, World Demographic Association
2006	Alumni Award for Excellence in Research, Virginia Tech
2005	Visiting Scholar Award, James Madison University
2004	Gordon Streib Academic Gerontologist Award, Southern Gerontological Society
2003	Fellow, National Council on Family Relations
2001	Excellence in Research and Creative Scholarship Award, College of Human Resources and Education, Virginia Tech
1999	Elected Member, Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society
1998	Outstanding Educator Award, Virginia Association on Aging

- 1997 Charter Fellow, Association for Gerontology in Higher Education
 1996 Distinguished Achievement in Sponsored Programs, University of Northern Colorado
 1995 Distinguished Alumni, College of Human Sciences, Texas Tech University
 1994 Faculty Citizenship Recognition, American Association for Higher Education
 1993 Colorado's Young Professional in Aging, Colorado Gerontological Society
 1993 Faculty Member of the Year, College of Health & Human Sciences, University of Northern Colorado
 1992 Fellow, Gerontological Society of America
 1991 Distinguished Scholar, University of Northern Colorado
 1986; 1991 College Scholar, College of Health & Human Sciences, University of Northern Colorado
 1986; 1988 Mortar Board Favorite Professor

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION:

Psychosocial Aspects of Aging
 Family Gerontology
 Health & Relationships in Later Life
 Life Span Human Development

RESEARCH AREAS/INTERESTS:

Older Women/Chronic Health Conditions
 Family Relationships and Caregiving
 Rural Elders
 Elder Abuse

FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS/CONTRACTS (PI unless otherwise noted)

- 2016-17 Families in Rural Appalachia Caring for Older Relatives with Dementia, Virginia Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Fund (#17-3), \$45,000. J. Tina Savla, PI; Karen A. Roberto, Rosemary Blieszner, Co-PIs.
- 2016-19 EEG-Based Control of Working Memory. National Science Foundation (#1604279), \$330,022. Nicole Abaid, PI; Karen A. Roberto, Senior Personal.
- 2016 The Kentucky Justice Study. University of Kentucky. \$60,340. Pamela B Teaster, PI; Karen A. Roberto, Co-I.
- 2015-17 Financial Exploitation by Conservators: Assessing the Problem and Crafting Victim-Centered Responses. Office for Victims of Crime (VF-GX-K019) awarded to the National Center for State Courts, \$349,891. Karen A. Roberto, Co-I.
- 2015-17 Health Consequences of Disaster-Related Disruptions in Home and Community-Based Supports. DHHS: Assistant Secretary for Preparedness & Response, \$268,527, Rachel Pruchno, Laura P. Sands, PIs; Yilli Hong, Karen A. Roberto, Co-Is.
- 2014-16 Assessing the Impact of Involuntary Relocation on Nursing Facility Residents. Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services through the Virginia Department of Medical Assistance Services, \$267,101.
- 2012-16 Collaboration to Address Polyvictimization in Later Life. National Institute of Justice, Office for Victims of Crime (#VF—GX-K014) award to the National Committee for the Prevention of Elder Abuse, \$250,000. Karen A. Roberto, Project Core Team Member.
- 2012-16 Cancer Survivorship among Older Adults in Rural Appalachia. Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service, Department of Agriculture, under Project No. VA-139732 of the Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station, \$25,000.
- 2011-17 Non-Intrusive Multi-Patient Fall-Risk Monitoring in Health Care Facilities. National Science Foundation (#1065442 & #1065262), \$1,200,000. Thurmon Lockhart and Mark Lach, PIs; Karen A. Roberto, Dong Ha, Co-PIs.

- 2011-12 When Emotion Really Matters: Brain Computer Interfaces for the Masses. Institute for Critical Technology and Applied Sciences, Virginia Tech, \$75,000, Denis Gracanin, PI; Jo Gabbard, Karen A. Roberto, Kirby Deater-Deckard, Co-PIs.
- 2011-13 Intergenerational Obesity: Developing an Ecological Research Agenda. National Institutes of Health/Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD), (1R13HD068062-01), \$40,000.
- 2010-17 Appalachian Community Cancer Network II. National Institutes of Health /National Cancer Institute, (1U54CA153604-01), \$6,503,314 (\$504,588/Virginia Tech; PI for Virginia; Co-Director, Training Core).
- 2010-11 Financial Elder Abuse in the News: 2008-2010 Comparisons. MetLife Mature Market Institute (MMI), \$46,500.
- 2010 Rural Health Equity and Health Risk Analyses. Virginia Department of Health, Office of Minority Health & Public Health Policy, \$38,000.
- 2010 Survey of Older Adults and Baby Boomers. National Association for Area Agencies on Aging, Elder Care Locator Needs Assessment, \$47,659, Nancy Brossoie, PI; Karen A. Roberto, Susan Will-Walton, Co-PIs.
- 2010 Health System Profile. Carilion Franklin Memorial Hospital, \$24,000 (Susan Marmagas, PI; Kerry Redican, Karen A. Roberto, Co-PIs).
- 2008-12 Nursing Home Diversion Modernization Program Evaluation. Administration on Aging via the Virginia Department for the Aging, \$50,000.
- 2008-10 Intimate Partner Violence in Rural Aging Women: Promoting Community Knowledge. National Institutes of Health/The Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) and the Office of the Director (OD) (1R03HD059478-01). \$135,100.
- 2008-09 Caring for a Spouse with Mild Cognitive Impairment: Daily Challenges, Marital Relations, and Physiological Indicators of Health. Alzheimer's and Related Diseases Research Award Fund, Richmond, VA, \$40,000.
- 2008-11 Equipment for Center for Peace Studies and Violence Prevention. U.S. Department of Education, \$383,187.
- 2008-11 Appalachian Community Cancer Network. National Institutes of Health/National Cancer Institute, (5U01CA114622-04), \$177,226/Virginia Tech (PI for Virginia Site).
- 2008 Financial Elder Abuse. MetLife Mature Market Institute (MMI), \$56,178.
- 2008-11 Perceptions of Elder Mistreatment in Rural Virginia. Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service, Department of Agriculture, under Project No. VA-135823 of the Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station, \$17,500.
- 2008 Non-Intrusive Monitoring for Gait and Posture for Fall Prevention for Telemedicine. Institute for Critical Technology and Applied Sciences, Virginia Tech, \$25,547, Thurmon Lockhart, PI; Francis Quek, Michael Roan, Thomas Martin, Karen A. Roberto, & Yang Cao, Co-PIs.

- 2007-11 Understanding Mild Cognitive Impairment: Family Dynamics and Diversity. Alzheimer's Association, \$240,000.
- 2007 New River Valley Agency on Aging 2007 Needs Assessment. New River Valley Agency on Aging, \$2,200.
- 2006-07 Public Guardians and Conservators in Virginia: A Statewide Needs Assessment. Virginia Department for the Aging, \$18,000.
- 2005-08 Aging and Disability Resource Center Evaluation. Administration on Aging and Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services through the Virginia Department for the Aging, \$20,670.
- 2005-06 Aging Families in the Aftermath of Hurricane Katrina. National Science Foundation (0650909), \$108,860, Tammy Henderson, PI; Karen A. Roberto, Yoshinori Kamo, Co-PIs.
- 2005-06 Use of a Virtual Environment to Assess Real World Abilities in Older Adults Experiencing Memory Loss. Virginia Tech-University of Virginia-Carilion Health System Collaborative Research Grants, \$29,760.
- 2005 Curriculum Research and Development Project II. Virginia Department of Social Services, \$10,000.
- 2004 Curriculum Research and Development Project I. Virginia Department of Social Services, \$22,500.
- 2003-06 Caregivers of Persons with Mild Cognitive Impairment: Information and Support Needs. Alzheimer's Association, \$239,975.
- 2003-04 Insights into Violence Experienced by Older Women. University of Kentucky Center for Research on Violence Against Women, Lexington, KY. \$28,925, Pamela Teaster, PI; Karen A. Roberto, Co-PI.
- 2003-07 Rural Older Virginians with Chronic Health Conditions: Behavioral and Psychosocial Influences on Quality of Life. Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service, Department of Agriculture, under Project No. VA-135688 of the Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station, \$25,000.
- 2002-05 Quality Assessment: The Elderly and Disabled Waiver Program. Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services through the Virginia Department of Medical Assistance Services for Real Choices Systems Change Grant: Consumers Choices for Independence, \$368,540.
- 2001-03 Evaluation of the Virginia Public Guardian and Conservator Program. Virginia Department for the Aging, \$15,000.
- 2001-02 Nursing Home Employees: Community Ecology and Retention. National Institute of Health/National Institute on Aging, \$73,008.
- 2001 Alzheimer's Caregivers Educational Material. Virginia Department for the Aging, \$5,000.
- 2001 A Data Collection Site for Collaborative Research with Human Service Agencies. AHNR-IT Grant, Virginia Cooperative Extension, \$4,500, Pamela Teaster, PI; Karen A. Roberto, Co-PI.

- 2000-02 Using the CAVE to Determine Residents' Preferences and Functioning in Assisted Living Private Spaces. AARP Andrus Foundation, \$100,000, Joan McLain-Kark, PI; Julia Beamish, Karen A. Roberto, Co-PIs.
- 2000-01 Adult Protective Services – Elder Rights Studies. Department of Social Services, Richmond, VA. \$2,000.
- 1999-02 Older Families in Rural Communities: Personal & Social Influences on Service Use. U.S. Department of Agriculture, \$150,000.
- 1999-01 Health-Care Encounters of Older Adults: Personal, Contextual, and Family Influences. A Support Program for Innovative Research Strategies (ASPIRES), Research & Graduate Studies, Virginia Tech, \$18,300.
- 1999 Filling the Unmet Need: A Comparative Study of Rural and Urban Programs of Public Guardianship. The Borchard Center Foundation on Law and Aging, \$15,000, Pamela Teaster, PI; Karen A. Roberto, Co-PI.
- 1998 Survey of Physician Assistants. Virginia Association of Physician Assistants, \$500, Doug Southard, PI; James Bohland, Karen A. Roberto, Co-PIs.
- 1998 Distance Learning in Gerontology: Developing and Implementing the Post-Baccalaureate Certificate Program (PBCP). Center for Innovation in Learning, Virginia Tech, \$27,770.
- 1997 An Initiative on Elder Abuse Education. ReachOUT Grant, Virginia Tech, \$7,500, Pamela B. Teaster, PI; Joy Duke, Karen A. Roberto, Co-PIs.
- 1997-02 Osteoporosis and the Health of Virginia Older Women's: Issues and Consequences Affecting Quality of Life. Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service, Department of Agriculture, under Project No. VA-135528 of the Virginia Agricultural Experiment Station. \$39,181.
- 1997 The Calcium Connection: An On-Line Interactive Dietary Information and Evaluation Experience. College of Human Resources and Education Collaborative Grant, Virginia Tech, \$4,000, Ann Hertzler, PI; Greg Sherman, Karen A. Roberto, Co-PIs.
- 1997 The Challenges of Chronic Pain in Later Life. AARP Andrus Foundation, Washington, DC, \$42,930.
- 1997 Living the Life of Another: The Role of the Commonwealth as Guardian of Last Resort. Department for the Aging, Richmond, VA, \$8,085.
- 1997 Developing Collaborative Research Teams to Address Health and Community-Based Service Need of Older Adults. A Support Program for Innovative Research Strategies (ASPIRES), Research & Graduate Studies, Virginia Tech, \$19,919.
- 1997 Older Adults' Perceptions of Biological and Chosen Grandchildren: A Feasibility Study. A Support Program for Innovative Research Strategies (ASPIRES), Research & Graduate Studies, Virginia Tech, \$38,122, Katherine Allen, PI; Rosemary Blieszner, Karen A. Roberto, Co-PIs.
- 1997 Rural Health Research Programs. A Support Program for Innovative Research Strategies (ASPIRES), Research & Graduate Studies, Virginia Tech, \$28,368, James Bohland, PI; Karen A. Roberto, Doug Southard, Co-PIs.

- 1995-97 Older Adults and Their Families: Values & Processes that Guide Critical Health Care Decisions. AARP Andrus Foundation, Washington, DC, \$75,000.
- 1994 Women with Osteoporosis: Behavioral and Psychosocial Aspect. Research Development Fellowship Award, UNC Research Corporation, \$3,000.
- 1994-95 Colorado Geriatric Education Center. University of Colorado Health Sciences Center, Denver, CO, \$2,530.
- 1993 Osteoporotic Women: Coping with Chronic Pain. AARP Andrus Foundation, Washington, DC, \$75,000.
- 1992 Communication Abilities of Persons with AD: Impact on Spousal Caregivers. Alzheimer's Association, Chicago, IL, \$25,000.
- 1992 Friendships of Older Women: Changes Over Time. Radcliffe Research Support Program, Radcliffe College, \$5,000.
- 1991 The Elderly Hearing Impaired: Obstacles to Hearing Aid Use. Siemens Hearing Instruments, \$2,600, M.G. Mueller, PI; K. A. Roberto, J. Richter, D. Bottenberg, Co-PIs.
- 1990 Caregiving Task Scale: Instrument Development and Validation. Graduate School, University of Northern Colorado, \$1,650.
- 1990 Caring for a Spouse with Alzheimer's Disease: Communication Dysfunction and Burden. Faculty Research and Publication Board, University of Northern Colorado, \$2,362.
- 1989 Elderly Women with Hip Fractures: Functional and Psychosocial Correlates of Recovery. AARP Andrus Foundation, Washington, DC, \$49,165.
- 1988 Caring for Aging Developmentally Disabled Adults: Perspectives and Needs of Older Parents. Colorado Developmental Disabilities Planning Council, Denver, CO, \$5,200.
- 1986 Women with Osteoporosis: Physical, Psychological, and Social Adjustment. AARP Andrus Foundation, Washington, DC, \$41,669.
- 1986 Assessing the Long-term Care Needs of the Developmentally Disabled Elderly. Intermountain West Long-term Care Gerontology Center, Salt Lake City, Utah, \$4,800.
- 1984 Quality of Friendships in Later Life. Faculty Research and Publication Board, University of Northern Colorado, \$2,668.
- 1982 The Rural Elderly Poor: Family, Friends, Formal Supports. Graduate Faculty - Graduate Student Research Award, Graduate School, Texas Tech University, \$700, J.P. Scott, PI; K.A. Roberto, Co-PI.
- 1980 Geographical Location and the Number of Children as a Determinant of the CDA's Perceived Training Needs. Institute of Child and Family Studies Research Award. Texas Tech University, \$200.

PUBLICATIONS

Scholarly Journals

1. Potter, E., Roberto, K.A., Brossoie, N., & Blieszner, R. (in press). Decisions, decisions: African American families' responses to mild cognitive impairment. *Research in Aging*.
2. Savla, J., Wang, Z., Roberto, K. A., & Blieszner, R. (2016). Deficits awareness in persons with mild cognitive impairment and family care partners. *Families, Systems, and Health*, 34, 429-434. doi: 10.1037/fsh0000230
3. Roberto, K.A. (2016). The complexities of elder abuse. *American Psychologist*, 71, 302-311. doi.org/10.1037/a0040259
4. Weaver, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2015). Home and community-based service use by vulnerable older adults. *The Gerontologist*. Advance online publication. doi:10.1093/geront/gnv149
5. Brossoie, N., & Roberto, K.A. (2015). Community professionals' response to intimate partner violence against rural older women. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, 27(4-5), 470-488. doi:10.1080/08946566.2015.1095664
6. Kamo, Y., Henderson, T.L., Roberto, K.A., Peabody, K.L., & White, J. (2015). Perceptions of older adults in a community accepting displaced survivors of Hurricane Katrina. *Current Psychology*, 34, 551-563. doi: 10.1007/s12144-015-9356-4
7. Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2015). Diverse family structures and the care of older persons. *Canadian Journal on Aging*, 34, 305-320. doi:10.1017/S0714980815000288
8. Baltic, R.D., Weier, R.C., Katz, M.L., Kennedy, S.K., Lengerich, E.J., Lesko, S.M., Reese, D., Roberto, K.A., Schoenberg, N.E., Young, G.S., Shelton, B., Dignan, M.B., & Paskett, E.D. (2015). Study design, intervention, and baseline characteristics of a faith-based healthy eating and physical activity intervention (Walk by Faith) to reduce overweight and obesity and cancer risk among Appalachian adults. *Contemporary Clinical Trials*, 44, 1-10. doi:10.1016/j.cct.2015.06.017
9. Roberto, K. A., Teaster, P.B., McPherson, M., Mancini, J. A., & Savla, J. (2015). A community capacity framework for enhancing a criminal justice response to elder abuse. *Journal of Crime and Justice*, 38 (1), 9-26. doi: 0.1080/0735648X.2013.804286
10. Allen, K.R., & Roberto, K.A. (2014). Older women in Appalachia: Experiences with gynecological cancer. *The Gerontologist*, 54, 1024-1034. doi: 10.1093/geront/gnt095
11. Roberto, K.A., Weaver, R., & Wacker, R.R. (2014). Delivering aging services: Stability and change in policies and programs. *Generations*, 38(2), 14-21.
12. Savla, J., Granger, D., Roberto, K. A., Davey, A., Blieszner, R., & Gwazdauskas, F. (2013). Cortisol, alpha amylase and daily stressors in spouses of persons with mild cognitive impairment. *Psychology & Aging*, 3, 666-679. doi: 10.1037/a0032654
13. Pasymowski, S., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2013). Adjustment to mild cognitive impairment: Perspectives of male care partners and their spouses. *Journal of Couple and Relationship Therapy*, 12, 213-234. doi: 10.1080/15332691.2013.806703

14. Roberto, K. A., McCann, B. R., & Blieszner, R. (2013). Trajectories of care: Spouses coping with changes related to MCI. *Dementia: The International Journal of Social Research and Practice*, *12*, 45-62. doi: 10.1177/1471301211421233
15. Collins, S., Wacker, R.R., & Roberto, K.A. (2013). Considering quality of life for older adults: A view from two countries. *Generations*, *37*(1), 80-86.
16. Savla, J., Roberto, K. A., Jaramillo, A. L., Gambrel, L. E., Karimi, H., & Butner, L. M. (2013). Childhood abuse affects emotional closeness with family in mid and later life. *Child Abuse & Neglect*, *37*, 388-399. doi: 10.1016/j.chiabu.2012.12.009
17. Roberto, K.A., McPherson, M., & Brossoie, N. (2013). Intimate partner violence in late life: A review of the empirical literature. *Violence Against Women*, *19*, 1538-1558. doi: 10.1177/1077801213517564
18. Roberto, K.A., McCann, B.R., & Brossoie, N. (2013). Intimate partner violence in late life: An analysis of national news reports. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, *25*, 230-241. doi:10.1080/08946566.2012.751825 [Editor's Choice List for 2013-2014 articles]
19. Roberto, K.A., Brossoie, N., McPherson, M., Pulsifer, M.B., & Brown, P. (2013). Violence against rural older women: Promoting community awareness and action. *Australasian Journal on Ageing*, *32*, 2-7. doi: 10.1111/j.1741-6612.2012.00649.x
20. Brossoie, N., Roberto, K.A., & Barrow, K. M. (2012). Making sense of intimate partner violence in late life: Comments from online news readers. *The Gerontologist*, *52*, 792-801. doi: 10.1093/geront/gns046
21. Teaster, P.B., Roberto, K.A., Migliaccio, J. N., Timmerman, S., & Blancato, R.B. (2012). Elder financial abuse in the news. *Public Policy & Aging Report*, *22*, 33-36. doi:10.1093/ppar/22.1.33
22. McCann, B.R., & Roberto, K.A. (2012). Relational systems: How older women with chronic health problems construct close relationships. *Journal of Family Issues*, *33*, 559-583. doi: 10.1177/0192513X11414796
23. Roberto, K. A., Blieszner, R., McCann, B. & McPherson, M. (2011). Family triad perceptions of mild cognitive impairment. *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, *6*, 756-768. doi: 10.1093/geronb/gbr107
24. Savla, J., Roberto, K. A., Blieszner, R., Cox, M., & Gwazdauskas, F. (2011). Effects of daily stressors on the psychological and biological well being of spouses of persons with mild cognitive impairment. *Journal of Gerontology: Psychological Sciences*, *6*, 653-664. doi: 10.1093/geronb/gbr041
25. Paskett, E.D., Fisher, J. L., Lengerich, E.J., Schoenberg, N.E., Kennedy, S.K., Conn, M.E., Roberto, K.A., Dwyer, S. K., Fickle, D., & Dignan, M. (2011). Disparities in underserved White populations: The case of cancer-related disparities in Appalachia. *The Oncologist*, *16*, 1072-1081. doi: 10.1634/theoncologist.2011-0145
26. Kamo, Y., Henderson, T.L., & Roberto, K.A. (2011). Displaced older adults' reactions to and coping with the aftermath of hurricane Katrina. *Journal of Family Issues*, *32*, 1346-1370. doi: 10.1177/0192513X11412495

27. Allen, K. R., Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K. A. (2011). Perspectives on extended family and fictive kin in the later years: Strategies and meanings of kin reinterpretation. *Journal of Family Issues, 32*, 1156-1177. doi: 10.1177/0192513X11404335
28. Roberto, K.A., & McCann, B.R. (2011). Everyday health and identity management among older women with chronic health conditions. *Journal of Aging Studies, 25*, 94-100. doi.org/10.1016/j.jaging.2010.08.017
29. Roberto, K.A., Henderson, T.L., Kamo, Y., & McCann, B.R. (2010). Challenges to older women's sense of self in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina. *Health Care for Women International, 31*, 981-996. doi: 0.1080/07399332.2010.500754
30. Piehowski, K.E., Nickols-Richardson, S.M., Clymer, E. K., & Roberto, K.A. (2010). Osteoporosis health beliefs in women differ by menopausal status and across age cohorts. *Family and Consumer Sciences Research Journal, 38*, 345-355. doi: 10.1111/j.1552-3934.2009.00029.x
31. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K. A. (2010). Care partner responses to the onset of mild cognitive impairment, *The Gerontologist, 50*, 11-22. doi: 10.1093/geront/gnp068
32. Henderson, T.L., Roberto, K.A., & Kamo, Y. (2010). Older adults' responses to Hurricane Katrina: Daily hassles and coping strategies. *Journal of Applied Gerontology, 29*, 48-69. doi: 10.1177/0733464809334287
33. Allen, K. R., & Roberto, K.A. (2009). From sexism to sexy: Challenging young adults' ageism about older women's sexuality. *Sexuality Research and Social Policy, 6*(4), 13-24. doi: 10.1525/srsp.2009.6.4.13
34. Kim, S., Lockhart, T.E., & Roberto, K.A. (2009). The effects of 8-week balance training or weight training for the elderly on fear of falling measures and social activity levels. *Quality in Ageing, 10*(4), 37-48. doi: 10.1097/MRR.0b013e32832e6b5e
35. Katz, M.L., Reiter, P.L., Kluhsman, B.S., Kennedy, S., Dwyer, S., Schoenberg, N., Johnson, A., Ely, G., Roberto, K.A., Lengerich, E.J., Brown, P., Paskett, E.D., & Dignan, M. (2009). Human Papillomavirus (HPV) Vaccine availability, recommendations, cost, and policies among health departments in seven Appalachian states. *Vaccine, 27*, 3195-3200. doi: 10.1016/j.vaccine.2009.03.042
36. Husser, E. K., & Roberto, K. A. (2009). Older women with coronary heart disease: Initial experiences and long term influences on daily life. *Journal of Women & Aging, 21*, 3-18. doi: 10.1080/08952840802633529
37. Glass, A., Roberto, K.A., & Brossoie, N., Teaster, P.B., & Butler, D. Q. (2008-2009). Medicaid waiver personal care services: Results of a statewide survey. *Health Care Financing Review, 30*, 53-66.
38. Roberto, K.A., Ermann, L.S., & Savla, J. (2008). Older women's assessment and management of chronic pain in their daily lives. *Journal of Pain Management, 1*, 345-356. doi: 10.1300/J074v14n03_02
39. Roberto, K.A., & Jarrott, S.E. (2008). Caregiving in late life: A life-span human development perspective. *Family Relations, 57*, 100-111. [5th top downloaded article for 2008] doi: 10.1007/978-1-4614-8973-3_10

40. Buys, L., Roberto, K.A., Miller, E., & Blieszner, R. (2008). Prevalence and predictors of depression among older rural Australians and Americans. *Australian Journal of Rural Health, 16*(1), 33–39. doi: 10.1111/j.1440-1584.2007.00948.x
41. Roberto, K.A., Perkins, S. N., & Holland, A.K. (2007). Research on persistent pain in late life: Current topics and challenges. *Journal of Women & Aging, 19*(3/4), 5-20. doi: 10.1300/J074v19n03_02
42. Roberto, K.A., Teaster, P.B., & Nikzad, K.A. (2007). Sexual abuse of vulnerable young and old men. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence, 22*, 1009-1023. doi: 10.1177/0886260507302997
43. Blieszner, R., Roberto, K.A., Wilcox, K. L., Barham, E.J., & Winston, B.L. (2007). Dimensions of ambiguous loss in couples coping with mild cognitive impairment. *Family Relations, 56*, 195-208. doi: 10.1111/j.1741-3729.2007.00452.x
44. Roberto, K. A., Blieszner, R., & Allen, K.R. (2006). Theorizing in family gerontology: New opportunities for research and practice. *Family Relations, 55*, 513-525. doi: 10.1111/j.1741-3729.2006.00422.x
45. Teaster, P.T., Roberto, K.A., & Dugar, T.A. (2006). Intimate partner violence of rural aging women. *Family Relations, 55*, 636–648. doi: 10.1111/j.1741-3729.2006.00432.x
46. Miller, E., Buys, L., & Roberto, K.A. (2006). Feeling blue? The importance of a confidant for the wellbeing of older rural married Australian and American men. *Ageing International, 31*(4), 283-295. doi: 10.1007/BF02915427
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2. Roberto, K. A. (2016, Lecture). *The Use of Community-Engaged Research Practices to Address Intimate Partner Violence in Late Life*. Shu-Te University, Kaohsiung City, Taiwan.
3. Roberto, K. A. (2016, Lecture). *Understanding Elder Abuse: Causes, Consequences, and Solutions*. Shu-Te University, Kaohsiung City, Taiwan.
4. Roberto, K. A. (2016, Lecture). *Families with Mild Cognitive Impairment: Collecting and Analyzing Family-Level Data*. Shu-Te University, Kaohsiung City, Taiwan.
5. Roberto, K. A. (2016, Lecture). *Physical Activity and Healthy Aging*. National Taiwan Sport University, Taoyuan City, Taiwan.
6. Roberto, K.A. (2016, Lecture). *The Use of Community-Engaged Research Practices to Address Intimate Partner Violence in Late Life*. National Taipei University, New Taipei City, Taiwan.
7. Roberto, K. A. (2016, Workshop). *Understanding Elder Abuse: Causes, Consequences, and Solutions*. Senior Citizen Service Center, Bureau of Social Affairs, Kaohsiung City, Taiwan.

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30. Mitchell, J., Krout, J., Roberto, K.A., & Shenk, D. (2005; Plenary Panel). *Gerontology Education Programs in the United States*. First International Gerontology and Human Integrity Conference, Nicoya, Costa Rica.
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4. Roberto, K.A. (2015, Lecture). *Opening the Door: The Use of Community-Engaged Research Practices to Address Intimate Partner Violence in Late Life*. Center for Mental Health and Aging Scientific Seminar Series, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL.
5. Roberto, K.A. (2014, Keynote). *Understanding Elder Abuse: Causes, Consequences and Care Solutions*. Linking Gerontology & Geriatrics Conference, Oklahoma State University.
6. Roberto, K.A. (2014, Plenary). *Understanding Elder Abuse: Response Strategies and Practices*. APA-ABA National Conference on Violence, Washington, DC.
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9. Roberto, K.A. (2013, Keynote). *Research and Practice in the 21st Century: Crossing Disciplinary Lines*. Virginia Tech Chapter of Sigma Xi Initiation Ceremony and Banquet.
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13. Roberto, K.A., (2012, Plenary). *Whom Should We Trust: Identifying and Preventing Financial Abuse of Older Adults*. Breaking the Silence Conference, Radford, VA.
14. Roberto, K.A. (2012, Plenary Panel). *The Metlife studies of elder financial abuse*. Financial Planning Association of the National Capital Area Educational Symposium, Herndon, VA.
15. Roberto, K.A. (2011, Plenary). *When Memory Fails: Persons at Risk for Elder Financial Abuse*. 10th Annual Alzheimer's Education Conference, Central and Western Virginia Chapter, Roanoke, VA.
16. Migliaccio, J.N., Roberto, K.A., & Teaster, P.B. (2011, Lecture/Panel). *The MetLife Studies of Elder Financial Exploitation*. Conference of the Kentucky Justice Center for Elders and Vulnerable Adults. Lexington, KY.
17. Roberto, K.A. (2011, Lecture). *Health and Identity Management among Rural Older Women*. The 2011 Annual Ohio ACCN Research Seminar: Addressing Cancer Health Disparities among Women in Appalachia, Dublin, OH.
18. Roberto, K.A. (2010, Panel). *Aging in Place*. Virginia Rural Health Association Conference, Staunton, VA.
19. Roberto, K.A. (2010, Lecture). *Understanding Mild Cognitive Impairment: Management Strategies for Family Members and Support Staff*. American Association of Service Coordinators, Webinar.
20. Roberto, K.A. (2009, Plenary). *Supporting Caregivers: Relatives with Mild Cognitive Impairment*. 8th Annual Alzheimer's Education Conference, Central and Western Virginia Chapter, Roanoke, VA.
21. Roberto, K.A. (2008, Plenary). *Looking Ahead: The Demographics of Aging*. Conference on Domestic Abuse in Later Life, Radford, VA.
22. Roberto, K.A. (2008; Panel). *Evaluating Service Providers*. Evaluation Peer Workgroup. Lewin Group/Aging and Disabilities Resource Center, National Webinar.
23. Roberto, K.A. (2007; Keynote). *Shaping the Future: Redefining Leadership*. Kappa Omicron Nu, Virginia Tech Chapter Initiation, Blacksburg, VA.
24. Roberto, K.A. (2006; Keynote). *Health in the Daily Lives of Older Women: Pathways to Optimal Aging*. Women's Healthy Aging: Mid-Life and Beyond Symposium, Gainesville, FL.
25. Roberto, K.A. (2006; Plenary). *Health and Well-Being of Older Women: Pathways to Optimal Aging*. Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine, Geriatric Update for Continuing Medical Education (Satellite 4-site broadcast), Blacksburg, VA.
26. Roberto, K.A. (2005; Panel). *When I'm 64 . . . 74 . . .84 . . .94 . . .The Baby Boomers' Concerns about Aging*. Southwest Missouri State University, Public Affairs Conference, Springfield, MO.
27. Roberto, K.A. (2005, Visiting Scholar Keynote). *Age Is Only a Number: Positive Expectations for the Second Half of Life*. James Madison University. Harrisonburg, VA.

28. Roberto, K.A. (2005; Visiting Scholar Lecture). *Elder Abuse*. James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA.
29. Roberto, K.A. (2004, Plenary). *Perceptions of Nursing Home Employees: Influences on Retention*. Virginia Health Care Association Annual Convention, Hot Springs, VA.
30. Roberto, K.A., Longino, C., Mitchell, J., & Chojnicki, P. (2004; Pre-Conference Workshop). *How to Publish Your Academic Work*. Southern Gerontological Society, Atlanta, GA.
31. Teaster P., & Roberto, K. A. (2003; Plenary). *Public Guardianship in the 21st Century -- Evaluation of Virginia's Public Guardianship and Conservator Program: Activities and Outcomes*. National Guardianship Association, Baltimore, MD.
32. Roberto, K.A., (2002; Pre-Conference Workshop). *Chronic Pain in the Lives of Older Women: Physical, Psychological, and Social Challenges*. National Gerontological Nursing Association, Chicago, IL.
33. Roberto, K.A. (2002; Keynote). *Rural Older Adults: Individuals, Families, and Community Connections*. Northern Arizona's 11th Annual Elder Issues Conference, Prescott, AZ.
34. Roberto, K.A. (2002; Lecture). *Older Adults and Their Families: Ethics and Processes of Health Care Decision Making*. Northern Arizona's 11th Annual Elder Issues Conference, Prescott, AZ.
35. Roberto, K.A. (2001; Lecture). *Older Women's Health Issues: The Importance of Family and Friends*. University of Kentucky, Family Studies and Sanders-Brown Center on Aging Research Seminar, Lexington, KY.
36. Roberto, K.A. (2001; Lecture). *Professional Development and the Academic Community*. University of Kentucky, Family Studies and Gerontology Doctoral Student Seminar, Lexington, KY.
37. Roberto, K.A. (2001; Workshop). *Changing Focus: Developing an Applied Master's Program*. University of Kentucky, Department of Family Studies Faculty Retreat, Lexington, KY.
38. Roberto, K.A. (2000; Panel). *A Multidimensional Approach to Osteoporosis*. University of Kentucky Sanders Brown Center on Aging 17th Annual Summer Series on Aging, Lexington, KY.
39. Roberto, K.A. (2000; Plenary). *Rural Elders: The Importance of Relationships*. North Carolina's Governor's Advisory Council on Aging Symposium on Rural Aging, Raleigh, NC.
40. Roberto, K.A. (1998; Plenary). *Caring for Older Virginians: The Weaving Together of Lives*. Virginia Association for Non-Profit Homes for the Aging 25th Anniversary Conference, Hot Springs, VA.
41. Roberto, K.A. (1997; Keynote). *Aging Successfully: Today and Tomorrow*. AARP State Conference, Roanoke, VA.
42. Roberto, K. A., & Yardley, J. (1997; Lecture). *Eldercare: A Service Whose Time Has Come*. Virginia Accounting & Auditing Conference, Norfolk and Roanoke VA.
43. Roberto, K.A. (1997; Keynote). *The Tapestry of Relationships: The Weaving Together of Lives*. University of Utah, Center for Gerontology Graduation Ceremony, Salt Lake City, UT.
44. Roberto, K.A. (1996; Plenary). *Caring for the Geriatric Patient*. Colorado Society of Radiologic Technologist 63rd Annual Conference, Estes Park, CO.

45. Roberto, K.A. (1992; Lecture). *Older Women: Meeting Health Care Challenges in Later Life*. AARP Andrus Foundation Board of Trustees, Washington, D.C.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS: 2006 – Present (179 additional presentations from 1981-2005)

1. Savla, J., Roberto, K.A., & Kim, S. (2016, November). *Collateral kin and non-kin caring for older adults*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
2. Kim, S., Blieszner, R., Roberto, K.A., & Savla, J. (2016, November). *Dyadic discrepancy in awareness of mild cognitive impairment abilities and caregiver's burden*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
3. Munley, K., Roberto, K.A., & Allen, K.R. (2016, November). *Examining Adult Foster Care Provider Perceptions of Residents Across Disability Contexts*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
4. Roberto, K.A., Weaver, R.H., Brossoie, N., Teaster, P.B., Savla, J., & Wang, Z. (2016, November). *Family perceptions of involuntary closure of health care facilities: Processes and outcomes*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
5. Weaver, R.H. & Roberto, K.A. (2016, November). *Expectations of formal service use among older adults living in rural Appalachia*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
6. Gonzales, E., Liu, Y., Roberto, K.A., & Kowal, P. (2016, November). *Linking social determinants of health and health disparities with productive aging: Findings from SAGE China Wave 1*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
7. Roberto, K.A., Blieszner, R., & Pasymowsk, S. (2016, August). *Spouses adjusting to mild cognitive impairment: Implications for couple interventions*. American Psychological Association, Denver, CO.
8. Hwang, E., Hsu, C., Brossoie, N., & Roberto, K. A. (2016 August). *Income and long term care planning*. International Federation for Home Economics World Congress, Daejeon, Korea.
9. Teaster, P.B., & Roberto, K.A. (2016, May). *Promoting financial security by preventing elder financial exploitation*. Governor's Conference on Aging, Richmond, VA.
10. Baltic, R., Paskett, E.D., Lesko, S., Kennedy, S., Lengerich, G., Roberto, K.A., Schoenberg, N., Young, G., & Dignan, M. (2016, March). *Reducing obesity in Appalachian churches: The Walk by Faith study*. American Society of Preventive Oncology, Columbus, OH.
11. Roberto, K.A. & Brossoie, N. (2015, November). *Community professionals' response to intimate partner violence against rural older women*. The Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.
12. Munly, K., Roberto, K.A., & Allen, K.R. (2015, November). *Understanding adult foster care experiences of reciprocity with residents*. The Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.
13. Kim, S., Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2015, November). *Effects of family discrepancy in perceptions of mild cognitive impairment on care partner well-being*. The Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.
14. Roberto, K.A. (2015, November). *Resilience in the presence of adversity: Overcoming partner violence in late life*. The Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.

15. Savla, J.T., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2015, November). *It takes a village: Role of family in promoting successful aging*. The Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.
16. Savla, J.T., Kim, S., Liu, Y., Butner, L. M., Roberto, K.A., Brossoie, N., & Blieszner, R. (2015, November). *When more is not always better: Management strategies can reduce rewards of caregiving*. The Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.
17. Liu, Y., Ma, X., Roberto, K.A., & Reed, J. (2015, November). *Using wireless sensing technology for medication management by older adults in a community setting*. The Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.
18. Liu, Y., Xie, Y., Brossoie, N., & Roberto, K.A. (2015, November). *Alcohol consumption and depressive symptoms among Chinese older adults*. The Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.
19. Weaver, R.H., Brossoie, N., Potter, E.C., Savla, J.T., & Roberto, K.A. (2015, November). *Service use and family caregiving for mild cognitive impairment (MCI)*. The Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL.
20. Munly, K., Allen, K.R. & Roberto, K.A. (2015, November). *Understanding adult foster care provider experiences of family*. National Council on Family Relations, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
21. Baltic, R., Paskett, E.D., Lesko, S., Kennedy, S., Lengerich, G.L., Roberto, K.A., Schoenberg, N., Young, G., & Dignan, M. (2015, November). *A group randomized trial to reduce obesity among Appalachian church members: The Walk by Faith study*. American Association for Cancer Research (AACR) Conference on the Science of Cancer Health Disparities in Racial/Ethnic Minorities and the Medically Underserved, Atlanta, GA.
22. O'Hora, K. A., Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2015, September). *Preparing for late life: Conversations, planning, and next steps*. American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy Annual Conference, Austin, TX.
23. Munly, K., Roberto, K.A., & Allen, K.R. (2015, April). *Understanding adult foster care state by state: Provider experience in North Carolina*. The Annual Meeting of the Southern Gerontological Society, Williamsburg, VA.
24. Roberto, K.A., & Allen, K.R. (2015, January). *Cultures within cultures: Experiences of rural older women with cancer and their family caregivers*. Conference on Aging: Putting Aging Research and Clinical Practice in Cultural Context. GSA-SINO Conference, Hong Kong.
25. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2015, January). *Longitudinal family-level analyses: Challenges and opportunities in research on mild cognitive impairment*. Conference on Aging: Putting Aging Research and Clinical Practice in Cultural Context. GSA-SINO Conference, Hong Kong.
26. Roberto, K.A. (2014, November). *Insights into perpetrators of elder polyvictimization*. The Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D. C.
27. Roberto, K.A. (2014, November). *Creating and maintaining connection: Qualitative explorations of romantic and familial relationships*. The Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D. C.
28. O'Hora, K.A., Roberto, K.A., Blieszner, R., & Kim, S. (2014, November). *Care partner relationships: Thematic analysis of planning in families with mild cognitive impairment*. The Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D. C.

29. Kim, S., Blieszner, R., Roberto, K.A., & O'Hara, K. (2014, November). *Does family acknowledgement of mild cognitive impairment affect care partners' coping?* The Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D. C.
30. Potter, E., Roberto, K.A., Brossoie, N., & Blieszner, R. (2014, November). *Decisions, decisions: African American families' perceptions, role changes, and systems of support in response to mild cognitive impairment.* The Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D. C.
31. Butner, L.M., Savla, J.T., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2014, November). *Spiraling effects of mild cognitive impairment on spousal interactions.* The Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D.C.
32. Weaver, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2014, November). *Home and community-based service use by vulnerable older adults.* The Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D. C.
33. Munly, K., Roberto, K.A., & Allen, K. R. (2014, November). *Understanding Adult foster care provider experiences in North Carolina.* The Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D. C.
34. Vidya, G., Roberto, K. A., & Jones, J. (2014, November). *Lighting metrics limitations for designing transitional spaces: Older adults with vision impairments.* The Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D. C.
35. Roberto, K.A. (2014, August). *Development of a community capacity framework to address late life IPV in rural areas.* American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
36. Roberto, K.A., Zarit, S. H., Antonucci, T., Diehl, M., Qualls, S. H., Moye, J., & Hinrichsen, G. A. (2014, August). *The coming of age of APA's Committee on Aging (CONA): Influencing aging research, intervention, and practice.* American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
37. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2014, August). *Translating family caregiving theory and research to practice.* American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
38. Munly, K., Roberto, K., & Allen, K. (2014, April). *Understanding adult foster care provider experiences in North Carolina.* Southern Gerontological Society, Little Rock, AR.
39. Baltic, R., Paskett, E.D., Kennedy, S., Lengerich, G.L., Roberto, K.A., Schoenberg, N., Lesko, S., & Dignan, M. (2013, December). *Church-based recruitment and retention of Appalachian adults in an eHealth program to reduce obesity.* American Association for Cancer Research (AACR) Conference on the Science of Cancer Health Disparities in Racial/Ethnic Minorities and the Medically Underserved, Atlanta, GA.
40. Roberto, K.A., Teaster, P.B., Mancini, J.A., Savla, J., & McPherson, M. (2013, November). *Responding to elder abuse: A community capacity framework.* The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
41. Roberto, K.A., & Allen, K.R. (2013, November). *Gynecological cancer survivorship among older women in Appalachia: Family dynamics and support.* The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
42. Blieszner, R., Roberto, K.A. (2013, November). *Perspectives on formal services from rural Appalachian older adults and their informal caregivers.* The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
43. Savla, J., Roberto, K.A., Blieszner, R., Brossoie, N., & Lorenzi, J. (2013, November). *Temporal*

process of care network activation: Implications for care partners of persons with MCI. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.

44. Butner, L.M., Savla, J., Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2013, November). *Religious service attendance increase daily positive affect for care partners of persons with MCI.* The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
45. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2013, June). *Behind the scenes: Family support for caregivers and elders with MCI.* International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics, World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics, Seoul, Korea.
46. Weaver, R., Roberto, K.A., & Brossoie, N. (2013, April). *Understanding falls in late life: A review of the empirical literature.* Southern Gerontological Society, Charlotte, NC.
47. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2012, November). *Supporting families in early stages of memory loss.* The Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.
48. Teaster, P.B., Roberto, K.A., Migliaccio, J. N., & Blancato, R.B. (2012, November). *Elder financial abuse: Crimes of occasion, desperation and predation.* The Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.
49. Brossoie, N., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2012, November). *Yours, mine, and ours: How older newlyweds cope with MCI.* The Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.
50. Savla, J., Roberto, K.A., Blieszner, R., & Gwazdauskas, F. (2012, November). *Health behaviors moderate the stressors of daily caring for spouses with mild cognitive impairment.* The Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.
51. Dolbin-MacNab, M.L. Serrano, E., & Roberto, K.A. (2012, November). *The nutritional needs and food habits of grandparent-headed families.* The Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.
52. Rivers, C., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2012, October). *Aging in rural America: Helping networks of older adults in Appalachia.* American Public Health Association, San Francisco.
53. Roberto, K.A., Blieszner, R., Brossoie, N., & Savla, J. (2011, November). *Older women care partners: Race and socioeconomic influences on caring for a relative with MCI.* The Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
54. Roberto, K. A., McCann, B. R., & Brossoie, N. (2011, November). *Media reports of intimate partner violence in late life.* The Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
55. Brossoie, N., & Roberto, K.A. (2011, November). *Thumbs up/thumbs down: Reader reactions to online news stories about IPV in late life.* The Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
56. Brossoie, N., & Roberto, K.A. (2011, November). *Nursing home diversion programs: Challenges, successes, and next steps.* The Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
57. Ermann, L., Brossoie, N., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2011, November). *Taking care of a parent with mild cognitive impairment: An exploration of coping mechanisms.* The Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.

58. Pasymowski, S., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2011, November). *Adjustment to mild cognitive impairment: Perspectives of male care partners and their spouses*. The Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
59. Savla, J., Roberto, K.A., Karimi, H., & Gambrel, L.E. (2011, November). *Adverse experiences in childhood affects family closeness in mid and late life*. The Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
60. Dignan, M., Schoenberg, N., Paskett, E., Lengerich, G., Brown, P., Roberto, K., & Lesko, S. (2011, July). *CBPR in action: The Appalachia Community Cancer Network (ACCN)*. Cancer Health Disparities Program Meetings, Washington, DC.
61. Savla, J., Roberto, K. A., & Blieszner, R. (2011, June). *Daily stressors and marital interactions affect diurnal cortisol and alpha-amylase rhythm in spouses of persons with mild cognitive impairment*. Psychoneuroimmunology Research Society, Chicago, IL.
62. Brossoie, N., & Roberto, K.A. (2011, June). *Barriers hindering professionals' response to late life IPV in rural communities*. Society for Prevention Research, Washington, D.C.
63. Teaster, P.B., Roberto, K.A., Migliaccio, J.N., Blancato, R., Lawrence, S., & McCann, B.R. (2011, March). *Broken trust: Elders, families, and finances*. Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, Cincinnati OH.
64. Roberto, K.A., Teaster, P.B., Migliaccio, Blancato, R., & Lawrence, S. (2010 November). *Financial abuse in the headlines: Prevalence of national newsfeeds*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
65. Roberto, K.A., Blieszner, R., & Savla, J. (2010, November). *Three voices are better than one: Family members' assessment of cognitive deficits in late life*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
66. Brossoie, N., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2010, November). *Sources of support for African American care partners of persons with mild cognitive impairment*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
67. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A., & Savla, J. (2010, November). *Mild cognitive impairment as a source of ambivalence in family relationships*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
68. Henderson, T. L., Roberto, K. A., Kamo, Y., Washington, C. M., & Penugonda, K. (2010, November). *Survivors of Hurricane Katrina: Losses, hopes, and dreams of displaced older adults*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
69. Kamo, Y., Henderson, T.L., & Roberto, K.A. (2010, November). *Hurricane Katrina: Perceptions of older people in a community accepting displaced victims*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
70. McCann, B., Allen, K.R., & Roberto, K.A. (2010, November). *Becoming the old ones: Identity and family transitions in a rural context*. The Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.
71. Mendiondo, M.S., Teaster, P.T., & Roberto, K.A. (2010, November). *Perceptions of elder mistreatment in a rural Kentucky County and comparisons with a rural county in Virginia*. American Public Health Association, Denver, CO.

72. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2010, November). *Innovative care-partnering in families affected by mild cognitive impairment*. National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN.
73. Miller, S., D., Smith-Jackson, T. L., Roberto, K.A., & Nolden, A. (July, 2010). *Ethnicity, age, and the usability of blood glucose meters*. 3rd International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics, Miami, FL.
74. Brossoie, N., & Roberto, K.A. (June, 2010). *Intimate partner violence among rural older women: Community readiness for action*. Society for Prevention Research, Denver, CO.
75. Brossoie, N., & Roberto, K.A. (April, 2010). *Reducing intimate partner violence among older women: Response readiness in a rural faith-based community*. Southern Gerontological Society, Richmond, VA.
76. Roberto, K. A., McPherson, M. C., & Brossoie, N. (February, 2010). *Promoting community awareness of intimate partner violence among rural older women*. National Summit on Interpersonal Violence and Abuse across the Lifespan, Dallas, TX .
77. Roberto, K. A., & McCann, B. R. (2009, November). *Health and identity of older rural women*. The Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.
78. Roberto, K.A., Kamo, Y., & Henderson, T.L. (2009, November). *Rebuilding a life now gone: Challenges faced by older adults in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina*. The Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.
79. Teaster, P.B., Roberto, K.A., Migliaccio, J.N., & Blancato, R. (2009, November). *Exploring elder financial abuse*. The Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.
80. McPherson, M.C., Brossoie, N., Roberto, K.A., Pulsifer, M.B., & Brown, P.N. (2009, November). *Intimate partner violence among older adults: Bridging the disciplinary divide*. The Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.
81. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2009, November). *The role of gender in coping with mild cognitive impairment*. The Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.
82. Savla, J., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2009, November). *In sickness & in health: Daily stressors and implications of mild cognitive impairment for care partners*. The Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.
83. Brossoie, N., Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2009, November). *"Nobody likes to admit what is going on": Avoidance behaviors of families coping with MCI*. The Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.
84. Pujari, K., Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2009, November). *Safety vs. autonomy: The struggles of adult children assisting parents with mild cognitive impairment*. The Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.
85. McCann, B. R., & Roberto, K.A. (2009, November). *Intimacy and integration among older rural women with chronic health conditions*. National Council on Family Relations, San Francisco, CA.
86. Roberto, K.A., Brown, P.N., Brossoie, N., & Pulsifer, M.B. (October, 2009). *Intimate partner violence in rural aging women: Promoting community knowledge*. NIH Partners in Research Workshop, Bethesda, MD.

87. Roberto, K. A., & Blieszner, R. (2009, July). *Family experiences with the mild cognitive impairment trajectory*. World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics, Paris, France.
88. Roberto, K. A. (2009, July). *Understanding public guardianship in the Commonwealth of Virginia*. World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics, Paris, France.
89. Roberto, K.A., & Allen, K.R. (2009, February). *Exploring the meanings of sexuality: What young adults learn from mature women*. Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, San Antonio, TX.
90. Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2008, November). *Elders with mild cognitive impairment: Changes and challenges in family relationships*. The Gerontological Society of America, National Harbor, MD.
91. Ermann, L., Roberto, K.A., & Savla, J. (2008, November). *Life with chronic pain: Older women's experiences and care strategies*. The Gerontological Society of America, National Harbor, MD.
92. Pujari, K., Roberto, K.A., Blieszner, R., & Brossoie, N. (2008, November). *Caring for a spouse with mild cognitive impairment: Influences on well-being and family dynamics*. The Gerontological Society of America, National Harbor, MD.
93. Roberto, K.A. (2008, November). *Aging, health and family support*. National Council on Family Relations, Little Rock, AR.
94. Henderson, T.L., Roberto, K.A., & Kamo, Y. (2008, November). *Social support and coping strategies: Aging adults' experiences with Hurricane Katrina*. National Council on Family Relations, Little Rock, AR.
95. Kamo, Y., Henderson, T.L., & Roberto, K.A. (2008, April). *The aftermath of Hurricane Katrina: Psychological well-being of displaced elders*. Southern Sociological Society, Richmond, VA.
96. Roberto, K.A., & Blieszner, R. (2007, November). *Family perceptions of mild cognitive impairment*. The Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.
97. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2007, November). *Patient views of mild cognitive impairment*. The Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.
98. Husser, E. K., Gigliotti, C. M., & Roberto, K.A. (2007, November). *Health, spirituality and environmental concern: Older women's perspectives on the natural environment*. The Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.
99. Kamo, Y., K. Roberto, K.A., & Henderson, H. (2007, April). *The aftermath of Hurricane Katrina: Profiles of displaced aging adults in Baton Rouge, LA*. The Disaster and Migration Conference: Hurricane Katrina's Effects on New Orleans' Population. New Orleans, LA.
100. Piercy, K., & Roberto, K.A. (2007, March). *Mentoring near and far: The recruitment and advancement of new faculty*. Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. Portland, OR.
101. Roberto, K.A. (2006, November). *Examining the future of social and behavioral gerontology research: The Virginia Tech perspective*. The Gerontological Society of America, Dallas, TX.
102. Roberto, K.A. (2006, November). *Lesbian, gay, and bisexual grandparents: Overcoming societal obstacles*. The Gerontological Society of America, Dallas, TX.

103. Roberto, K.A., Henderson, T., & Kamo, Y. (2006, November). *Surviving Hurricane Katrina: Resilience and resources of aging families*. The Gerontological Society of America, Dallas, TX.
104. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2006, November). *Social support complexity: Effects of mild cognitive impairment on family and friends*. The Gerontological Society of America, Dallas, TX.
105. Holland, A. K., Roberto, K.A., & Perkins, S.N. (2006, November). *Persistent pain in late life: A research update*. The Gerontological Society of America, Dallas, TX.
106. Husser, E.K., & Roberto, K.A. (2006, November). *'It was like an elephant sitting on my chest': Older women's experiences with coronary heart disease*. The Gerontological Society of America, Dallas, TX.
107. Roberto, K. (2006, November). *Research trends in family gerontology*. National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN.
108. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2006, November). *Stability and change in family responses to mild cognitive impairment*. National Council on Family Relations, Minneapolis, MN.
109. Dolbin-MacNab, M.L., Burau, N. M., Rodgers, B.E., Stewart, S.K., Finney, J. W., & Roberto, K.A. (2006, October). *Grandfamilies: Parenting satisfaction and family functioning*. American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy, Austin, TX.
110. Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K.A. (2006, August). *Multiple informants shed light on an ambiguous memory condition*. American Psychological Association, New Orleans, LA.
111. Blieszner, R., Roberto, K.A., & Barham, E. (2006, July). *Mild cognitive impairment as an experience of ambiguous loss for spouses*. International Association for Relationship Research, Rethymno, Crete.
112. Glover, M., B., Cowart, B.L., Finney, J.W., Dolbin-MacNab, M., & Roberto, K.A. (2006, April). *Grandchildren raised by grandparents: Parenting and financial stress, psychosocial problems, and health care use*. National Conference on Child Health Psychology, Gainesville, FL.
113. Husser, E., & Roberto, K.A. (2006, February). *Using computer assisted learning to inform nutrition program assistants about working with older adults*. Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. Indianapolis, IN.
114. Fisher, B., Roberto, K.A., McDonnell, A., Kinney, J., & Snyder, J. (2006, February). *The benefits of the Program of Merit designation and review process: Reflections of five recipient institutions*. Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, Indianapolis, IN.

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP & COMMITTEE PARTICIPATION

2001 – present	American Psychological Association (APA) 2006-2013: Aging and Health Committee 2012-2014: Committee on Aging (CONA) 2012-2014: Division 20, Awards Committee, Co-Chair
1996 - present	Southern Gerontological Society (SGS) 1997; 2000: Annual Meeting Abstract Reviewer 1997-1998: Research Committee 1998-2002: Board of Directors 1999-2002: 2004-2010: By-Laws Committee (1999-02; 2004-05, Chair) 1999; 2002-03: Nominations Committee

- 1996 – 2006 Virginia Association on Aging (VAA)
 1997-1999: Board of Directors
 1997: Program Planning Committee
 1998: By-Laws Committee, Chair
 1999: Program Planning Committee; Program Session Moderator
- 1996-1998 ESCOP-T5 Social Sciences Committee, United State Department of Agriculture
- 1987-2006 International Society for the Study of Personal Relationships (ISSPR)
 1997-2000: Awards Committee
- 1985-1996 Colorado Gerontological Association (CGA)
- 1984-2009 American Society on Aging (ASA)
 1987-1995: Faculty liaison for student activities
 1992: Program Chair, Older Women's Section
- 1984-1992 Rocky Mountain Council on Family Relations (RMCFR)
- 1984-present Association for Gerontology in Higher Education (AGHE)
 1984-present: University Representative
 1987-1992: Regional Representative, Membership Committee
 1992-1994: Board of Directors (Member-at-Large)
 Committees: Membership (Chair); Long-Range Planning; Site Selection; Silent Auction
 1994-1995: Silent Auction (Chair); Research Committee; Program Planning Committee for 1996 Meeting (Associate Chair for Abstracts)
 1996-1998: Program Committee (Poster Coordinator); Education-Employment Linkage Task Force
 1998-2000: GSA Research, Education, and Practice Committee (REP)
 1998-1999: Nominations Committee
 1999-2002: Fellowship Committee
 1999-2011 Reviewer, Program of Merit (chaired one review panel)
 2000-2001: Reviewer of abstracts for annual meeting
 2000: AARP Andrus Founders Scholarship Review Committee
 2001-2003: Awards Committee
 2002-2006: Nominations Committee
 2003-2004: Program Committee: Annual Institute Chair 2006-2009: Awards Committee; G&GE Best Paper Award Chair (2007-09)
- 1983-1990 Southwest Society for Research in Human Development
- 1980 – present Gerontological Society of America
 1985-1990; 1995-1996; 2000-2001; 2004-2005, 2012-2013: Reviewer of abstracts for annual meeting (Behavioral & Social Sciences (BSS) Section)
 1994: MR/DD Special Interest Group Program Planning Committee
 1999-2002: Secretary/Treasurer, Behavioral & Social Sciences (BSS) Section
 1999-2002: Nominations Committee, Behavioral & Social Sciences (BSS) Section
 2001; 2011: Behavioral & Social Sciences (BSS) Section Program Committee
 2005-2007: Behavioral & Social Sciences (BSS) Section Fellowship Committee, Chair-elect (05), Chair (06), Past Chair (07)
 2005-2006: GSA Fellowship Committee
 2006; 2012-2014: Executive Committee, Behavioral & Social Sciences (BSS) Section
 2008-2011: Behavioral & Social Sciences (BSS) Section Chair-Elect (08), Chair (09), Past Chair (10), Past-Past Chair (11)

2008: GSA Program Committee; Behavioral & Social Sciences (BSS) Section
Conference Program Chair
2009: GSA Executive Committee
2009-10: Nominations Committee Chair, Behavioral & Social Sciences (BSS)
2010: Awards Committee, Ex Officio Member (Distinguished Career, Mentor,
Kalish, Baltes, Pre-Dissertation, Dissertation Sub-Committees), Behavioral &
Social Sciences (BSS) Section
2012- 2015: GSA Task Force/Committee on Mentoring (BSS rep)
2013- Distinguished Mentorship in Gerontology Award Selection Committee

1980-present National Council on Family Relations (NCFR)
1986: Family Action Section Nominating Committee (Chairperson)
1991: Reviewer of Family Health Section's abstracts for annual meeting
2000: Reviewer of Research and Theory Section's abstracts for annual meeting

1980-84 Texas Council on Family Relations (TCFR)
1984: Assistant Program Chairperson

NIH Study Section

2013-2017 Social Psychology, Personality and Interpersonal Processes [SPIP]
Feb 2015: Acting Chair

Grant Proposal Reviewer:

Administration on Aging (1987) (Review Team Leader)
AARP Andrus Foundation (1998; 1999)
Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research (2006)
Buehler Center on Aging, Northwest University (2000)
England's National Institute for Health Research (2009)
Ireland Health Services Research Board (2008)
Israel Science Foundation (2009)
National Institutes of Health, Challenge Grants, Special Emphasis Panel/Scientific Review Group 2009/10
ZRG1 RPHB-A (58) (June 2009)
National Institutes of Health, Challenge Grants, Special Emphasis Panel/Scientific Review Group 2009/10
ZRG1 RPHB-E (58) (June 2009)
National Institutes of Health, Healthcare Clinical Science Member Conflicts Scientific Review Group
ZRG1 HDM-G 02 M, PA09-164 (Chair, Jan 2010)
National Institutes of Health, NIAMS R03 Grant Application Review Panel (Dec 2005; Mar 2006; Dec
2010; Oct, 2011)
National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Environmental Health Science, Special Emphasis
Panel/Scientific Review Group 2011/01 ZES1 SET-V (06) - Social Environment Effect on Mental
Health (Sept 2010)
National Institutes of Health, RPHB F11-A Fellowship Review (Mar 2006; Mar 2007; Mar 2008)
National Institutes of Health, SPIP Study Section (Feb 2004; May 2004; Feb 2005; June 2005; Oct 2005;
June 2006; May 2012); Study Panel Member (2013-2017; Alternate Chair, 2014-present)
National Institutes of Health, Special Emphasis Panel/Scientific Review Group ZRG1 HOP-T (Feb 2008;
June 2008; Mar 2009)
National Institute of Health, Women's Health Initiative (1993)
National Institute of Disability and Rehabilitation Research (1996)
Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong, (2016)
The Henry A. Murray Research Center, Radcliffe College (1994; 1995)
United States Department of Agriculture (2008)
Utah State University (1997; 1999)
Virginia's Governor's Intergenerational Grant Program (2003)

Book Series Co-Editor (with Rosemary Blieszner), Routledge/Taylor & Francis

2011 – Present Textbooks in Aging Series

1. Angel, R. J., & Angel, J. L. (2015). *Latinos in an aging world: Social, psychological, and economic perspectives*. New York: Routledge.

Journal Editor's Advisory Council2004 – 2009 *Family Relations*Book Review Editor1992-2000 *Journal of Women & Aging*Guest Editor:

American Psychologist, 2016, Vol. 71(4), *Special Issue: Aging in America: Perspectives from Psychological Science*.

Family Relations, 2006, Vol. 55 (5), *Family Gerontology*.

Journal of Women & Aging, 1996, Vol. 8 (3/4), *Relationships between women in late life*.

Journal of Women & Aging, 1994 Vol. 6 (4), *Older women with chronic pain*.

Editorial Boards:

2013 – present	<i>Research on Aging</i>	2001 – 2004	<i>Journal of Applied Gerontology</i>
2012 – present	<i>The Gerontologist</i>		
2011 – 2014	<i>Developmental Psychology</i>	1997 – 2015	<i>International Journal of Aging/Human Development</i>
2006 – 2014	<i>Gerontology & Geriatrics Education</i>	1995 – 2006	<i>Clinical Updates (National Osteoporosis Foundation)</i>
2006 – 2008	<i>Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences</i>	1990 – present	<i>Journal of Women & Aging</i>
2002 – 2004	<i>Journal of Social and Personal Relationships</i>	1986 – present	<i>Family Relations</i>

Manuscript Reviewer:

American Journal of Obstetrics & Gynecology
American Journal of Public Health
Canadian Journal on Aging
Canadian Journal of Sociology
Current Directions in Psychological Science Rev
Criminal Justice Review
Developmental Psychology
Gerontology & Geriatrics Education
Health Care for Women International
Human Computer Interaction
Family and Consumer Sciences Research Journal
Family Relations
International Journal Aging & Human Development
Journal of Aging & Health
Journal of Aging & Mental Health
Journal of Applied Gerontology
Journal of Alternative and Complementary Medicine
Journal of Bone & Mineral Research
Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect
Journal of Experimental Aging Research
Journal of Family Issues

Journal of Gerontology: Psychological Sciences
Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences
Journal of Health and Social Behavior
Journal of Intellectual Disability Research
Journal of Marriage & Family
Journal of Rehabilitation Administration
Journal of Social and Personal Relationships
Journal of Social Sciences and Medicine
Journal of Women & Aging
Journal of Women's Health
Personal Relationships
Psychology and Aging
Qualitative Health Research
Rehabilitation Psychology
Research on Aging
Social Science & Medicine
The Gerontologist
Violence Against Women
Women & Health

Book Reviewer:

American Psychological Association (2008; 2013; 2015)

Allyn & Bacon (1994; 1995)

Elsevier Publisher (2013)

Haworth Press (1998; 1999; 2005)

Pine Forge Press (1993; 1999)

Random House (1988)

Roxbury Publishing Company (2001)

Sage Publications (1989-1991; 1994; 1997; 2008)

W. H. Freeman & Company (1991)

W.W. Norton & Company (2010)

Professional Consultation (1996 - present)

1. Rowan University School of Osteopathic Medicine, Stratford, N.J. HHS award, "Social Capital and Resilience of Older People Exposed to Hurricane Sandy." Rachel Pruchno, PI. Responsibilities: Review and provide input to the qualitative design and interviews, manuscript preparation, 2013-2015.
2. Rowan University School of Osteopathic Medicine, Stratford, N.J. NIH award, "Effects of Hurricane Sandy on Functional Limitation Trajectories of Older People." Rachel Pruchno, PI. Responsibilities: Review and provide input to proposal development and interview items, manuscript preparation, 2013-2018
3. Physician Quality Reporting System Program (PQRS) #181: Elder Maltreatment Screen and Follow-Up Plan Technical Expert Panel (TEP). Provide expert opinions, options, and potential solutions on the implementation of PQRS. Responsibilities include reviewing patient and/or caregiver perspective for this measure, the environmental scan for this measure, current measure specification, and recommending any changes or additions to the current specification, 2014-2015.
4. CDC Expert Panel on Elder Abuse Data Collection Methods and Methodologies. Provided guidance in collecting quantitative survey data on elder abuse and practical considerations in collecting qualitative interview data from older adults for charting strategic directions for CDC's elder abuse surveillance work, 2014.
5. University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT. Responsibilities: Conduct review of the Nursing Doctoral Program and the Gerontology Interdisciplinary Program, 2013 (Review Committee Chair)
6. Kent State University, Kent, OH. Responsibilities: Conduct review of the Human Development & Family Studies Program, 2013
7. University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Responsibilities: Conduct review of the Gerontology Program, 2011 (Review Committee Chair)
8. *The Women's Resource Center of the New River Valley Older Adult Project Grant*, Pat Brown, WRC-NRV, Radford, VA. Responsibilities: Assist with program development; review planning documents and other written materials, 2011-2012
9. Minnesota Center against Violence and Abuse (MINCAVA) and the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW). Responsibilities: Expert for Rapid Response Project, 2011
10. Virginia Department of Health Grant, *Grandparent-Headed Families and Virginia WIC: Examination of Service Awareness, Utilization, and Delivery*, Megan, Dolbin-MacNab, PI, Virginia Tech. Responsibilities: Review documents including surveys, focus group questions, sampling plan, reports, 2010-2012
11. Wayne State University, Institute on Gerontology, Detroit, MI., Responsibility: External Steering Committee, 2008-2010 (Co-Chair, 2009, 2010)

12. Wayne State University, Detroit, MI., Responsibilities: Conduct review of the Gerontology Certificate Program, 2007
13. Ithaca College, Ithaca, NY. Responsibilities: Conduct review of undergraduate Gerontology program, 2007
14. Senior Steps for the Elder Years, Inc. Responsibilities: Review materials and prepare introduction for planning manual for use by older adults and their families, 2006-07
15. P.D. Hinduja Hospital and Medical Research Centre, *Active Aging Project*. Dr. Ashish Deshpande, PI, Mumbai, India. Responsibilities: Provide input to program and study protocols and review reports and other publications, 2005-06
16. National Center for Elder Abuse Grant, *The 2004 Survey of State Adult Protective Services: Abuse of Vulnerable Adults and Adults 60 Years of Age and Older*. Pamela B. Teaster, PI, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY. Responsibilities: Review final reports, 2005-06
17. Retirement Research Foundation Grant, *A National Replication Study of Public Guardianship*. Pamela B. Teaster, PI, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY. Responsibilities: Review study protocol/ final report, 2005-06
18. Retirement Research Foundation Grant, *Wards of the State: A Study of Public Guardianship Programs in Seven Jurisdictions*, Pamela B. Teaster, PI, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY. Responsibilities: Member of interdisciplinary advisory committee; review surveys, critique chapters for final report, 2003-05
19. La Salle University, Philadelphia, PA. Responsibilities: Review Gerontology Certificate Program and develop marketing plan, 2003-04
20. Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO. Responsibilities: Review of the Center on Aging and strategic planning, 2003-04
21. University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO. Responsibilities: External reviewer for the Gerontology program state-mandated program review, 2003
22. Virginia Planning District #9. Responsibilities: Assistance with survey development and data analyses for a community needs assessment of older adults, 2002-03
23. Carilion Healthy Aging Center. Responsibilities: Statistical analyses for research projects led by Dr. Mark Detweiler, 2002-03
24. Borchard Foundation Grant, *End-of-Life Decision Making for Incapacitated Persons: The Resolution of a Life Under Guardianship*, Pamela B. Teaster, PI, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY. Responsibilities: Survey construction, 2002
25. Continuing Care Accreditation Commission, Washington, DC. Responsibilities: Design national needs assessment and implementation protocol, 2001-02
26. Health Management Consultants of Virginia, Inc, Blacksburg, VA. Responsibilities: Resource for aging information and review medication dispensing products, 2001-03
27. Psychology Service, Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Salem VA. Responsibilities: Resource for aging education and information, 2000-03
28. American Research Corporation of Virginia, Radford, VA. Responsibilities: Review and evaluate educational material, 1998-01

29. St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, MN. Responsibilities: Gerontology program evaluation, 1998
30. Wellesley College, Center for Research on Women, Wellesley, MA. Responsibilities: Participate in a 2-day strategic planning workshop to identify critical issues to incorporate into the Center's research agenda, 1997
31. University of North Carolina-Charlotte, NC. Responsibilities: Assess Gerontology Master's program and facilitate strategic planning workshop for Gerontology Faculty, 1997

INSTRUCTION

Courses Taught

1996 - present: Virginia Tech

HD 4114	Community Based Services for Older Adults (on-line)
UH 3004	Global Affairs
HD 5104	Adult Development & Aging I: Individual Development
HD 5124	Public Policy and Economics of Aging
HD 5964	Practicum
HD 5974	Independent Study
HD 5994	Thesis Research
HD 7994	Research and Dissertation
TBMH 5004	Translational Biology, Medicine, & Health (Gateway course)

1984-1996: University of Northern Colorado

CH 236	Health and Lifestyles Among the Elderly (Correspondence Course)	GERO 525	Issues and Concepts in Gerontology
		GERO 540	Prof Intervention with the Elderly
GERO 201	Undergraduate Practicum	GERO 544	Evaluation of Aging Programs
GERO 205	Introduction to Gerontology	GERO 595	Aging, Disability, & Loss
GERO 205	Introduction to Gerontology (Correspondence Course)	GERO 596	Long Term Care Administration
		GERO 596	Issues in Long Term Care
GERO 235	Middle Age and Aging	GERO 625	Psycho-Social Aspects of Aging
GERO 294	Practicum	GERO 640	Health Aspects of Gerontology
GERO 308	Psycho-Social Aspects of Aging	GERO 655	Program Planning & Evaluation
GERO 308	Sexuality and Later Life	GERO 692	Graduate Internship in Gerontology
HRS 394	Practicum in Human Services	GERO 694	Graduate Practicum
GERO 395	Aging, Disability, & Loss	HRS 755	Advanced Practicum in College Teaching
GERO 485	Senior Seminar in Gerontology		
GERO 495	Undergraduate Internship	HRS 757	Adv Practicum in Rehabilitation Administration
GERO 496	Long Term Care Administration		
GERO 496	Issues in Long Term Care	HRS 758	Adv Practicum in Rehabilitation Research
GERO 508	Sexuality and Later Life		
GERO 508	Psycho-Social Aspects of Aging	HRS 794	Advanced Clinical Internship

Chair - Graduate Student Research Committees

Doctoral (Served as a committee member on 50+ additional committees)

In progress Raven Weaver, Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.

In progress Kendra O'Hora, Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.

In progress Yujun Liu, Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.

- 2015 Kelly Munly, *Understanding adult foster care provider experiences*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech (Co-Chair).
- 2009 Erica Husser, *Nature as nurture: Rural older women's perspectives on the natural environment*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.
- 2004 Vicki Martin, *Exploring health care decision-making of older adults: Consistency and clarification of responses over time*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.
- 2000 Donna Dawson, *Determinants of non-recovery following hip fracture in older adults: A chronic disease trajectory analysis*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.
- 1998 Lori Weeks, *Comparison of adult day services in Atlantic Canada, Maine, and Vermont*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.
- 1996 Chun-Lin Mar, Department of Human Services, *Parents of children with mental retardation living in Taiwan: an analysis of service needs and perceived stress*. Department of Human Services, University of Northern Colorado (Co-Chair).
- 1994 Carol Matheis-Kraft, Department of Human Services, *The influence of a values discussion on congruence between elderly women and their families on critical health care decisions*. Department of Human Services, University of Northern Colorado.
- 1994 Judith Bartmann, *Middle-aged and older women with mastectomies: Coping strategies and depression*. Department of Human Services, University of Northern Colorado.
- 1991 Patricia Villani, *Gender differences in retirement planning of older adults*. Department of Human Services, University of Northern Colorado (Co-Chair).
- 1986 Beth Brown, *A comparative analysis of six valued components of close adult friendships*. Division of Educational Psychology, Research, and Evaluation, University of Northern Colorado (Co-Chair).
- Masters** (Served as a committee member on 30+ additional committees)

- 2014 Raven Weaver, *Home and community-based service use by vulnerable older adults*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech. [Outstanding William Preston Thesis Award in the Social Science, Business, Education and Humanities].
- 2005 Brianne Winston, *The influence of mild cognitive impairment (MCI) on marital relationships*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech. [Outstanding William Preston Thesis Award in the Social Science, Business, Education and Humanities]
- 2002 Sara Kretzer, *Older adults' self-assessment of health: Personal and contextual influences throughout the life course*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.
- 2001 Janel Wilcox, *Case study of the generation connection program: An intergenerational program transfer initiative*. Department of Department of Urban Affairs and Planning, Virginia Tech (Co-Chair).
- 1999 Jennifer Scanlon, *Understanding older adults' perceptions of participation in physical exercise: A life course approach*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.

- 1999 Wayne Jenkins, *Abandonment fears in persons with Alzheimer's disease at adult day care centers*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech.
- 1997 Julieta Holguin, *The need for adult day services in La Paz, Bolivia: Perceptions of professionals working with aged adults*. Department of Human Development, Virginia Tech (Co-Chair).
- 1996 Christine Katzenmyer, *Current and future participation in leisure activities of seniors*. Gerontology Program, University of Northern Colorado.
- 1994 Liana Condello-Rockland, *A comparative analysis of self-reported life-satisfaction among rural Hispanic and non-Hispanic older adults*. Gerontology Program, University of Northern Colorado.
- 1995 Mondy Mason-Sherman, *An analysis of knowledge of hospital staff toward older adults*. Gerontology Program and Community Health, University of Northern Colorado Committee (Co-Chair).

Expert Examiner: Doctoral Dissertations and Master's Theses

- 2012 Desley Carole Vine, doctoral thesis, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane, AU
- 2012 Danielle Rolfe, doctoral thesis, University of Toronto, Canada
- 2012 Shahla Seifal, Master's Thesis, Universiti Putra, Malaysia
- 2004 Dorothy Edelbrock doctoral thesis, Queensland University of Technology. Carseldine, AU
(Blind Review), doctoral thesis, University of Mysore, Karnataka, India
- 1989

UNIVERSITY SERVICE (1996 – current)

University

2017	Review Committee, Department of Sociology Destination Area Hire
2016	Review Committee, Institute for Creativity, Technology, and the Arts (Director and Institute Review)
2016 - present	Policy Strategic Growth Area, Steering Committee, Design Team, Stakeholders Committee, Co-Leader
2016	Adaptive Brain and Behavior Destination Area, Steering Committee, Co-Leader; Design Team Member
2016 – present	Provost's Academic Affairs Council
2016	University Honors Program Odyssey Fellowships Review Committee
2015	Review Committee, Center for Survey Research, Co-Chair
2015-present	Working Group, The Virginia Tech Pathway to Independence and New Investigator Funding Assistance Program
2015	Search Committee, Senior Associate Vice President for Alumni Relations
2015-present	Global Innovation District Work Group
2014	Review Committee, Director of the Center for the Arts (Chair)
2014-present	Stakeholders Committee, Center for Survey Research (Co-Chair)
2014-present	Stakeholders Committee, Virginia Tech Carilion Research Institute (VTCRI)
2013-present	Executive Advisory Committee, Faculty of Health Sciences (FHS)
2013-present	Stakeholders Committee, Center for Digital Research and Scholarship (CDRS)
2013	Review Committee, Director of the Fralin Life Sciences Institute, (Chair)
2013	Search Committee, Vice President and Executive Director of National Capital Region Operations
2012-13	Search Committee, Vice President for Outreach and International Affairs
2012-13	Search Committee, Human Factors and Ergonomics Faculty Position, Grado Department of Industrial and Systems Engineering
2012	Review Committee, Virginia Tech Transportation Institute
2012-present	Stakeholders Committee, Center for Human Computer Interaction (HCI)
2011	Search Committee, Vice President for Outreach and International Affairs
2011	Review Committee, Dean of the College of Architecture and Urban Studies
2011-12	Search Committee, Aging Positions, Virginia Tech Carilion Research Institute
2011-present	Proposal Development Institute, Mentor
2011-2013	Howard Hughes Medical Institute Science Education Grant Advisory Committee
2011	Health Sciences Initiative Committee
2011-13	Interdisciplinary Graduate Education Programs Advisory Committee
2010-11	Interdisciplinary Graduate Education Programs Selection Committee
2010-11	Obesity Initiative Review Steering Committee (Chair)
2010-11	Special Task Force on Research Faculty
2010-12	VT STEM K-12 Outreach Initiative Steering Committee
2010-present	Alternate Member, Research Integrity Office Standing Committee
2010	Review Committee, Vice President for Research
2009-present	President's Academic Council
2009	Executive Search Committee, Founding Director, Virginia Tech Carilion Research Institute
2008-11	Faculty Honorifics Committee
2008-10	Center for Peace Studies and Violence Prevention, Advisory Board
2008	Center for Peace Studies and Violence Prevention, Working Group, Chair
2008	Initiative Productivity Panel
2007-present	Committee for Assessment and Research after the Tragedy (CART)
2007-present	Stakeholders Committee, Institute for Policy and Governance (IPG)
2007	Search Committee, Assistant Vice-President/Director of Sponsored Programs
2007-11	University Alumni Award for Excellence in Research Review Panel (2009; 2011 Chair)
2006-07	University Council

2005-08 Commission on Research (2006-07 Chair)
 2005-10 Stakeholders Committee, Center for Survey Research
 2004 Commission on Research, *Ad hoc* Center Review Subcommittee
 2003-04 Search Committee, Vice President for Research
 2003-05 Graduate Alumni Achievement Award Committee
 2002-03 College Administrators for Graduate Studies and Research
 2002-04 Council of University Center Directors
 2002-04 Stakeholders Committee, Race and Social Policy Research Center
 2002 Conference Planning Committee, *Aging in Rural Virginia*
 2001-02 Health Research Committee
 2001 *Ad Hoc* Promotion and Tenure Review Committee, Chair
 2000 Program Review Committee, Department of Communications
 1998-99; 04-05 SPIRES Grant Proposal Review Team
 1997 Interdisciplinary Centers -- Annual Meeting Planning Committee

College

2016-present Council on Research and Creativity
 2014 Review Committee, Director, Center for 21st Century Studies
 2012 Strategic Planning Committee – Infrastructure Subcommittee, Co-Chair
 2012-2013 St. Andrews Steering Committee
 2012-2015 Faculty Grant Awards Committee (ex officio member)
 2009-11 Promotion & Tenure Committee
 2009 Review Committee, South Atlantic Studies Initiative Awards
 2009 Review Committee, External Funding Incentive Awards
 2007 Search Committee, Assistant Professor of Sociology
 2007 Dean’s Forum on Food, Health, & Nutrition Conference Planning Committee
 2006 Grants Institute Mentor
 2003-04 Social and Human Sciences Administrators Committee
 2001-03 Search Committee, Dean – Liberal Arts and Human Sciences
 2001-02 Search Committee, Dean – Human Sciences and Education
 1998 Promotion & Tenure Committee
 1997-98; 2001 Review Panel for Hatch Research Proposals
 1997-2016 Dean’s Administrative/Executive Council (Department Heads, Chairs, and Directors)

Department

2012 Search Committee, Adult Day Services Director
 2008-11 Senior Executive Committee
 2004-06 Graduate Policies Committee (2004 Acting Chair)
 2002-present Reappointment, Promotion & Tenure (2004-05 Chair; Spring 2006 Acting Chair; 2008-09 Chair; 2009-11 College Representative; 2015-16 Chair)
 2001-2012 Developmental Sciences Initiative
 2001-02 Search Committee – Gerontology Extension Specialist, Chair
 2000-03 Graduate Policies Committee, Chair
 1999-2000 Department Head Transition Team, Chair
 1998-99 Search Committee – Department Head, Chair
 1997-99 Reappointment, Promotion & Tenure Planning Committee – Diversity Hire Initiative
 1996-97 Search Committee – Gerontology Extension Specialist, Chair
 1996-present Adult Development and Aging Area Committee

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT (1996-present)

Board/Task Force Membership

2013-2016	Lindsey Institute for Innovations in Caregiving Advisory Council
2013-present	Virginia AARP Executive Committee
2012-2013	Virginia Alzheimer's Caregiver Study Group
2011	Virginia Geriatric Society Conference Committee
2009-present	Medical and Scientific Committee, Alzheimer's Association Central & Western Virginia Chapter
2008-10	Virginia Rural Health Data Coordination Council
2007-13	Virginia Older Dominion Project; Data subcommittee
2007-08	Virginia Rural Health Plan Committee
2004-06	Virginia Secretary of Health and Human Services Aging Action Task Force
2003-05	Virginia Adult Protective Services Advisory Committee
1997-03	Virginia Osteoporosis Coalition
1997-02	Virginia Center on Aging Advisory Board
1997-99	Virginia Association on Aging Board of Directors
1996-04	Virginia Health Care Quality Center Consumer Advisory Committee
1996-07	Warm Hearth Village Board of Directors: 1997 – 2007 Chair, Research & Education Committee 1999 – 2007 Chair, Nominations Committee 2005 – 2006 Ethics Committee

Translational Research: 1996 – present

- Blieszner, R., & Roberto, K. A. (2014). Effects of old-age demographic changes on families and societies. In G. B. Hodelin (Ed.), *Family Socioeconomic and Cultural Issues: A Continuing Home Economics Concern* (pp. 14-18). Bonn, Germany: International Federation for Home Economics.
- Roberto, K.A. (2014, June). What you should know about elder abuse: Protecting our future selves. *Psychology Benefits Society: A Blog from the APA Public Interest Directorate*. Washington, DC. <http://psychologybenefits.org/2014/06/13/what-you-should-know-about-elder-abuse/>
- Roberto, K.A. (2013, Winter). Intimate relationships of older women: A community response to violence. *NCFR Report Family Focus on Aging*. Minneapolis, MN: National Council on Family Relations.
- Collaborating in the development of gerontology education in Turkey. (2013). *AGHEExchange*, 36 (3), 1, 12-13.
- Center for Gerontology. *Falls in Late Life* (4 part series; 2013). <http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/resources.html>
- Teaster, P.B., Roberto, K.A., Migliaccio, J. N., Timmerman, S., & Blancato, R.B. (2012, Winter). Elder financial abuse in the news. In R. Hudson (Ed.), *Public Policy & Aging Report* (pp. 33-36). Washington, D.C.: National Academy on an Aging Society
- Metlife Mature Market Institute. *The Metlife Study of Elder Financial Abuse: Crimes of Occasion, Desperation, and Predation Against America's Elders* (2011). http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/MetLife%20Broken%20Trust%20Study_WEB.pdf
- Metlife Mature Market Institute. *Planning Tips for Older Adults: Preventing Financial Elder Abuse* (2011). http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/MetLife%20Elder%20Abuse_Older%20Adults%20Tips_051711.pdf
- Metlife Mature Market Institute. *Planning Hints for Family Caregivers: Preventing Financial Elder Abuse* (2011). <http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/mmi-helpful-hints-preventing-elder-financial-abuse-familyca.pdf>

10. Center for Gerontology. *Intimate Partner Violence & Rural Older Women* (6-part series; 2010). <http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/resources.html>
11. Metlife Mature Market Institute. *Broken Trust: Elders, Family, and Finances* (2009). <http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/mmi-studies-broken-trust.pdf>
12. Metlife Mature Market Institute. *Helpful Hints for Older Adults: Preventing Financial Elder Abuse* (2009). <http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/mmi-helpful-hints-preventing-elder-financial-abuse-olderadul.pdf>
13. Metlife Mature Market Institute. *Helpful Hints for Family Caregivers: Preventing Financial Elder Abuse* (2009). <http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/mmi-helpful-hints-preventing-elder-financial-abuse-familyca.pdf>
14. Henderson, T. L., Roberto, K. A., & Kamo, Y. (2009). *Profile of Displaced Older Adults in the Aftermath of Hurricane Katrina*. <http://ches.okstate.edu/hdfs/documents/Disaster1.pdf>.
15. Henderson, T. L., Roberto, K. A., & Kamo, Y. (2009). *Coping by Displaced Older Adults in the Aftermath of Hurricane Katrina*. <http://ches.okstate.edu/hdfs/documents/Disaster2.pdf>.
16. Center for Gerontology. *Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI): What Do We Do Now?* (2006, October). http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/Gerontology_MCI_final.pdf
17. Center for Gerontology. *Improving Quality: A Guide for Virginia's Personal Care Providers* (August, 2005). http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/improving_quality_aug_2005.pdf
18. Teaster, P.B., & Roberto, K.A. (June 27, 2005). When elders are molested. *Legal Times*, 28(26).
19. Teaster, P.B., Roberts, J., Roberto, K.A., Duke, J.O. (2002). Through the looking glass darkly: The sexual abuse of older adults. *National Association of Adult Protective Services Administrators News*.
20. Roberto, K. A., Blieszner, R., Reynolds, S., & Byrne, A. (2001, September). *Rural Older Adults and Health-Related Care Needs*. Research Brief No.1. <http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/RuralPolicyBriefFinal.pdf>
21. Roberto, K. A., Blieszner, R., Reynolds, S., & Byrne, A. (2001, September). *Caregivers of Rural Older Adults*. Research Brief No. 2. <http://www.gerontology.vt.edu/docs/CaregiversPolicyBriefFinal.pdf>
22. Roberto, K. A., & Blieszner, R. (2001, January). *Meeting the Needs of Older Adults in Rural Communities: Family Helpers and Community Services*. Virginia Cooperative Extension Research Update.
23. Teaster, P.B., & Roberto, K.A. (2001, January). *A Study of Adult Sexual Abuse*. Virginia Cooperative Extension Research Update.
24. Teaster, P.B., & Roberto, K.A. (2001, January). *Filling the Unmet Need: A Comparative Study of Rural and Urban Programs of Public Guardianship*. Virginia Cooperative Extension Research Update.
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- 2016 League of Older Americans Annual Meeting, Vinton, VA. Topic: Healthy Aging – Aging Well.
- 2016 Virginia Assisted Living Association Spring Conference, Roanoke, VA. Topic: Aging with Resilience, Grace, and Dignity.
- 2015 Virginia Tech's Outreach and International Affairs, Save our Towns Summit, Abingdon, VA. Topic: Addressing Cancer Health Disparities in Appalachia: The Appalachian Community Cancer Network.
- 2015 Virginia Tech's Outreach and International Affairs, Save our Towns Summit, Abingdon, VA. Topic: Understanding Cancer: An Easy to Use Cancer Education Curriculum for the Appalachian Population.
- 2014 Women's Resource Center of the New River Valley In-Service, Radford, VA. Topic: Financial Abuse of Older Adults
- 2013 Southwest Virginia Regional Conference on Domestic Violence, Christiansburg, VA. Topic: Identifying and Preventing Elder Financial Abuse.
- 2012 AARP, Blacksburg, VA. Topic: Research at the Center for Gerontology at Virginia Tech.
- 2011 AARP Virginia, General Assembly Candidate Forum, Roanoke, VA. Topic: Issues Facing Older Virginians.
- 2011 The Virginia Tech Cancer Research Symposium, Blacksburg, VA. Poster: Addressing Cancer Health Disparities in Appalachia: The Appalachian Community Cancer Network
- 2011 Carilion Clinic, Conversations in Ethics, Roanoke, VA. Topic: Ethical Dilemmas in Family Caregiving.
- 2010 Richfield Retirement Community, Roanoke, VA. Topic: Alzheimer's Disease and Caregiving.
- 2010 New River Valley SOAP (Saving Our Adult Population) Community Collaboration Network, Christiansburg, VA. Topic: Elder Financial Abuse
- 2010 Alzheimer's Association, Central and Western Virginia Chapter, Salem, VA. Panelist: The Alzheimer's Project.
- 2010 Advancing Diversity at Virginia Tech 2010, Blacksburg, VA. Panelist: Mentoring Faculty: How to be a Successful Mentor
- 2009 Alzheimer's Association, Central and Western Virginia Chapter, Roanoke, VA. Panelist: The Alzheimer's Project.
- 2008 AARP, Blacksburg, VA. Topic: Gerontology at Virginia Tech: Current Research and Resources.

- 2007 Deans' Forum on Health, Food, and Nutrition, Call to Action Panel, Virginia Tech. Topic: Aging.
- 2007 AARP Town Hall Meeting, Roanoke VA. Moderator: Health Care Reform.
- 2007 Virginia Tech Faculty Women's Club Friday Forum, Blacksburg, VA. Topic: Women's Healthy Aging.
- 2007 Virginia Department for the Aging, Community Conversations on Aging, Roanoke, VA. Topic: Preparing for Our Aging Communities.
- 2007 Commonwealth Council on Aging, Roanoke, VA. Topic: Center for Gerontology at Virginia Tech.
- 2006 Luther Memorial Church Blacksburg, VA. Topic: The Sandwich Generation.
- 2006 Theta Nu Xi Multicultural Sorority Virginia Tech. Topic: Elderly Families in the Aftermath of Hurricane Katrina.