

RESUME

BELINDA I REYES

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SKILL SUMMARY

Over 25 years of experience in policy research, management, and engaging with policy makers, community partners, media, funders and researchers to produce high quality products and inform policy and practice.

Competencies include:

- Research on demography, politics, education, immigration, young men of color, and economics
- Experience developing and managing policy research agendas
- Strategic planning for policy research organizations
- Leadership and direction creating, communicating and implementing a new mission, vision and strategies
- Administrative and management expertise working across interdisciplinary teams
- Design and implementation of policy research projects and evaluations
- Data design, collection, and analysis
- Qualitative and quantitative research methodologies
- Experience producing research publications for general audiences
- Budgeting and budget management
- Financial planning
- Media experience and public relations
- Extensive experience presenting to media, funders and policy makers
- Grant writing experience and funder development
- Supervisory experience leading multidisciplinary groups of researchers
- Significant experience mentoring faculty and students
- Fully Bilingual – English/Spanish

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

2018—Present	President, GR Management, Corp., San Juan, Puerto Rico
2010—Present	Associate Professor, Latina and Latino Studies, San Francisco State University
2014	Advisor to the <i>White House Initiative of the Educational Excellence for Hispanics</i> , President Obama's White House Initiative on Men of Color.
2009—2018	Director, César E. Chávez Institute, San Francisco State University
2010—2018	Co-Director, Inter-University Program for Latino Research
2009	Interim Associate Director, Public Research Institute, San Francisco State University
2006—2010	Assistant Professor, Raza Studies, San Francisco State University
2004—2007	Founding Faculty, University of California, Merced
2003—2004	Member, California Council of Economic Advisors
2003 Summer	Consultant, The World Bank
2001	Consultant, Pew Charitable Trust
2000—2001	Senior Associate, PolicyLink
1995—2004	Research Fellow, Public Policy Institute of California
1994—1995	Research Fellow, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Research & Training Program on Poverty, the Underclass and Public Policy

EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley,
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign,

Ph.D., Economics
B.S., Economics, Graduate High Honors

SELECTED LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

- Reyes, B. & Senguttuvan, U. (2018). Latino Students in Higher Education: Identifying Critical Issues and New Possibilities at a Multiethnic Teaching Institution, in *Hispanic College Students Move Forward: Policies, Planning, and Progress in Promoting Access*. Edited by, Acereda, Alberto, Estela Bensimón, Alfredo G. de los Santos Jr., Gary Francisco Keller, Laura J. Rendón, and Richard J. Tannenbaum, N.Y.: SUNY Press.
- Reyes, B., & Lopez, E. (2016). "Social Lending as a tool for credit improvement for the underbanked," *Communities & Banking* Vol 27 No 1, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston: 7-9.
- Reyes, B. (2015) editor. *Latina/o Students in Higher Education: Identifying Critical Issues and New Possibilities at Bay Area Universities: A Portrait of San Francisco State*. San Francisco: César E. Chávez Institute Report.
- Bohn, S., Reyes, B., & Johnson, H. (2013). *The Impact of Budget Cuts on California Community Colleges*. San Francisco: Public Policy Institute of California Report.
- Reyes, B., Lopez, E., Phillips, S., & Schroeder, K.(2013). *Replicating Lending Circles: Lessons Learned from Five Bay Area Communities*. San Francisco: César E. Chávez Institute Report.
- Reyes, B., Lopez, E., Phillips, S., & Schroeder, K.(2013). *Building Credit for the Underbanked: Social Lending as a Tool for Credit Improvement*. San Francisco: César E. Chávez Institute Report.
- Reyes, B. & Neiman, M. (2011). "System of Elections, Latino Representation, and School Policy in Central California Schools," in *Latinos and the Economy: Integration and Impact in Schools, Labor Markets, and Beyond*, editors David Leal and Steve Trejo, Springer.
- Reyes, B., & Nakagawa, M. (2011). "Young Latino and African Americans Males: Their Characteristics, Outcomes, and Social Conditions." In Edley, C., & Ruiz de Velasco, J. (Eds), *Building Healthy Communities: Improving Education, Social, and Economic Outcomes for Young Men and Boys of Color*. University of California Press & California Digital Library.
- Neiman, M., Reyes, B., Fraga, L., & Krimm, D.(2010). *The Impact of Diversity on California's School Boards: Latino Representation, District Problems, Priorities and Policies*. San Francisco: CCI Policy Series.
- Reyes, B., & Lopez, E. (2009). *Trends in Childcare and Preschool Enrollment Among Latino Children in California*, The Wealth Research Institute.
- Reyes, B. (2009). "Beyond Education: The Economic Progress of Professional Puerto Ricans and Latinos." *In Pursuit of Puerto Rican Studies*, sponsored by the Center for Puerto Rican Studies (Centro).
- Reyes, B. (2008). "Demographic Changes and the Politics of Education to California." In Cain, B., Regalado, J., & Bass, S. (Eds), *Racial and Ethnic Politics in California, Volume 3*. Berkeley, California: The Institute of Governmental Studies Press, University of California.

- Reyes, B. (2008). "The Complex Picture of Cities Near the U.S.-Mexico Border: The Case of Southern California," in *Transformations of La Familia on the U.S./Mexico Border Landscape*, edited by Raquel Marquez and Harriett Romo, Indiana: Notre Dame Press.
- Reyes, B. (2007). "The Impact of U.S. Immigration Policy on Mexican Unauthorized Immigration," *Legal Forums, Volume 2007: Immigration Law and Policy*. The University of Chicago: 131-156.
- Reyes, B. (2006). "Comments on: Why don't more Puerto Rican Men Work? The Rich Uncle Sam Hypothesis." In *The Economy of Puerto Rico Restoring Growth*, edited by Susan M. Collins, Barry Bosworth, and Miguel A. Soto-Class. Washington, D.C.: The Brookings Institution Press
- Reyes, B. (2004). "U.S. Immigration Policy and the Duration of Undocumented Trips." In Durand, J., & Massey, D. (Eds), *Crossing the Border: Research from the Mexican Migration Project*. New York: The Russell Sage Foundation.
- Reyes, B. (2004). "Changes in Trip Duration for Mexican Immigrants to the United States," *Population Research and Policy Review*, Volume 23, No. 3: 235-257.
- Lopez, E., & Reyes, B. (2004). *Faculty, Managers, and Administrators in the University of California, 1996 to 2002*, California Research Bureau. Prepared at the Request of Senator Richard Alarcón and Assemblymember Wilma Chan.
- Reyes, B. (2003). "Latinos in California: Growth and Diversity." In López, D., & Jiménez, A.E., (Eds), *Latinos and Public Policy in California: An Agenda for Opportunity*. Berkeley, California: Berkeley Public Policy Press, University of California.
- Reyes, B. & Mameesh, L. (2002). "The Why does Immigrant Trip Duration Vary Across U.S. Destinations?" *Social Science Quarterly*, Volume 83, No. 2: 580-593.
- Reyes, B., Johnson, H., & Van Swearingen, R. (2002). *Holding the Line? The Effect of the Recent Border Build-up on Unauthorized Immigration*. San Francisco: Public Policy Institute of California.
- Reyes, B. (2001). "Immigrant Trip Duration: The Case of Mexicans from Western Mexico," *International Migration Review*, Volume 35, No. 3: 1185-1204.
- Reyes, B. (2000). *Portrait of Race and Ethnicity in California: The Social and Economic Well-being of Racial and Ethnic Groups*, edited volume. San Francisco: Public Policy Institute of California.
- Reyes, B. (2000). "Community Building and Redevelopment." In *A Coordinated Approach to Raising the Socio-Economic Status of Latinos in California*, Elias Lopez, Ginny Puddefoot and Patricia Gandara (editors), Sacramento, California: California Research Bureau.
- Johnson, H., Reyes, B., Mameesh, L. & Barbour, E. (1999). *Taking the Oath: An Analysis of Naturalization in California and the United States*, with, San Francisco, California: Public Policy Institute of California. 1999.
- Reyes, B., Corcoran, M., & Heflin, C.M. (1998). "Latino Women in the U.S.: The Economic Progress of Mexicans and Puerto Ricans". In Brown, I. (Ed), *Latinas and African American Women at Work: Race, Gender, and Economic Inequality*. New York: The Russell Sage.
- Reyes, B. (1997). *The Dynamics of Immigration: Return Migration to Western Mexico*, San Francisco, California: Public Policy Institute of California.
- Reyes, B. (1994). *New, Repeat, and Return Migration: The Puerto Rican Migration Experience and Poverty*. PhD Dissertation, University of California, Berkeley.

GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Research Contract, *A Multi-Year Evaluation of Roadmap to Peace*, PI: Belinda I Reyes, San Francisco's Department of Children, Youth and Their Families. The Cesar E. Chavez Institute (CCI) and University of California San Francisco's Community Engagement and Health Policy Program (CE&HP) have formed an external evaluation team to design, implement, analyze, and disseminate formative and outcome evaluations of the Roadmap to Peace initiative. Dec. 2015—2018. \$200,000.

Research Grant, *Latino Educational Progress Initiative*. PI: Belinda I. Reyes, CCI. California Endowment. Award to examine barriers that contribute to the achievement gap for Latino students at SF State and connections to mental health. Sept 2015—July 2016. \$24,000.

Mini Grant, *Exploring Barriers to Latino Educational Progress at San Francisco State University*. PI: Belinda I. Reyes, CCI. Office of Research and Sponsor Programs Small Grant Program. July, 2013-June, 2014. \$7,000.

Research Grant, *Latino Educational Progress Initiative*. PI: Belinda I. Reyes, CCI. San Francisco Foundation. Award to examine barriers that contribute to the achievement gap for Latino students at SF State. The project will create innovative strategies to foster increased application, enrollment, persistence, and graduation of Latino students at SF State. May 2013—May 2015. \$30,000.

Research Grant, "Out-of-School Programs for Young Men of Color," The Robert Bowne Foundation. PI: Shawn Ginwright and Belinda Reyes, CCI. January – December 2013. Award to conduct research on out-of-school time work with school aged male youth of color. \$25,000.

Research Grant, *Examining the Effects of Budget Cuts in Higher Education*. PI: Hans Johnson, PPIC; Co-PI: Belinda Reyes, CCI; and Sarah Bohn, PPIC. The James Irvine Foundation. Award to conduct research in higher education enrollment trends and challenges facing community colleges and four-year universities in California. 2012—2013. \$100,000.

Research Grant, *Evaluation of Cestas Populares in Six San Francisco Communities*. PI: Belinda Reyes, SFSU, CCI. Ford Foundation and the Center for Financial Service Innovation Award to conduct evaluation of peer lending model in six San Francisco communities. Spring 2011—2013. \$180,000.

Research Grant, *The Politics of Education: The Impact of Latino School Board Representation on School Policy*. Co-PIs: Belinda Reyes, Max Neiman, and Luis Ricardo Fraga. Spencer Foundation. Award to conduct research on Latino under-representation in school board. August 2008—December 2009. \$40,000.

Research Grant, *The Socio-Political Context of Education Policy: School Boards in California..* Co-PIs: Belinda Reyes, Max Neiman, and Luis Fraga. California Policy Research Center, Office of the President University of California. Award to conduct a survey and research on Latino representation on school boards, its causes, and consequences. 2007—2008. \$30,000.

Research Grant, *Latino Children Preschool and Early Childhood Education*, with Elias Lopez. Sept 2006 to December 2008. Packard Foundation. Award to conduct research on Latino under-enrollment in preschool. \$60,000.

Research Grant, *Systems of Elections, Latino Representation, and Student Outcomes in Central California Schools*. Co-PIs: Belinda Reyes and Max Neiman. California Policy Research Center, Office of the President University of California. Award to conduct a survey and research on Latino representation on school boards, its causes and consequences. Feb 2005—2006. \$50,000.

Grant. “Seventy Years of Migrant Labor in California,” with Jan Goggans. Fall 2005 and Spring 2006. University of California Office of the President Labor and Employment Research Fund. \$20,000.

SELECTED LIST OF PRESENTATIONS

Latinos in the U.S. Demographics, Policy and Politics, Chicana/Latina Foundation Leadership Institute, August 2020.

Latinos in the U.S. Demographics, Policy and Politics, Chicana/Latina Foundation Leadership Institute, August 2018.

Latina/os and Higher Education: The State of the Research, Inter-University Program for Latino Research, Mapping Latino Research, The University of Texas, May 2017

Immigration Policy and the Browning of American, National Association of Ethnic Studies Conference, San Francisco State University, San Francisco, March, 2017.

Immigration Policy and the Browning of American, 2016 Presidential Election public lecture panel, “Immigration,” Department of Political Science, San Francisco State University, San Francisco, September, 2016.

Panel on Race Preferences in Public University Admissions: Fisher v. University of Texas, Rights and Wrongs: A Constitution Day Conference at SF State, San Francisco, September 2016.

Latinos in the US: Demographics, Policy and Politics, Chicana/Latina Foundation Leadership Institute, August, 2016.

Academics and Activist, Puerto Rico/Puerto Rican Diaspora Forum, New York City, New York, April 2016.

Transforming Higher Education to meet Latino Student Need, Leadership Decisions: University Institutions Sustainability and Viability Panel, *National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies Conference*, Denver Colorado, April, 2016.

The Battle for Ethnic Studies: Theory and Impact, CFA Equity Conference, Los Angeles, CA, March 2016.

Latinos and Higher Education: Securing a Better Future for our State, Latino Community Foundation’s Latino Equity Summit: Mobilizing Action 2016, Sacramento, California, March 30, 2016. Available at http://www.latinocf.org/pdf/Sacramento_Summit_2016_Program.pdf.

Latinos in the US: Demographics, Policy and Politics, Chicana/Latina Foundation Leadership Institute, August, 2015.

An Overview of Latino Achievement in Higher Education, Mendocino College, Mendocino, California, March 2015.

Latina/o Students in Bay Area Universities: A Case Study of San Francisco State, Latino Educational Achievement Partnership Forum: Latina/o Students in Higher Education: Identifying Critical Issues and New Possibilities at Bay Area Universities, February 2015.

La Importancia de los Latinos en los Estados Unidos, Consulado General de Mexico en San Jose: Latino Role Models, January, 2015.

Latinos in the US: Demographics, Policy and Politics, Chicana/Latina Foundation Leadership Institute, August, 2014.

- An Overview of Latino Achievement in Higher Education*, 2014 National Community College Hispanic Council Leadership Fellows Program Summer Seminar, San Diego, June 2014.
- Latino Educational Achievement at San Francisco State*, Faculty Presentations Mini-Grants, Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, June, 2014.
- Latinos in the US: Demographics, Policy and Politics*, Chicana/Latina Foundation Leadership Institute, September, 2013.
- Latinos in the US: Demographics, Policy and Politics*, Chicana/Latina Foundation Leadership Institute, September, 2012.
- The Educational Progress of Latinos in California*, Siglo XXI: Forging the Future of Latinos in a Time of Crisis, Inter-University Program for Latino Research, New York, New York, February 23, 2012.
- Immigrant Integration Panel*, The Immigrant Integration Action Forum, Silicon Valley Community Foundation, February 1, 2012.
- The Educational Progress of Latinos in California*, The Silicon Valley Community Foundation, November 16, 2011.
- The Latino Growth and the Politics of Education in California*, Health Equity Institute, May 24, 2011.
- Promoting Wellbeing in our Communities Through Research, Training and Action*, presentation at AARP and College of Ethnic Studies' Transformation from the Inside Out: Healthy Aging and Activism, February 27, 2011.
- Latinos in the US: Demographics, Policy and Politics*, Central American Resources and Educational Center (CARECEN), March 11, 2011.
- Beyond Education: The Economic Progress of Professional Puerto Ricans and Latinos*. Search Conferences, In Pursuit of Puerto Rican Studies, Sponsored by the Center for Puerto Rican Studies (Centro), May 15th, 2009.
- Leveraging Higher Education for the Betterment of Our Community*, presentation at the College of Ethnic Studies 40th Anniversary Commemoration, San Francisco State University, October 2009.
- The Politics of Education in California: The Impact of Latino School Board Members on School Policy and Student Outcomes*, presentation at Siglo XXI: Economies of Class, Economics of Culture, The Inter-University Program for Latino Research (IUPLR), Second Biennial Conference, Austin, Texas, April 2007.
- The Impact of Demographic Change on Access and Equity*, presentation at the Center for Civic Partnerships' Conference, Healthy Cities and Smart Growth Planning for Healthier Communities Conference, Berkeley, April 2005.

SERVICE TO CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY

CAMPUS

Department Committees and Assignments

Latina and Latino Studies Department's Chair Review Committee, College of Ethnic Studies, San Francisco State University, Fall 2007, 2010, 2013, 2016.

Latina and Latino Studies Department's Retention, Tenure and Promotion Committee, College of Ethnic Studies, San Francisco State University (Chair), 2012-2013.

Raza Curriculum Committee, College of Ethnic Studies, San Francisco State University, Fall 2008 – Present.

College Committees and Assignments

Director, Cesar E. Chavez Institute, Fall 2009-2018.
 College Event Committee, 2014-2015
 College Strategic Planning Committee, 2014-2015.
 College of Ethnic Studies Council, 2011-2013.
 College of Ethnic Studies Graduate Council, Spring 2007 – 2009.
 College of Ethnic Studies Graduate Admissions Committee, Spring 2007.
 Raza Faculty Representative, College wide review of American Indian BA, Proposal, San Francisco State University, Fall 2006.
 Workload Planning Committee, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2005-6
 Search Committees junior faculty Sociologist, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2005
 Search Committee, one junior and one senior faculty Political Scientists, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2005
 Search Committee, junior faculty Environmental Policy, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2005
 Search Committee, junior faculty Cross-Cultural Studies, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2005
 Search Committee, senior faculty Public Policy, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2005
 Search Committee, senior faculty Economics, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2005
 Search Committee, senior faculty Political Science, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2004
 Search Committee, senior faculty Public Policy, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2004
 Search Committee, senior faculty Economics, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2004
 Search Committee, three junior faculty Economics, SSHA, UC-Merced, 2004

University Committees and Assignments

Academic Senate, Strategic Issues Committee, 2017-2018.
 Academic Senate, Student Affairs Committee, 2015-2017.
 Strategic Planning Committee, 2014-2015.
 Search Committee, Director of Recruitment and Outreach, 2013-2015.
 Member, Metro Academies Leadership Council, 2013-present.
 Member, University Research Council, 2013-2015.
 Member, University Sabbatical Committee, 2012-2013 and 2014-2015.
 Member, Professional Development Council, San Francisco State University, Term 2009-2010.
 Interim Associate Director, Public Research Institute, San Francisco State University, Spring 2009.
 Advisory Board Public Research Institute, San Francisco State University, Spring 2009 - Present.
 Search Committee Director of Public Research Institute, San Francisco State University, Fall 2008.
 Convener, SFSU Research Affinity Group on Public Policy, San Francisco State University, December, 2008.
 Search Committee Dean of Faculty Affairs, San Francisco State University, Spring 2008.
 Planning Committee for Institute on Public Policy and Ethnic Diversity, Fall 2007.
 Convener for the planning and definition of cross-school appointment on Environmental Policy, 2005
 Graduate Research Council, University of California Merced, 2005

CSU or University of California Committees and Assignments

Member, Review Committee Department of Ethnic Studies External Review Committee, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo University, 2013.
 UC wide committee: Vice Chair, University of California Committee on Latino Research (UCCLR) 2004- 2006
 UC wide committee: Advisory Committee of the University of California Institute for Mexico and the United States (UC MEXUS) 2004-2006
 UC wide committee: Advisory Committee of the University of California Center in Sacramento (UCCS) 2004-2006

SERVICE TO COMMUNITY

Board Member of Chicana/Latina Foundation, 2010-2018.
Advisory Board, Healthy House, Merced, 2005-2006.
Board Member of Chinese for Affirmative Action, 2003-2004.
Board Member of La Raza Community Resource Center, 2003-2005.

Service to Government Agencies

Member of the California Council of Economic Advisors, 2003-2004

Service to Foundations, Public and Private Organizations

Judge, MacArthur Foundation, The 100 & Change Grant
Executive Committee, Inter- University Program for Latino Research, 2013-present.
Co-Director Inter-University Program for Latino Research, 2010-present.
Adjunct Fellow at the Public Policy Institute of California, 2004-present.
Researcher for the Center for Puerto Rican Studies's Search Conference "In Pursuit of Puerto Rican Studies," Spring 2009.
Advisor, Applied Research Center's Report "Race and Recession, 2009."
Advisory, Active Voice, Beyond the Choir Initiative and release strategy for film "A Class Apart," 2008.
Provided support to Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights on a case in Modesto California, 2007.
Research Associate at the Center for Comparative Immigration Studies, UC-San Diego, 2005.

EDITOR OR REVIEWERSHIPS

Referee for the *Social Science Quarterly*
Referee for *International Migration*
Referee *Migraciones Internacionales*
Referee *Demography*
Reviewer Public Policy Institute of California
Reviewer Urban Institute
Reviewer The Brookings Institute/Center for New Economy
Reviewer Greenlining Institute

TEACHING AND MENTORSHIP

CLASSES TAUGHT

RAZA 415: Latino Economic Progress in the US, Fall 2020
RAZA 470: Raza Immigration to the United States, Fall 2020
RAZA 415: Latino Economic Progress in the US, Fall 2017
RAZA 415: Latino Economic Progress in the US, Spring 2016
RAZA 470: Raza Immigration to the United States, Fall 2008
RAZA 470: Raza Immigration to the United States, Spring 2008
RAZA 415: Latino Economic Progress in the US, Spring 2008
RAZA 470: Raza Immigration to the United States, Fall 2007
RAZA 415: Latino Economic Progress in the US, Spring 2007
RAZA 698: Senior Seminar: Policy Making and Latino Policy Issues, Spring 2007
RAZA 694.3: Community Service Learning, Fall 2006
RAZA 470: Raza Immigration to the United States, Fall 2006
PUBP 1: Introduction to Public Policy, Spring 2006
ECON 190: Topic in Economics— Immigration and Policy, Fall 2005

Graduate Degree Committee Membership:

Chair Dissertation Committee, Diana Balgas, Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) in Educational Leadership, 2012-2014.

Chair Dissertation Committee, Jeanine Hawk, Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) in Educational Leadership, 2012-2014.

First Reader, Ethnic Studies Masters Thesis Committee for Irvine Velazquez, 2014-Present.

First Reader, Ethnic Studies Masters Thesis Committee for Alisa Sinjur, 2012-2013.

Graduate Advisor and Chair, Mary Vasquez, Ethnic Studies Masters, San Francisco State, 2008-Present.

First Reader, Ethnic Studies Masters Thesis Committee for Katherine Ojeda Stewart, "Making Myth: Immigration Status, Race and Gender in the 1996 Welfare Debate," San Francisco State University, 2006-2007.

First Reader, Demography Masters Thesis Committee for Graciela Tapia-Colocía, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, 2004.

Independent Studies:

Stephanie Cuetto, *Sexo, Cultura, Y Mujeres*, Spring 2013.

Ramon Eduardo Hernandez, *Latino Student Mobility: Political Costs and Tolls on Education*, Spring 2012.

Mario Lazaro, *Latinos and STEM*, Spring 2012.

Christine Revelo-Lee, *The National Sponsorship of Ethnic Fault Lines in Immigration Policy: a Critique of the 287(g) Program of the Immigration and Nationality Act*, Spring 2012.

Nolan Noble, *American Adult Female Prison Reform*, Spring 2006

Eve Define, *Latino Children in Preschool*, Fall 2005 and Spring 2006