EAB nominee
Name: __Nicole Guidotti – Hernandez_____
Credentials: MA, PhD
Title: __Associate Director, Center for Mexican American Studies_____
Institution: ___University of Texas at Austin_____
Gender: __Female_______________________
Geographic Location: Austin, TX
Ethnicity /Race: ___Latina___________________

Reason for your nomination: As the Associate Director of the Center for Mexican American
Studies, Nicole is positioned to help MCN collaborate with the University of Texas and other
social science institutions to conduct population – based research. As a female and a Latina she
represents an under-represented group within our leadership and governance that could bring
important insights. Her research and writing have included topics of interest to MCN.

Academic and Research experience: She has researched and written about trans-border
violence, agricultural workers and indigenous people. She has contributed through articles,
chapters and invited presentations to feminist scholarship. Her considerable experience with
publishing in peer-reviewed journals would also be very helpful to MCN.

Publications: (examples) Unspeakable Violence: Remapping U.S. and Mexican National
(Journal articles) “Talking Back to Gendered Terror: Undocumented Women, Youth, and
Feminist Pedagogies Against Militarization in Georgia.” Under Review, Feminist Studies, March
2013. [Excerpted from Chapter two of Queering Borderlands Masculinities] “Petra Santa Cruz
Stevens and The Sexual and Racial Modalities of Property Relations in the Arizona-Sonora
Borderlands.” Forthcoming, Cultural Dynamics, 2014. [Excerpted from A Tale of Two Sisters]
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Masculinities] “National Appropriations: Yaqui Autonomy, the Centennial of the Mexican
Revolution and the Bicentennial of the Mexican Nation.” The Latin Americanist, Volume 55,
Issue1, pp 69-92, March 2011.(5th most downloaded article for 2011) “Embodied Forms of
State Domination: Gender and Camp Grant.” Social Text, Volume 28, Number 3, pp. 91-117,
Fall 2010. [Excerpted from Chapter 2 of Unspeakable Violence] “Gender, Epistemology
Cooking: Rethinking Encarnación Pineda’s El Cocinero Español.” Women’s Studies
“Latinidades” and the Politics of Global Citizenship.” Latino Studies Journal. Volume 5, Issue 3,
Reason for your nomination:
Linda’s background in nursing and environmental health and her research focused on migrant farmworkers make her a true migrant clinician. Her role as the Dean of Emory University’s nursing school places her in a position to educate and influence other clinicians in training about the environmental and occupational health issues of farmworkers. She has collaborated with MCN in various capacities for many years.

Academic and Research experience:
- BSN: UNC Chapel Hill
- MSN: Emory University
- **PhD environmental health**: U of Cincinnati
- Dean of Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing Emory University since 2009
  - **Ranks #10 in NIH research funding among all US nursing schools**
- Member of Institute of Medicine
- Leader in environmental exposures research: McCauley is a national leader in the area of research on environmental exposures and conducts *interdisciplinary research using participatory research models to study pesticide exposures* among minority communities. Her work aims to identify *culturally appropriate interventions to decrease the impact of environmental and occupational health hazards in vulnerable populations*, including workers and young children.
  
  A major goal of her research is to disseminate findings in ways that are understandable and meaningful to clinicians and migrant farm workers. Her research program has been funded by the National Institutes of Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. McCauley also is a member of the Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Sciences.
Publications:

- Etc…
EAB nominee
Name: Pauline (Polly) Turner Strong
Credentials: MA, PhD
Title: Director, Humanities Institute
Institution: University of Texas at Austin
Gender: Female
Geographic Location: Austin, TX
Ethnicity /Race: White

Reason for your nomination: As the Director of the Humanities Institute, Polly is deeply involved in the development of a Global Health and Social Medicine Department within the new medical school at UT. She understands the importance of a works toward the full integration of the humanities into clinical education. She has been supportive of MCN and inclusive of the agency in internal organizational meetings about the Global Health Department. She has introduced MCN staff to a number of colleagues in a variety of departments and is very collaborative in her orientation to the larger community surrounding the university. Her research and writing have included topics of interest to MCN.

Academic and Research experience: She has developed a speakers series within the Humanities Institute titled “Difficult Dialogues" where challenge topics and speakers with divergent points of view speak to combined student, faculty and community member audiences. She has also launched a Community Sabbatical program in the Institute that allows representatives from not-for-profits in Austin to receive support (financial and technical from UT faculty) to conduct a small research study to answer a question critical to the organization.

Publications: (examples)
Books
Articles
Research encompasses identity, ethnicity, gender, nationalism, citizenship, youth organizations, indigenous cultures, and cultural representation in the U.S. Articles have appeared in journals and reference volumes in anthropology, sociology, history, folklore, cultural studies, indigenous studies, and American Studies.
Nominator Name: Ileana

EAB nominee
Name: Bradham, Douglas D.,
Credentials: PhD, MPH
Title: Chief of Staff Office-Wichita & Professor, Department of Health Policy and Management
Institution: Kansas University-Wichita
Gender: Male
Geographic Location: Kansas
Ethnicity /Race: White

Reason for your nomination: Dr. Bradham is a health economist and health services scientist with experience in working with migrant and farmworker from Cambodia and underserved populations in rural primary care clinics. He is also a chair of Preventive Medicine and Public Health and recipient of the Kansas Health Foundation’s Distinguished Professorship in Public Health. He is the third endowed professor at the KU School of Medicine–Wichita. Dr. Bradham also serves as a health economist and investigator at the Wichita-based Robert J. Dole Veterans Administration Medical Center. He will bring essential knowledge in critical areas missing at MCN as well as geographic representation.

Academic and Research experience: Experienced Professor in Health Policy Management and Economics. He has also an outstanding record of funding with VA, AHRQ, NIH and foundations.

Publications: More of 90 publications, several book chapters and conference presentations.
Nominator Name: Ileana

EAB nominee

Name: Burgio, Louis D.

Credentials: PhD

Title: Professor of Psychology and Director of the Applied Gerontology Program Alabama

Institution: University of Alabama

Gender: Male

Geographic Location: Alabama

Ethnicity /Race: White

Reason for your nomination: Dr. Burgio previous job was a Harold R. Johnson Professor of Social Work and research professor, Institute of Gerontology, at the University of Michigan. Dr. Burgio has extensive research experience in applied gerontology, focusing on developing interventions for the behavioral complications of dementia in nursing homes and working with dementia caregivers in the community to ease the stress and burden of caregiving. He is the 2008 recipient of the M. Powell Lawton award in applied gerontology from the Gerontological Society of America. He works with Latino and he is completely bilingual English and Spanish.

Academic and Research experience: Exceptional, Professor of Psychology and Director of the Applied Gerontology Program Alabama

Publications: Dr. Burgio’s record of publications, academic and research experience are impressive and he is considered one of the fathers of behavioral gerontology.

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EAB nominee

**Name:** Kendrick, Kathie

**Credentials:** M.S.C.S., B.S.N

**Title:** Vice-President of Strategic Partnerships for Kendrick & Associates, LLC

**Institution:** Ocean City, MD

**Gender:** Female

**Geographic Location:** Ocean City, MD

**Ethnicity /Race:** White

**Reason for your nomination:** Kendrick became the Deputy Director of AHRQ in 2005. She joined the Office of the Director (OD) in 2000 as the Agency’s Director of Planning, Evaluation, and Program Development where she was involved in developing and guiding the Agency’s strategic planning processes and program development and evaluation activities. Prior to joining AHRQ, she was a Senior Health Policy Analyst in the General Accounting Office (GAO) Health Care Issue area. Ms. Kendrick has over 30 years experience in Health Care Administration, most recently as the Chief, Mental Health Outpatient Programs at the VA Medical Center in Washington, DC. Ms. Kendrick received a B.S. in Nursing from Keuka College and a M.S. in Child and Adolescent Mental Health from the University of Maryland. She is currently V.P. of Strategic Partnerships for Kendrick & Associates, LLC, managing evaluation and program improvement activities for a variety of public and private sector clients. She also serves as the CFO. She has a unique prospect in national public health policy and invaluable connection to the government, PCORI, and public health sector.

**Academic and Research experience:** As a women and cancer survivor, Kathy has developed a brilliant career and contributed to the formal training of many professional in the area of health services research.

**Publications:** Several white papers and public health policy.
EAB nominee

Name: Kroth, Philip

Credentials: MD

Title: Associate Professor; Health Sciences Library and Informatics Center, Department of Internal Medicine; Director, Biomedical Informatics Research, Training and Scholarship; Co-Director, Clinical Protocol and Data Management/Medical Informatics Shared Resource; Associate Chief Information Officer, University of New Mexico Hospitals

Institution: University of New Mexico

Gender: Male

Geographic Location: New Mexico

Ethnicity/Race: White

Reason for your nomination: Dr. Kroth has been elected to serve as the Chair of the American Medical Informatics Association (AMIA) Academic Forum (AF) for a one-year term in 2015. He ran for the position in the fall of 2013. He is serving as Chair-Elect in 2014 and will serve as Chair Emeritus in 2016. I met Dr. Kroth early in his career and he has been one of the most successful young investigators ahead of our times. I have always been impressed about his versatile, internist, computer science, pharmacologist and father of five beautiful children, one twin and a little clone.

Academic and Research experience: An accomplished Associate Professor, Health Sciences Library and Informatics Center, Department of Internal Medicine. He is also the recipient of several big awards (millions).

Publications: Several of white papers and mores of 60 publications in pubmed
EAB nominee

**Name:** Poses, Roy

**Credentials:** MD

**Title:** President at Foundation for Integrity and Responsibility in Medicine

Chief Editor/ Blogger at Health Care Renewal; Principal at Miskatonic Group; **Associate Clinical Professor** of Internal Medicine at Virginia Commonwealth University; **Clinical Associate Professor** of Medicine at Brown University

**Institution:** Foundation for Integrity and Responsibility in Medicine

**Gender:** Male

**Geographic Location:** Warren, RI

**Ethnicity /Race:** White

**Reason for your nomination:** As President of FIRM, Dr. Poses is focused on educate health care professionals, policy makers, and the public about the important but rarely discussed threats to health care arising from poor leadership and governance of health care organizations and enable health care leaders to be open and collegial, well-informed about the health care context, sympathetic to professional values, highly competent, dedicated to the mission, and honest and ethical. Dr. Poses is one of the more cleaver minds I have met; he is an international, well-respected and admired scientist.

**Academic and Research experience:** Associate Clinical Professor of Internal Medicine at Virginia Commonwealth University. He has actively participated in multiple relevant researches and has already made a fingerprint in the science.

**Publications:** He has been at the top of 5-30% of all reviewers in Medical Care since 1995 with more than 100 publications in multidisciplinary categories: cardiovascular, chronic pain, cancer, diabetes, infectious diseases, comparative effectiveness research, health science, etc.
EAB nominee

Name: Rogers; Selwyn O.,

Credentials: MD, MPH, FACS

Title: Professor and Chair of the Department of Surgery at Temple University School of Medicine, and Surgeon-in-Chief of Temple University Health System

Institution: Temple University School of Medicine

Gender: Male

Geographic Location: Philadelphia

Ethnicity /Race: African American

Reason for your nomination: Dr. Rogers earned his MD from Harvard Medical School in 1991, after which he completed his general surgery residency, surgical critical-care fellowship, and a research fellowship in surgical oncology at the Brigham and Women’s Hospital. Subsequently, he earned a master’s degree in public health from Vanderbilt University, while also serving as Assistant Professor of Surgery at Vanderbilt University Medical School and Meharry Medical College. He has demonstrated strengths as an academic surgeon, educator/mentor, researcher, administrator, and innovator in community service all contribute to his unique ability to direct the growth of the Department of Surgery in Temple. Dr. Rogers’s unique ability to initiate efforts to improve access to care and outcomes to underserved populations will be instrumental in our efforts to include a global vision to our mission and confront the challenges of healthcare today and in the future. He also will bring ethnicity and race diversity to our EAB.

Academic and Research experience: Professor and Chair of the Department of Surgery.

Publications: More of 100 publications including book chapters.
EAB nominee

Name: Rosenman; Marc B.

Credentials: PhD, MD

Title: Research Scientist, Regenstrief Institute, Inc. Associate Professor of Pediatrics
Children’s Health Services Research, Indiana University

Institution: Indiana University School of Medicine

Gender: Male

Geographic Location: Indiana

Ethnicity /Race: White

Reason for your nomination: As a Pediatrician and Medical Informatics expert with a medical degree from Washington University, Dr. Rosenman has been leading an effort to build a regional system that makes laboratory microbiology culture data usable for decision support and alerts hospitals when a patient with a history of MDRO is admitted. His productivity as a health informatics research and advocacy for underserved population, particularly mother-child leaving with HIV and infectious disease has the potential to enhance our goal to enhance a strong program for women with HIV suffering domestic violence. Two of his relevant qualities are his shyness and humbled personality.

Academic and Research experience: Associate Professor of Pediatrics Children’s Health Services Research, Indiana University

Publications: Moore than 70 published papers, very productive investigator with more than 40 successful awarded projects, 10 active.
EAB nominee

**Name:** Zhang, Harry

**Credentials:** PhD

**Title:** Associate Professor, School of Community and Environmental Health, Old Dominion University & **Adjunct Faculty, China Academy for Rural Development** (CARD), Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China.

**Institution:** School of Community and Environmental Health, Old Dominion University

**Gender:** Male

**Geographic Location:** Norfolk, VA

**Ethnicity /Race:** Asian

**Reason for your nomination:**

**Academic and Research experience:** Dr. Zhang is also a successful Principal Investigator of multiple awarded projects and an active member of the International Health Economics Association. Dr. Zhang’s professional dual appointment in USA and China, professional background, and knowledge in Asian migration will fulfill an important gap of MCN regarding global representation of the Asian Migrants. His very respectful manners, energy, enthusiasm and positivist will add definitely great energy to MCN.

**Publications:** A promising international economist with additional training in economics, nutrition and social determinants of health in the USA.
Nominator Name: Ileana

EAB nominee

Name: Sinclair, Ka`imi Alohilani

Credentials: PhD, MPH

Title: 

Gender: Female

Geographic Location: Center for Clinical and Epidemiological Research, Washington University

Ethnicity /Race: American Native

Reason for your nomination: Dr. Ka`imi Sinclair earned her MPH from the University of New Mexico and PhD from the University of Michigan, School of Public Health, Department of Health Behavior and Health Education. Her research focuses on eliminating cardiometabolic disparities of diabetes, obesity, and cardiovascular disease through intervention and epidemiological research. Dr. Sinclair has worked with American Indians in the Southwest, African Americans and Latinos in Detroit, Michigan, and Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders in Hawaii. Her intervention research has focused on developing and evaluating culturally adapted diabetes prevention and management interventions. She will bring strong knowledge and understanding of Indigenous cultures, histories and contemporary realities and awareness of Indigenous protocols, combined with the proficiency to engage effectively them in by understanding their cultural limitations and influencing them in a positive change. She is highly committed to social justice, human rights and the process of reconciliation through valuing and supporting Indigenous cultures

Academic and Research experience: Assistant Professor, Epidemiology; Center for Clinical and Epidemiological Research

Publications: She is a promising junior investigator with a record of publications on health and social determinant of underserved populations, particularly American Natives, Latinos and African American.
EAB nominee

Name: Zorilla, Carmen D.  
Credentials: MD, MPH

Title: Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology Maternal Infant Studies Center University of Puerto Rico & Principal Investigator and Director, Maternal Infant Studies Center

Gender: Female

Geographic Location: University of Puerto Rico

Ethnicity /Race: Spanish

Reason for your nomination: She is the Project Leader of Woman-Infant HIV Transmission Studies, Puerto-Rico CFAR, and member of the NIH Office of AIDS Research, Prevention Science Working Group; US Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Office on Women’s Health Research Work Group; Puerto Rico Health Sciences Journal-Editorial Board; and ACTG OB subcommittee. She is an international well recognized leader in her field and one of my role models. She has tremendous experience in providing medical assistance to undocumented migrants with HIV in Puerto Rico and Latin America. She has already contributed with her knowledge and professional and scientific work to improve the health care and prevention of infectious disease among women and children. She has frequently invited as a speaker and consultant by WHOM, PAHO and other internal agencies. She is definitely a great team player with emphasis on health disparities, which continues to be a major professional interest.

Academic and Research experience: Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology Maternal Infant Studies Center University of Puerto Rico & Principal Investigator and Director, Maternal Infant Studies Center as well as evaluator of medical board certification.

Publications: More than 100 published papers, national and international book chapters in Spanish and English.
Nominator Name: Deliana Garcia

EAB nominee
Name: Luis H. Zayas
Credentials: MA, MPhil, MS, PhD
Title: Dean, School of Social Work
Institution: University of Texas at Austin
Gender: Male
Geographic Location: Austin, TX
Ethnicity /Race: Latino

Reason for your nomination: As the Dean of the School of Social Work, Luis leads a discipline at the University of Texas where there are some natural collaborations and a long history of partnership (DV). He has met with us previously to identify joint research topics and possible methods for collaboration. As a Latino he represents an under-represented group within our leadership (no Latinos in Senior Management) and governance that could bring important insights. His interest in social medicine is consistent with MCN’s mission.

Academic and Research experience: Mental/Behavioral health among Latino/a youth and the trauma associated with parental deportation constitute the main body of Luis’ work.

Publications: (books)
(Chapters/Peer-reviewed articles 2013-14)
Reason for your nomination: Dr. Saba approached Jennie and I several years ago about the possibility of working with migrants and helping MCN. We met with her in Oakland. She has a tremendous amount of energy which has largely been directed toward high level research on pediatric cancers. She is at a point in her life where she wants to turn some of her energy, expertise and talent towards other issues including migrant health. She is a very successful researcher and skilled in writing research grants that get funded. She has both passion and expertise that MCN could use to take us to the next level.

Academic and Research experience:
Senior Scientist, Children’s Hospital Oakland Research Institute, Oakland, CA
2012-now  The John and Edna Beck Chair in Pediatric Cancer Research, Children’s Hospital Oakland Research Institute, Oakland, CA
2013-now  Associate Adjunct Professor, Department of Pediatrics, University of California San Francisco School of Medicine, San Francisco, CA


Reason for your nomination: Dr. Small has been at the Gates Foundation for more than a decade and during most of that time was responsible for designing and executing the foundation’s tuberculosis strategy. He has tremendous expertise in global health and infectious disease. Peter is a very smart and strategic thinker. If he chooses to turn some of his focus on MCN I think that he would be a tremendous asset. He could really help us think about innovative ways to develop our international presence.

Academic and Research experience:
Much of his research has focused on tuberculosis both from a clinical (i.e. DNA fingerprinting) to systems change (recent research on program innovation in India). Peter also taught and conducted research at Stanford University where he was an associate professor.

1. Publications:
Dr. Small has over 152 peer reviewed publications including lead authorship in the New England Journal of Medicine, Lancet, Science, Nature, JAMA, PNAS and PLoS.
Nominator Name: Ed

EAB nominee
Name: Anna Gard
Credentials: MSN, FNP-BC
Title: Health IT and Clinical Quality Consultant; Family Nurse Practitioner
Institution: DPM Consulting; QiP Solutions (Consultant)
VNA Community Health Children’s Clinic, Abington, Pennsylvania (January 2010-present) (FNP)
LaSalle University Student Health, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (October 2009-present) (FNP)
Gender: Female
Geographic Location: Pennsylvania
Ethnicity /Race: Cau

Reason for your nomination: I have known Anna for several years and have worked with her on projects when she was employed at ACU (Association of Clinicians for the Underserved) She is a very bright energetic nurse practitioner who has been a leader in the IT implementation TA for CHCs nationally. Her current work involves working with primary care practices and community health centers in practice transformation including Health IT implementation and optimization to support Meaningful Use, HIPAA HITECH, Patient Centered Medical Home recognition. She has that important combination of front line clinical experience and high level academic and technical assistance work. She is also a very level headed clear thinker and very easy to work with, a real team player. She brings an up-to-date frontline view of current and future IT implementation and barriers at the CHC level.

Academic and Research experience:
Clinical Instructor: Drexel University School of Health Sciences, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (2009-present); University of Pennsylvania, Graduate School of Nursing, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1997-2007);

Nominator Name: Amy Liebman

EAB nominee
Name: Victoria Breckwich Vasquez
Credentials: DrPH, MPH, MA
Title: Director of Community Engagement & Education
Institution: University of Washington, Pacific Northwest Agricultural Safety and Health Center
Gender: Female
Geographic Location: Northwest
Ethnicity /Race: Latina

Reason for your nomination: PNASH and Vicky are motivated to grow “outreach” core. Not all ag centers have PhD in this position, nor a full time person. Potential to connect more formally with MCN. She has done work with Promotores de Salud. She has international experience and CBPR background. She does not have training or background in Agromedicine, occupational health and safety, but has expressed a willingness to learn.

Academic and Research experience:
Director, Community Engagement & Education
Pacific Northwest Agricultural Health & Safety, University of Washington
Dates: September 14, 2012 – Present
Grant Amount: $98,000 WA Medical Aid & Accident Fund
Duties: Translational research investigator on rural/agricultural health issues throughout the Northwest, community outreach and education, community-engaged research, stakeholder assessment and evaluation, training and facilitation, advisory board coordination, mentoring undergraduate and graduate students

Chief, Community Health Action & Assessment/ Director, Neighborhood & Community Health Programs and Services
City of Berkeley Public Health Division
Dates: August 15, 2006 – November 4, 2011
Duties: Administration of health department functions of assessment, community outreach, health status assessment, program evaluation, training and facilitation, and budget/fiscal management.
Evaluator-Consultant
Literacy for Environmental Justice. San Francisco, CA.
Dates: March 4, 2005 – April 11, 2007
Duties: Participatory evaluation of Good Neighbor Program, a policy and youth empowerment intervention in Bayview Hunters Point. Funded by The California Endowment.

Publications


