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Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- Spring 1987 University of California, Berkeley, California, D.S.W.
Dissertation chaired by Professor Michael Wiseman of the Economics Department.
- Fall 1976 University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, M.S.W.
- Spring 1975 University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, B.S.W.

SELECTED POSITIONS

- August 2020 **Guest Editor** Special Issue on “Welfare Policies and Sustainability”.
MDPI, Sustainability (ISSN 2071-1050)
- August 2011 **Full Professor** UNLV School of Social Work
(Brookings Mountain West Expert)
- September 1998 -
July 2011 **Associate Professor** UNLV School of Social Work
- September 2004 -
2016 **Co-Chair** Management and Community Practice Concentration
- April 1995 -
May 1998 **Research Investigator**
California Public Health Institute, Berkeley, California
- April 1991 -
April 1995 **Senior Research Specialist**
University of California, Berkeley, Family Welfare Research Group, School of Social Welfare.
- April 1992 -
December 1992 **Research Consultant**
La Follette Institute of Public Affairs, University of Wisconsin, Madison.
- September 1987 -
June 1988 **Assistant Professor**
The Ohio State University, School of Social Work, Columbus Ohio

SELECTED PEER REVIEWED FUNDED RESEARCH

Albert, Vicky, Co-Principal Investigator (with Ron Haskins, Principal Investigator, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.). *How did TANF Respond to the Great Recession?* **PEW Charitable Trusts, Economic Mobility Project**. (Competitive) Fiscal Year 2011-2014 (\$60,000 and additional monies from Brookings Institution were used to fund project).

Albert, Vicky, Co-Principal Investigator (with Law Professor Sylvia Lazos, Boyd School of Law). *Planning for Immigration Growth*. **UNLV President Harter Planning Initiative Award** (Competitive) Fiscal Year 2004-05 (\$30,000).

Albert, Vicky, Principal Investigator, *Impact of Welfare Reform on Child Welfare*. **Nevada Division of Child and Family Services**, Fiscal Years 2000-02 (\$135,000)

Albert, Vicky, Principal Investigator. *Together or Apart: Nevada's Tale of Sibling Placements in Foster Care*. **Nevada Division of Child and Family Services**, Fiscal Year 2002-03, (\$25,000)

Albert, Vicky, Principal Investigator. *Explaining Timely Permanence in Nevada and Identifying Visitation Practices that Lead to Successful Outcomes*. **Nevada Division of Child and Family Services**, Fiscal Year 2003-04, (\$70,000.00)

Albert, Vicky, Research Consultant/Collaborator. *The Impact of SB2669 on Child Maltreatment reporting*. CA Public Health Institute, Berkeley, California (April 1995 – May 1998). **National Institute on Drug Abuse** (\$2 million).

Albert, Vicky, Project Director. (with Barth, R.) *Budget Allocation Methodologies for Child Welfare Services* (September 1992 to December 1993). **California Department of Social Services**.

Albert, Vicky, Senior Analyst (with Barth, R.) *From child abuse to permanence planning findings* (later published as a book). (April 1991 to August 1992). **California Department of Social Services**.

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

1. Albert, V. (1988). *Welfare Dependence and Welfare Policy: A Statistical Study* (Studies in Social Welfare Policies and Programs, Number 8). N.Y., Westport, CT, London: Greenwood Press. (Reviewed by Robert Plotnick, Social Service Review, June, 1988.)
2. Barth, R., Courtney, M., Duerr-Berrick, J., & Albert, V. (1994). *From Child Abuse to Permanency Planning: Pathways and Outcomes of the Child Welfare System*. Hawthorne, NY: Aldine de Gruyter Press. (Reviewed by Susan Zuravin, Children and Youth Services Review, Vol.18, 1996.)

3. Barth, R., Courtney, M., Duerr-Berrick, J., & Albert, V. (1994). *From Child Abuse to Permanency Planning: Pathways and Outcomes of the Child Welfare System*. Hawthorne, NY: Aldine de Gruyter Press. (Reviewed by Susan Zuravin, *Children and Youth Services Review*, Vol.18, 1996.)
4. Reprint – Barth, R., Courtney, M., Duerr-Berrick, J., & Albert, V. (2011). *From Child Abuse to Foster Care*. New Brunswick, U.S. and London, U.K.: Transaction Publishers.
5. Kindle Edition - Barth, R., Courtney, M., Duerr-Berrick, J., & Albert, V. (July 5, 2017). *From Child Abuse to Permanency Planning: Child Welfare Services Pathways and Placements (Modern Applications of Social Work)*. N.Y and London: Routledge (Taylor and Francis).

JOURNAL ARTICLES AND THINK TANK PAPERS

1. **Albert, V., & Jaewon, L W.** (2020) Spatial Analyses of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families: It Responsiveness to Labor Market Performance and Policies during the 2008 Recession *Sustainability: Special Issue on Social Perspectives on Spatial Inequality and Sustainable Livelihoods. Impact factor 2.54* <https://doi.org/10.3390/su12093881>
2. **Albert, V., & Jaewon, L W.** (August, 2018) Spatial Analyses of the Impact of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families on Child Neglect Caseloads during the Great Recession. *Journal of Social Service Research* <http://www.tandfonline.com/loi/wssr20> N.Y and London: Routledge, Taylor and Francis.
3. **Albert, V., & King, W.** The impact of short lifetime limits on child neglect (2017) *Journal of Sociology and Social Welfare* Vol. 44 No. 2. <http://scholarworks.wmich.edu/jssw/vol44/iss2/1>
4. **Albert, V.** (April, 2016) State policy choices and the responsiveness of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families to the Great Recession. *Journal of Social Service Research*, (42), 489-500. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/01488376.2016.1153564> N.Y and London: Routledge, Taylor and Francis.
5. **Albert, V.** (June 10, 2015) The Great Recession and the U.S. Safety Nets: The Case of the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families. *London School of Economics Centre for Analysis of Social Exclusion* <http://sticerd.lse.ac.uk/seminarpapers/ses10062015.pdf>
6. Haskins R. **Albert, V.** and Howard, K. (August 12, 2014). The Responsiveness of the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program during the Great Recession, Washington, D.C.: *Economics Studies at Brookings*. Full paper available at <http://www.brookings.edu/research/papers/2014/08/responsiveness-tanf-great-recessions-haskins>
7. Haskins R., **Albert, V.** and Howard, K. (August 12, 2014). Reform welfare program effective during Great Recession. *Economic Studies at Brookings*. Media Release available at http://www.brookings.edu/~media/research/files/papers/2014/08/responsiveness%20tanf%20great%20recessions%20haskins/tanf_in_recession_release.pdf

8. **Albert, V., & King, W. (2011).** Citizenship status and TANF exits: A Proportional Hazard model *Journal for Social Service Research*, (37), 2, 294-308. **N.Y and London: Routledge Taylor and Francis**
9. **Albert, V., & King, W. (2010).** Role of the economy and 9-11 in shaping the non-citizen welfare caseload. (**Lead Article**), *Journal of Social Service Research*. (36), 2, 1-13. **N.Y and London: Routledge, Taylor and Francis.**
10. **Albert, V. (2009).** Citizenship status, poverty and government transfers for families with children, *Journal for Social Service Research*. (35), 2, 1-14. **N.Y and London: Routledge Taylor and Francis.**
11. **Albert, V. (October – December 2009).** Citizenship status, social safety nets, and public assistance participation. *Journal of Immigrant and Refugee Studies* (7), 4, 438-442.
12. **Albert, V., & King, W (2008).** Survival analyses of the dynamics of sibling experiences in care. *Families in Society*. (89), 4, 533-541.
13. **Albert, V. (2008).** Reframing child maltreatment. *Forum on Public Policy: Child Neglect and Exploitation – Immortality on a World Scale*, Oxford, England, (4), 3, 29-40.
14. **Albert, V., King, W., & Iaci, R (2007).** The economy, TANF returns and temporary time limits: A proportional hazards model. (**Lead Article**), *Social Work Research*, (31), 1, 7-18. **N.Y and London: Routledge (Taylor and Francis).**
15. **Albert, V., & Catlin, S. (2004).** Reaching temporary time limits: A tale of a single state. *Social Policy Journal* (3), 2, 57-77.
16. **Albert, V. (2004).** Facing time limits: Its consequences for foster care placements. *Social Policy Journal* (3), 1, 55-78.
17. **Albert, V., & Iaci R., Catlin, S. (2004).** Facing time limits and kinship placements. *Families in Society* (85), 1, 1-8.
18. **Albert, V. & Catlin S. (2002).** Strategic interactions among the states: An in-depth look at the race to the bottom. (**Lead Article**), *Social Work Research* (26), 4, 199-216. **N.Y and London: Routledge, Taylor and Francis.**
19. **Albert, V., & King W. (2001).** The impact of economy and welfare policy on welfare accessions: Implications for future reforms. (**Lead Article**), *Journal of Sociology and Social Welfare* (28) 3, 5-27.
20. **Albert, V. (2001).** Using Time-Series analysis to evaluate the impact of policy initiatives in child welfare. (**Lead Article**), *Evaluation and Program Planning: An International Journal*, (24) 2, 109-117.
21. **Albert, V. (December, 2000).** The role of the economy and welfare policies in shaping welfare caseloads: The California Experience. (**Lead Article**), *Social Work Research*, (24), 4, 197-210. (Society for Social Work Research, nominated for national research award in 2001).
22. **Albert, V. (July, 2000).** Reducing welfare benefit levels: Its consequences for welfare adequacy

and eligibility. (**Lead Article**), *Social Work*, (45), 4, 300-311.

23. **Albert, V.**, Klein, D., Noble, A., Zahand, E., & Holtby, S. (2000). Identifying substance abusing pregnant women: Its consequences for child maltreatment reports. (**Lead Article**), *Child Abuse and Neglect: An International Journal*. Vol. 24, No. 2, 173-183.
24. **Albert, V.**, & King, W. (Spring, 1999). The effect of a mandatory employment program on welfare terminations: Implications for welfare reform. *Journal of Social Service Research*, (25), 1, 125-150. **N.Y and London: Routledge, Taylor and Francis.**
25. **Albert, V.**, & Barth, R. (March, 1996). Predicting growth in child abuse and neglect reports in urban, suburban and rural counties. *Social Service Review*, (71), 1, 58-82 **Chicago, Illinois: University of Chicago Press**
26. **Albert, V.**, & King, W. (Summer 1996). Allocating resources for child welfare services: The impact of a caseload-driven approach. *Administration in Social Work*, (20), 2, 61-77. **N.Y and London: Routledge (Taylor and Francis).**

BOOK CHAPTERS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

27. **Albert, V.** (1994). Explaining Growth in Emergency Response Dispositions and in Foster Care Caseload. In R.P. Barth, J.D. Berrick, & N. Gilbert (Eds.), *Child Welfare Research Review*. New York, NY: Columbia University Press.
28. **Albert, V.** (2002). Book review, *Contemporary Sociology: A Journal of Reviews*. (31), 6, 706-708. "The New World of Welfare" by Rebecca Blank (former Economic Advisor to President Clinton) & Ron Haskins (Senior Fellow, Brookings), Eds. Washington, D.C.(2001). *Brookings Institution*.
29. **Albert, V.** (2005). Book review, *Affilia: A Journal for Women*. "Welfare, Work and Well Being" by Lennon Mary Clare, Eds. New York, N.Y. (2001). *Haworth Medical Press*.
30. **Albert, V.** & Wiseman, M. "What's to be GAINED: Welfare in California Since 1971." University of California, Berkeley, **Institute of Business and Economic Research**. Research Papers in Economics No. 86-10, April 1987. <http://escholarship.org/uc/item/51h3t354>

SELECTED ONLINE AND MEDIA RELEASE OF RESEARCH

- 1, London School of Economics Centre for Analysis of Social Exclusion Seminar Paper:
<http://sticerd.lse.ac.uk/seminarpapers/ses10062015.pdf>
2. Brookings Media Summary
http://www.brookings.edu/~media/research/files/papers/2014/08/responsiveness%20tanf%20great%20recessions%20haskins/tanf_in_recession_release.pdf
3. UNLV Press Release: <http://news.unlv.edu/release/brookings-reformed-welfare-program-effective->

during-great-recession

4. The Atlantic Monthly (1987): “Key to Welfare Reform” by Whitman, David.
<http://www.theatlantic.com/past/docs/unbound/flashbks/welfare/whitmaf.htm>