

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### I. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

University of Northern Iowa, B.A. in Sociology and Psychology  
University of Wisconsin, M.S.S.W. in Social Work (minor in Psychology)  
Florida State University, Ph.D. in Sociology  
University of Wisconsin, NIMH postdoctoral fellow in Department of Psychiatry

### II. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1975-80            Assistant Professor, Iowa State University  
1978-79            Postdoctoral Fellow, Midwest Council for Social Research on Aging  
1980-86            Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Iowa State University  
1986-2002        Professor, Department of Sociology, Iowa State University  
1990-1999        Associate Director, Institute for Social and Behavioral Research, Iowa State University  
1999-2002        Director, Institute for Social and Behavioral Research, Iowa State University  
2002-present     Professor of Sociology and Research Fellow in the Institute for Behavioral Research, University of Georgia  
2005               Distinguished Research Professor, University of Georgia

### III. SPECIALTY AREAS

- A. Teaching - Deviant Behavior, Family and the Life Course, Medical Sociology
- B. Current Research - a) the manner in which family processes, peer associations, and community context combine to influence risk for delinquency and emotional problems, b) the causes and consequences of domestic violence, and c) the effect of discrimination, racial socialization, and racial identity on the mental health of African Americans.

### IV. RECENT GRANT SUPPORT

Co-investigator, "Rural Family Economic Stress and Adolescent Drug Use." National Institute on Drug Abuse. \$583,373. 1987-1990.

Co-investigator, "Rural Family Resilience to Economic Stress." National Institute of Mental Health." \$1,950,057. 1988-1993.

Principal Investigator, "The Nature, Origins, and Consequences of Conceptions of Parenting." Bureau of Maternal and Child Health, Division of Health and Human Services. \$244,577. 1988-1990.

Co-investigator, "Rural Family Economic Stress and Adolescent Drug Use." National Institute on Drug Use, \$793,425. 1990-1993.

Principal Investigator, "Economic Strain, Social Support, and Rural Single-Parent Families." National Institute of Mental Health, \$755,201. 1990-1994.

Principal Investigator, "The Impact of Economic Strain and Social Support on Single Parents." National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, \$534,648. 1991-1995.

Co-investigator, "Rural Family Resilience to Economic Stress," National Institute of Mental Health, \$882,644. 1993-1996.

Co-investigator, "Critical Transitions in Rural Families at Risk," National Institute of Mental Health, \$4,237,673. 1993-1998.

Principal Investigator, "Rural Communities, Family Processes, and Child Outcomes." National Institute of Mental Health, \$1,870,080. 1995-2000.

Co-investigator, "Research on Mental Disorders in Rural Populations." National Institute of Mental Health, \$1,939,393. 1995-2000.

Co-investigator, "Drug Use Among Rural Populations." National Institute of Drug Abuse, \$1,000,000. 1996-2001.

Co-investigator, "Critical Transitions in Rural Families at Risk," National Institute of Mental Health, \$5,314,621. 1999-2004.

Principal Investigator, "Risk and Resilience among African American Children" National Institute of Mental Health, \$3,650,000. 2001-2007.

Principal Investigator, Minority Supplement to "Risk and Resilience among African American Children." National Institute of Mental Health, \$103,900. 2003-2006.

Principal Investigator, "Sociocultural and Community Risk and Protective Factors for Child Maltreatment and Youth Violence." Center for Disease Control \$1,978,700. 2004-2008.

Principal Investigator, "Vulnerability and resilience among African American parents." National Institute of Mental Health, \$711,180. 2006-2011.

Principal Investigator, "Risk and Resilience among African Americans in the Transition to Adulthood." National Institute of Mental Health, \$3,324,320, 2007-2012.

## V. PAPERS AND PUBLICATIONS

### A. Journal Articles

Simons, Leslie G., Burt, Callie H., & Simons, Ronald L. (in press). A test of explanations for the association between harsh parenting and the perpetration of dating violence and sexual coercion among college males. *Violence and Victims*.

Run Jin, Xiaojia Ge, Gene H. Brody, Ronald L. Simons, Carolyn E. Cutrona, & Frederick X. Gibbons. (in press). Antecedents and consequences of psychiatric disorders in African American adolescents. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*.

Simons, Leslie G., Ellen Granberg, Yi-Fu Chen, Ronald L. Simons, Gene Brody, & Velma Murry

- (in press). Differences between European American and African Americans in the association between child obesity and disrupted parenting. *Journal of Comparative Family Studies*.
- Granberg, Ellen M., Ronald L. Simons, Frederick X. Gibbons, Janet N. Melby. (in press). "The Relationship between Body Weight and Depressed Mood: Findings from a Sample of African American Middle School Girls." *Youth and Society*.
- Gibbons, F.X., Reimer, R.A., Gerrard, M., Yeh, H-C., Houlihan, A.E., Cutrona, C.E., Simons, R.L., & Brody, G.H. (in press). Rural – urban differences in substance use among African American adolescents. *Journal of Rural Health*.
- Ronald L. Simons, Leslie G. Simons, Yi-Fu Chen, Gene H. Brody, & Kuie-Hsui Lin. (2007). Identifying the psychological factors that mediate the association between parenting practices and delinquency. *Criminology*, 45, 481-518.
- Endya B. Stewart, Eric A. Stewart, & Ronald L. Simons (2007). The effect of neighborhood Context on the college aspirations of African American adolescents. *American Educational Research Journal*, 44, 896-919.
- Natsuaki, N., Ge., X., Brody, G.H., Simons, R.L., Gibbons, F.X., & Cutrona, C. (2007). African American children's depressive symptoms: Prospective effect of neighborhood disorder, stressful life events, and parenting. *American Journal of Psychology*, 39, 163-167.
- Gibbons, F.X., Yeh, H., Gerrard, M. Cleveland, M.J., Cutrona, C. Simons, R.L., & Brody, G.H. (2007). Early experience with discrimination and conduct disorder as predictors of subsequent drug use: A critical period analysis. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*, 88, S27 – S37.
- Ronald L. Simons, Leslie G. Simons, Callie H. Burt, Hollie Drummund, Eric Stewart, & Gene H. Brody. 2006. Supportive parenting moderates the effect of discrimination upon anger, hostile view of relationships, and violence among African American boys. *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*, 47-373-389.
- Gene H. Brody, Velma Murry, Yi-Fu Chen, Xiaojia Ge, and Ronald L. Simons. 2006. Perceived Discrimination and the Adjustment of African American Youths: A Five-Year Longitudinal Analysis with Contextual Moderation Effects. *Child Development*, 77, 1170-1189.
- Xiaojia Ge, Gene H. Brody, Rand D. Conger, and Ronald L. Simons. 2006. Pubertal transition and African American children's internalizing and externalizing symptoms. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 35, 531-540.
- Xiaojia Ge, Run Jin, Jisaki Natsuaki, Frederick Gibbons, Gene Brody, Carolyn Cutrona, and Ronald L. Simons. 2006. Pubertal maturation and early substance use risks among African American Children. *Psychology of Addictive Behavior*, 20, 404-414.
- Callie H. Burt, Ronald L. Simons, & Leslie G. Simons. 2006. A longitudinal test of the Effects of parenting and the stability of self-concept: Negative evidence for the General Theory of Crime. *Criminology*, 44, 353-396.
- Leslie Gordon Simons, Ronald L. Simons, Yi-Fu Chen, Gene Brody, and Carolyn Cutrona. 2006. Investigating the differences in quality of parenting and child outcomes by type of

- household. *Journal of Family Issues*, 27, 777-802.
- Eric A. Stewart and Ronald L. Simons. 2006. Structure and culture in African-American violence: A partial test of the code of the street thesis. *Journal for Research on Crime and Delinquency*, 43, 427-458.
- Eric A. Stewart, Christopher J. Shreck, and Ronald L. Simons. 2006. "I ain't gonna let no one disrespect me": Does the code of the street reduce occurrences of violent victimization among African American adolescents? *Justice Quarterly*, 23, 1-33
- Ronald L. Simons, Leslie G. Simons, Callie H. Burt, Gene H. Brody, and Carolyn Cutrona. 2005. Collective efficacy, authoritative parenting, and delinquency: Test of a model integrating community- and family-level processes. *Criminology*, 43, 989-1030
- Andrew L. Hochstetler, Daniel Murphy, and Ronald L. Simons. 2004. Damaged Goods: The effects of victimization on released prisoners' distress. *Crime and Delinquency*, 50, 436-457.
- Leslie G. Simons, Ronald L. Simons, Rand D. Conger, and Gene H. Brody. 2004. Collective socialization and child conduct problems: A multilevel analysis with an African American sample. *Youth and Society*, 35, 267-292.
- Leslie G. Simons, Ronald L. Simons, and Rand D. Conger. 2004. Identifying the mechanisms whereby family religiosity influences the probability of adolescent antisocial behavior. *Journal of Comparative Family Studies*, 35, 547-564.
- Michael Johnson, Ronald L. Simons, and Rand D. Conger. 2004. Criminal justice system involvement and youth crime continuity: A test of labeling theory. *Youth and Society*, 36, 3-29.
- Gene H. Brody, Xiaojia Ge, Irene Kim, Velma Murry, Ronald L. Simons, Frederick Gibbons, and Rand Conger. 2003. Neighborhood disadvantage moderates the association of parent and older sibling problem attitudes and behavior in a sample of African American children. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*, 71, 211-222.
- Irene J. Kim, Xiaojin Ge, Gene H. Brody, Rand D. Conger, Frederick X. Gibbons, and Ronald L. Simons. 2003. Parenting behaviors and the occurrence and co-occurrence of depressive symptoms and conduct problems among African American children. *Journal of Family Psychology*, 17, 571-58.
- Ronald L. Simons, Yi-Fu Chen, Eric A. Stewart, and Gene Brody. 2003. Incidents of Discrimination and Risk for Delinquency: A Longitudinal Test of Strain Theory with an African American Sample. *Justice Quarterly*, 20, 501-528.
- Laura V. Scarmella, Rand D. Conger, and Ronald L. Simons. 2002. Evaluating a social contextual model of delinquency: A cross-study replication. *Child Development*, 73, 175-195.
- Rand D. Conger, Laura Ebert-Wallace, Y. Sun, Ronald L. Simons, Vonnie McLoyd, and Gene H. Brody. 2002. Economic pressure in African American families: A replication and extension of the Family Stress Model. *Developmental Psychology*, 38, 179-193.

- Xiaoja Ge, Gene H. Brody, Rand D. Conger, R.L. Simons, and Velma M. Murry  
2002. Contextual amplification of the effects of pubertal transition on African American children's deviant peer affiliation and externalized behavioral problems. *Developmental Psychology*, 38, 42-54.
- Ronald L. Simons, Velma Murry, Vonnie McLoyd, Kuei-Hsiu Lin, Carolyn Cutrona, and Rand D. Conger. 2002. Discrimination, crime, ethnic identity and parenting as correlates of depressive symptoms among African American children: A multilevel analysis. *Development and Psychopathology*. 14, 371-393.
- Eric A. Stewart, Ronald L. Simons, and Rand D. Conger. 2002. Beyond the interactional relationships between delinquency and parenting practices: The contribution of legal sanctions. *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency*. 39, 36-59.
- Ronald L. Simons, Kuei-Hsiu Lin, Leslie Gordon, Gene Brody, Velma Murry, and Rand Conger. 2002. Community contextual differences in the effect of parental behavior on child conduct problems: A multilevel analysis with an African American sample. *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 64, 331-345. (winner of the Ruben Hill Research and Theory Award)
- Eric A. Stewart, Ronald L. Simons, and Rand D. Conger. 2002. Assessing neighborhood and social psychological influences on childhood violence in an African American sample. *Criminology*, 40, 801-830.
- Ronald L. Simons, Eric Stewart, Leslie C. Gordon, Rand D. Conge, and Glen H. Elder. 2002. A test of life course explanations for stability and change in antisocial behavior from adolescence to young adulthood. *Criminology*, 40, 901-934.
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- Ronald L. Simons, Wei Chao, Rand D. Conger, and Glen H. Elder. 2001. Quality of parenting as mediator of the effect of childhood defiance on adolescent friendship choices and delinquency: A growth curve analysis. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 63, 63-79.
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- Gene H. Brody, Xiaoja Ge, Rand D. Conger, Frederich X. Gibbons, Velma Murry, Meg Gerrard, and Ronald L. Simons. 2001. The influence of disadvantage, collective socialization, and parenting on African American children's affiliation with deviant peers. *Child Development*, 72, 1231-1246.
- Ronald L. Simons, Chyi-In Wu, Kuei-Hsiu Lin, Leslie Gordon, and Rand D. Conger. 2000. A cross-cultural examination of the link between corporal punishment and adolescent antisocial behavior. *Criminology*, 38, 47-80.

- Laura V. Scarmella, Rand D. Conger, and Ronald L. Simons. 1999. Parental protective influences and gender-specific increases in adolescent internalizing and externalizing problems. *Journal of Research on Adolescence* 9: 111-141.
- Ronald L. Simons, Kuei-Hsiu Lin, Leslie C. Gordon, Rand D. Conger, and Frederick O. Lorenz. 1999. Explaining the higher incidence of adjustment problems among children of divorce compared to those in intact families. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 61: 131-148.
- Ronald L. Simons, Kuei-Hsiu Lin, and Leslie C. Gordon. 1998. Socialization in family of origin and male dating violence: A prospective study. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 60:467-478.
- Laura V. Scarmella, Rand D. Conger, Ronald L. Simons, and Les B. Whitbeck. 1998. Predicting risk for pregnancy by late adolescence. *Developmental Psychology* 34:1233-1245.
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- Ronald L. Simons, Christine Johnson, and Rand D. Conger. 1997. Linking community context to quality of parenting: A study of rural families. *Rural Sociology* 59:219-232.
- Frederick O. Lorenz, Ronald L. Simons, Rand D. Conger, and Glen Elder. 1997. Married and recently divorced mothers' stressful events and distress: Tracing change across time. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 59:219-232.
- Les B. Whitbeck, Ronald L. Simons, Rand D. Conger, and Glen H. Elder. 1997. The effects of parents' working conditions and family economic hardship on parenting behaviors and children's self efficiency. *Social Psychology Quarterly* 60:291-303.
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- Ronald L. Simons, Christine Johnson, Jay Beaman, Rand D. Conger, and Les B. Whitbeck. 1996. Parents and peer groups as mediators of the effect of community structure on adolescent problem behavior. *American Journal of Community Psychology* 24:145-171 (special issue on methodology).
- Ronald L. Simons, Chyi-In Wu, Christine Johnson, and Rand D. Conger. 1995. A test of family and social deviance explanations from the intergenerational transmission of domestic violence. *Criminology* 33:141-172.
- Frederick O. Lorenz, Rand D. Conger, Ronald L. Simons, and Les B. Whitbeck. 1995. Effects of unequal covariances and reliabilities on contemporaneous inference. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 57:1049-1065 (special issue on methodological concerns in family research).
- Rand D. Conger, Xiao-Jia Ge, Glen H. Elder, and Ronald L. Simons. 1994. Economic stress, coercive family process and developmental problems of adolescents. *Child Development* 65:541-561.

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- Les B. Whitbeck, Ronald L. Simons and Meei-ying Kao. 1994. The effect of divorced mothers' dating behaviors and sexual attitudes on the sexual attitudes and behaviors of their adolescent children. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 56:615-621.
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- Xiaojie Ge, Rand D. Conger, Frederick O. Lorenz, and Ronald L. Simons. 1994. Parents' stressful life events and adolescent depressed mood. *Journal of Health and Social Behavior* 35:28-44.
- Xiaojie Ge, Frederick O. Lorenz, Rand D. Conger, Glen H. Elder, and Ronald L. Simons. 1994. Trajectories of stressful life events and depressive symptoms during adolescence. *Developmental Psychology* 30:467-484.
- Ronald L. Simons, Fred O. Lorenz, Chyi-In Wu, and Rand D. Conger. 1993. Social network and marital support as mediators and moderators of the impact of economic pressure on parental behavior. *Developmental Psychology* 29:368-381.
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- Ronald L. Simons, Jay Beaman, Rand D. Conger, and Wei Chao. 1993. Childhood experience, conceptions of parenting, and attitudes of spouse as determinants of parental behavior. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 55:91-106.
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- Jay Beaman, Les B. Whitbeck, and Ronald L. Simons. 1993. Parental religiosity, parenting practices, and adolescent self-esteem. *Family Perspectives* 26:477-492.
- Ronald L. Simons, Jay Beaman, Rand D. Conger, and Wei Chao. 1993. Stress, support, and antisocial behavior trait as determinants of emotional well-being and parenting practices among single mothers. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 55:385-398.
- Les B. Whitbeck and Ronald L. Simons. 1993. A comparison of adaptive strategies and patterns of victimization among homeless adolescents and adults. *Violence and Victims* 8:191-204.

- Ronald L. Simons, Christine Johnson, Jay Beaman, and Rand Conger. 1993. Explaining women's double jeopardy: Factors that mediate the association between harsh treatment as a child and violence by a husband. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 55:713-723.
- Rand D. Conger, Glen H. Elder, Fred O. Lorenz, Ronald L. Simons and Les B. Whitbeck. 1992. A family process model of economic hardship and influences on adjustment of early adolescent boys. *Child Development*. 63:526-541.
- Ronald L. Simons, Fred O. Lorenz, Rand D. Conger, and Chi-In Wu. 1992. Support from spouse as mediator and moderator of the disruptive influence of economic strain on parenting. *Child Development* 63:1282-1301.
- Xiaojia Ge, Rand D. Conger, Frederick O. Lorenz, Glen Elder, Ruth Montague and Ronald L. Simons. 1992. Linking family economic hardship to adolescent distress. *Journal of Adolescent Research* 2:351-378.
- Ronald L. Simons, Jay Beaman, Rand D. Conger, and Wei Chao. 1992. Gender differences in the intergenerational transmission of parenting beliefs. *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 54:823-836.
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- Masako Ishii-Kuntz, Les B. Whitbeck, and Ronald L. Simons. 1991. The impact of knowledge and concern about AIDS on sexual behavior: An analysis of a college student sample from Iowa and California. *Journal of Applied Social Psychology* 20:1301-1321.
- Ronald L. Simons and Les B. Whitbeck. 1991. Sexual abuse as a precursor to prostitution and victimization among adolescent and adult homeless women. *Journal of Family Issues* 12:361-379.
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- Les B. Whitbeck, Ronald L. Simons, and Rand D. Conger. 1991. The effects of early family relationships on contemporary relationships and assistance patterns between adult children and their parents. *Journal of Gerontology* 46:5330-5337.
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- Ronald L. Simons, Les B. Whitbeck, Rand D. Conger and Janet N. Melby. 1991. The effect of social skills, values, peers, and depression upon adolescent substance use. *Journal of Early Adolescence* 11:466-481.
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B. Books

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C. Chapters in Books

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D. Reprinted Articles (1988-present)

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Ronald L. Simons. 1988. Generic social work skills in social administration: The example of persuasion. In R.J. Patti, J. Poertner, and C.A. Rapp (Eds.), *Managing for Social Effectiveness in Social Welfare Organizations*. NY: Haworth, pp. 241-154. (Originally published in *Administration in Social Work*, 18, 1987.)

Ronald L. Simons, Chyi-In Wu, Rand D. Conger, and Frederick O. Lorenz. 1996. Two routes to delinquency: Differences in the impact of parenting and deviant peers for early versus late starters. In D. Greenberg (Ed.), *Criminal Careers. Volume 1. The International Library of Criminology, Criminal Justice, and Penology*. Hampshire, U.K.: Dartmouth Publishing Co. (Originally published in *Criminology*, 32, 1994.)

Ronald L. Simons, Les B. Whitbeck, Jay Beaman, and Rand D. Conger. 1995. The impact of mothers' parenting, involvement by nonresidential fathers, and parental conflict on the adjustment of adolescent children. In D. Demo and A. Ambert (Eds.), *Families in Focus*. MN: National Council on Family Relations. (Originally published in *Journal of Marriage and the Family* 56, 1994.)

Ronald L. Simons, Christine Johnson, and Rand D. Conger. 1995. Harsh corporal punishment versus quality of parental involvement as an explanation of adjustment maladjustment. In D. Demo and A. Ambert (Eds.), *Families in Focus*. Minneapolis, MN: National Council on Family Relations. (Originally published in *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 56, 1994.)

E. Papers Presented at Professional Meetings (1991-present)

Ronald L. Simons, Rand D. Conger, Frederick O. Lorenz, Les B. Whitbeck, "Marital and social network support as moderators and mediators of the impact of economic strain upon parenting." International Society for the Study of Human Development, Minneapolis, July, 1991.

Ronald L. Simons, "Adolescent resilience in the face of family economic hardship." National Council on Family Relations, Denver, November, 1991.

Ronald L. Simons, "Economic hardship and disrupted parenting practices," National Council on Family Relations, Denver, November, 1991.

Ronald L. Simons, Chyi-In Wu, and Rand D. Conger, "Theoretical perspectives on the relationship between peers and delinquency: An empirical test." Society for Research on Adolescents, Washington, D.C., March, 1992.

Ronald L. Simons, "A test of theoretical explanations for the relationships between parental behavior, deviant peers, and delinquent behavior." American Society of Criminology, New Orleans, October, 1992.

Ronald L. Simons, Chyi-In Wu, and Rand D. Conger, "Differences in the impact of parenting and peer group on delinquency for early versus late starters." American Society of Criminology, New Orleans, November, 1992.

Ronald L. Simons and Jay Beaman, "Gender differences in the intergenerational transmission of parenting beliefs." National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL, November 1992.

- Ronald L. Simons, "Childhood experience, conceptions of parenting, and attitudes of spouse as determinants of parental behavior." National Council on Family Relations, Orlando, FL, November 1992.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Differences in the impact of parenting, personality, and peer group on delinquency for early versus later starters," American Society of Criminology, Phoenix, AZ, November, 1993.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Stress, support, and antisocial trait as determinants of emotional well-being and parenting practices among single mothers," National Conference on Family Relations, Baltimore, MD, November, 1993.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Antisocial trait and family processes," National Conference on Family Relations, Baltimore, MD, November, 1993.
- Ronald L. Simons, "A test of family and social deviance explanations for the intergenerational transmission of domestic violence." National Conference on Family Relations, Minneapolis, November, 1994.
- Ronald L. Simons, "The impact of community structure on adolescent antisocial behavior." American society of Criminology, Miami, November, 1994.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Explaining the effect of parental behavior on adolescent aggression: Imitating or inept parenting?" American Society of Criminology, Miami, November, 1994.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Community structure, family processes, and deviant life course trajectories." American Sociological Association, Washington, DC, August, 1995.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Community context and adolescent problem behavior." National Conference on Family Relations, Portland, OR, November, 1995.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Community context and family processes." Rural Sociological Society, Des Moines, IA, August, 1996.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Community structure and parental behavior." National Conference on Family Relations, Kansas City, MO, November, 1996.
- Ronald L. Simons, "A test of latent trait versus life course perspectives on the stability of adolescent antisocial behavior." American Society of Criminology, Chicago, IL, November, 1996.
- Ronald L. Simons, Special National Institute of Drug Abuse workshop on child psychopathology and substance use. Washington, D.C., July, 1997.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Life course perspectives on the stability of antisocial behavior." National Conference on Family Relations, Washington, D.C., November, 1997.
- Ronald L. Simons, "A test of various explanations for the impact of family structure on child antisocial behavior." American Association of Criminology, San Diego, CA, November, 1997.

- Ronald L. Simons, "Quality of parenting as mediator of the association between childhood conduct problems and adolescent delinquency: A growth curve analysis." American Society of Criminology, Washington, D.C., November, 1998.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Explaining the higher incidence of adjustment problems among children of divorce compared to those in intact families." National Council on Family Relations, Milwaukee, WI, November, 1998.
- Ronald L. Simons, "A cross-cultural examination of the link between corporal punishment and adolescent antisocial behavior." National Conference on Family Relations, Irvine, CA, November, 1999.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Assortative mating, quality of employment and friendship choices as mediators and moderators of the stability of antisocial behavior." American Society of Criminology. Toronto, Canada, November, 1999.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Socialization Contexts and Conduct Problems: A Multilevel Analysis with an African American Sample," Washington, D.C., August, 2000.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Collective Socialization and Child Conduct Problems: A Multilevel Analysis with an African American Sample," San Francisco, November, 2000.
- Ronald L. Simons, "The effects of racial discrimination and ethnic group identification on depression among African American children." American Sociological Association, Irvine, CA, August, 2001.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Life course explanations for the stability and change in antisocial behavior from adolescence to young adulthood. American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, November, 2001.
- Leslie G. Simons and Ronald L. Simons, "Dating Violence and Sexual Coercion: A Consequence of Harsh Parenting Or Part of Antisocial Orientation?" International Conference on Family Violence, Portsmouth, NH, July, 2002.
- Ronald L. Simons and Leslie G. Simons, "Family Structure, Parenting Practices and Child Conduct Problems." National Conference on Family Relations, Houston, TX, November, 2002.
- Ronald L. Simons and Leslie G. Simons, "Incidents of Discrimination and Risk for Delinquency: A Test of Strain Theory with an African American Sample," American Society of Criminology, Chicago, November, 2002.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Racial discrimination and child conduct problems." American Sociological Association, Atlanta, August, 2003.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Parental Behavior as a Moderator of the Association between Discrimination and Delinquency." American Society of Criminology, Denver, November, 2003.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Discrimination, Family Processes, and Delinquency" International Conference for the Social Sciences. Honolulu, HI, June, 2004.
- Ronald L. Simons, "Parental Behavior as Moderator of the Association between Discrimination

- and Delinquency.” National Conference on Family Relations, Orlando, FL, November, 2004.
- Ronald L. Simons, “Methodological and Theoretical Issues in Quantitative Studies of Community Contextual Effects.” National Conference on Family Relations, Orlando, FL, November, 2004.
- Ronald L. Simons and Callie Burt, “The combined effects of collective efficacy and authoritative parenting.” American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA, August, 2005
- Ronald L. Simons, Leslie Gordon, and Callie Burt. “Collective efficacy, authoritative parenting, and delinquency: Test of a model integrating community- and family-level processes.” American Society of Criminology, Toronto, CN, November, 2005.
- Ronald L. Simons and Leslie Gordon. “Ways in which community and family factors combine To influence delinquency. International Sociological Association. Durban, South Africa, July, 2006
- Ronald L. Simons. “Identifying the psychological factors that mediate the association between parenting practices and delinquency.” American Sociological Association. Montreal, CN, August, 2006.
- Ronald L. Simons, Leslie G. Gordon, and Callie Burt. Cognitions that mediate the impact of parenting on conduct problems. American Society of Criminology, Los Angeles, CA, November, 2006.
- Ronald L. Simons & Leslie G. Gordon, “Factors that mediate the impact of parenting on delinquency.” Conference on Democracy and Peace, Istanbul, June, 2007.
- Ronald L. Simons & Leslie G. Gordon, “Mediators of the effect of community and family factors on delinquency.” American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, November, 2007.
- Eric A. Stewart & Ronald L. Simons, “Community- and Individual-level effects of street code on violence.” American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, November, 2007.
- Ronald L. Simons, “Sex differences in the determinants of dating violence among adolescent African Americans.” National Council on Family Relations, Pittsburg, November, 2007.

## VI. PROFESSIONAL HONORS

National Institute on Aging Traineeship  
 National Institute of Mental Health Traineeship  
 National Institute of Mental Health Postdoctoral Fellow  
 Midwest Council on Aging Postdoctoral Fellow  
 Alpha Kappa Delta Sociological Honorary Society  
 Sigma Xi Scientific Honorary Society  
 Phi Kappa Phi Scholastic Honorary Society  
 Finalist, 1990 and 1992 Ruben Hill Research Award, National Council on Family Relations  
 Alpha Kappa Delta Teaching Excellence Award, 1998.  
 Award for Outstanding Achievement in Research, Iowa State University, 2002  
 Ruben Hill Research and Theory Award, National Council on Family Relations, 2003.  
 Appointed Distinguished Research Professor, University of Georgia, 2005.  
 MacNamara Award from the American Criminal Justice Society for best article, 2007.

## VII. MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

American Psychological Association	National Council on Family Relations
American Sociological Association	Society for Research on Child Development
American Society of Criminology	Society for Research on Adolescence
Midwest Sociological Society	Southern Sociological Society

## VIII. OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Human Development and Aging Review Committee for the National Institutes of Health, 1991-1994.  
Ad hoc reviewer of research proposals for National Institute of Mental Health and National Institute on Drug Abuse, 1996-present.

Invited Member, Delegation of Research Specialists, National Institute on Drug Abuse, 1997

Annual Congressional Presentation for the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges, 2000

Reuben Hill Award Committee, National Conference on Family Relations, 2003-2005

Reiss Award Committee, American Sociological Association, 2004-2006.

Community Violence Review Committee, Center for Disease Control, 2004-2006

Local Arrangements Committee, American Society of Criminology, 2007.

Ad Hoc Reviewer of submitted manuscripts:

<u>American Sociological Review</u>	<u>American Journal of Sociology</u>
<u>Child Development</u>	<u>Criminology</u>
<u>Developmental Psychology</u>	<u>Family Relations</u>
<u>Journal of Adolescent Research</u>	<u>Journal of Drug Issue</u>
<u>Journal of Early Adolescence</u>	<u>Journal of Family Issues</u>
<u>Journal of Health and Social Behavior</u>	<u>Journal of Marriage and the Family</u>
<u>Journal of for Research on Crime and Delinquency</u>	
<u>Quantitative Criminology</u>	<u>Sage Publications</u>
<u>Social Forces</u>	<u>Sociological Inquiry</u>