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Associate Professor
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Department of Medical Information Sciences 1984-1986
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Degrees

Ph.D.	1981	Yale University,	Sociology
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Grants

National Institute on Aging ($410,000) “Reconceptualizing Socioeconomic Status and Health” (Ross, p.i., Mirowsky, co p.i.) RO1AG035268. 2010-2012.
National Institute on Aging. (RO1 AG023380, $375,000): Education, Resource Substitution, and Health. Co-principal investigator, with Catherine Ross as principal investigator. 2003-2007.
National Institute on Aging (NIA 2 RO1-AG12393 A1, $1,000,000): Aging, Status, and the Sense of Control. Principal Investigator, with Catherine E. Ross. 2000-2006.
National Institute for Mental Health (NIMH R01 MH56543, $424,389): Children, Child Care, and Psychological Well-Being. Principal Investigator, with Catherine Ross as Co-P.I. 1998-2001.
National Institute on Aging (NIA RO1-AG12393, $669,020): Aging, Status, and the Sense of Control. Principal Investigator, with Catherine E. Ross. 1994-1999.

IBM Project Excel Grant ($71,200): A Computer-based Decision-making Laboratory for Medical Students. Co-investigator with Alan Levy (PI), Frank Mabry and Peter Imry. 1986.
University of Illinois Research Board grant ($7,200): The Illinois Survey of Well-being. Co-investigator with Catherine E. Ross (PI). 1985.
University of Illinois Research Board grant ($6,000): A Comparison of Mexican and Anglo Mental Health. Co-investigator with Catherine E. Ross (PI) and William Cockerham. 1981.
NIMH Mental Health Services Research Evaluation Traineeship. Fall 1979 through Summer 1980. US Public Health Service Traineeship. Fall 1975 through Summer 1979.

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Mirowsky, John, and Catherine E. Ross. 1987 "Conditions, Cognitions and Emotions." Presented in the *Conference on Health and Behavior: Research Agenda for Hispanics*. University of Illinois at Chicago.

Mirowsky, John. 1986 "The Psycho-Economics of Feeling Underpaid." *American Sociological Association* annual meeting. New York.

Mirowsky, John and Catherine E. Ross. 1984 "Working Wives and Mental Health." *American Association for the Advancement of Science* annual meeting. N.Y.C.

Mirowsky, John. 1984 "Belief in Innate Sex Roles: Sex Stratification versus Interpersonal Influence in Married Couples." *American Sociological Association* annual meeting. San Antonio.

Mirowsky, John. 1984 "Social Construction of Reality in Marriage." *American Sociological Association* annual meeting. San Antonio.

Ross, Catherine E. and John Mirowsky. 1984 "Measuring Depression in Men and Women." *Midwest Sociological Society* annual meeting. Chicago.

Ross, Catherine E. and John Mirowsky. 1984 "Men who Cry." *Midwest Sociological Society* annual meeting. Chicago.

Mirowsky, John and Catherine E. Ross. 1983 "Language Networks and Social Status Among Mexican Americans." *American Sociological Association* annual meeting. Detroit.

Mirowsky, John and Catherine E. Ross. 1982 "Mexican Culture and Fatalism: Their Effects on Depression and Anxiety." *American Sociological Association* annual meeting. San Francisco.

Ross, Catherine E. and John Mirowsky. 1982 "The Worst Place and the Best Face: The Tendency to Give Socially-Approved Responses Among Mexicans and Anglos." *American Sociological Association* annual meeting. San Francisco.

Ross, Catherine E., John Mirowsky, and Patricia Ulbrich. 1982 "Psychological Distress Among Married Men and Women: A Comparison of Mexicans and Anglos." the *American Sociological Association* annual meeting. San Francisco.

Mirowsky, John. 1982 "Important Environmental Health Hazards: The Judgments of Medical Students and Environmental Scientists at UIUC." *Illinois Sociological Association* annual meeting. Bloomington.

Mirowsky, John and Catherine E. Ross. 1980 "Social Epidemiology: Issues for the 1980's." Second *Conference on the Clinical Applications of the Social Sciences to Health*. University of Illinois, Urbana.

Awards and Honors

2012 Leonard I. Pearlin Award for distinguished contributions to the sociological study of mental health. The award honors a scholar who has made substantial contributions in theory and/or research to the sociology of mental health.

Keynote address, *XII Annual International Conference on Social Stress*, December 2010, Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

Fellow of the Center for the Study of Poverty and Inequality at Stanford University

Charles Phelps Taft Memorial Lecture, University of Cincinnati, 1992.

Sociological Research Association: elected to membership 1991.

Reuben Hill Research and Theory Award (1986) for "Depression and Marital Power: An Equity Model" (AJS 1985). Given by the Research and Theory Section of the National Council of Family Relations for the outstanding article.

Citations

Listed on the ISI database of most highly cited investigators:

72 ISI publications (excluding editorials, comments and book reviews) with 4,457 citations in 3,556 articles (excluding self-citations, as of June 2012).

Mean 65 per publication, 130 per year since 1977, h-index = 36.

Google Scholar lists 1,008 citations(45 per year) to *Social Causes of Psychological Distress* (Mirowsky & Ross 1989, 2003) and 327 citations (34.4 per year) to *Education, Social Status and Health* (Mirowsky & Ross, 2003) (as of June 2012).

Two listings in the American Sociological Review's most cited articles (Ross, Mirowsky and Huber 1983 and Mirowsky and Ross 1995.)

Editorships & Editorial Boards

Editor

Journal of Health and Social Behavior, 1997-2000

Associate Editor or Editorial Board

Sociological Methods and Research, 2010-current.
Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences, 1998-2001
Social Psychology Quarterly, 1992-1993.
Journal of Health and Social Behavior, 1985-1988.

Professional Associations

Memberships

American Sociological Association, Sociological Research Association

Offices

Chairperson, Mental Health Division (formerly the Psychiatric Sociology Division), Society for the Study of Social Problems 1997-1999

Mental Health Section representative to the Publication Committee of the American Sociological Association, 2001-2002.

Aging and Life Course Section, American Sociological Association
Outstanding Paper Award Committee, 2007.

Teaching

University of Texas
Sociology Department
Health and the Life Course, Aging and the Life Course, Structural Equation Modeling of Health and the Life Course, Structural Equation Modeling of Physical and Mental Health, Nonlinear Models of Health and Aging, Social Statistics: Linear Modeling and Structural Equation Systems

Ohio State University
Department of Sociology
Multi-Equation Covariance Models; Quantitative Research Techniques in Sociology, Aging and the Life Course; Analysis of Panel Data

University of Illinois
College of Medicine
Epidemiology and Biostatistics (2nd Year Medical Students), Director of the IBM-UIUC EXCEL project for teaching medical decision analysis, and Coordinator of the Environmental Health Curriculum Development project.
Department of Sociology
Social Statistics III (multi-equation models), Mental Health in Social Context, Social Epidemiology, Social Psychology.

Yale University
Departments of Sociology & Epidemiology
Sociology of Medicine and Health Care, Social Processes in Health and Illness.

Service

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

National Institutes of Health

Adolescent Health (Add Health) site visit, Center for Scientific Review, ZRG RPHB-A(40), May 2004 and May 2005.

Risk Prevention and Health Behavior Initial Review Group, Center for Scientific Review (1999-2004).

Human Development and Aging Study Section, Center for Scientific Review (term 1997-1999).

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation

Invited participant in the roundtable on measuring material hardship, February 20, 2002, Washington, D.C.

University of Texas

Population Research Center

Advisory Board, 2002-2006.

Sociology Department

Education area chair, 2004-2006; Post Tenure Review 2004-06, chair 2006-07. Executive Committee, 2006-2008.

Ohio State University

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

Survey Research Advisory Committee (1994-1996); Survey Research Advisory and Oversight Committee (1996-1999).

Department of Sociology

Committees: Grievance (1993-4); Faculty Salary Committee (1998-9), Research Laboratory (1993-4, 1995-6, 1998-9); Search Committee (1996-7); Criminology Search (Chair, 1994-5); Population, Health and Life Course Area Coordinator (1994-1999). Research and Awards Committee chair (1999-2000).

University of Illinois

Campus

Committees: Gerontology Advisory, Gerontology Minor Coordinating, Campus-wide Statistics Coordinating, Graduate College Statistics Program.

College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

LAS Dean's Task Force on Statistical Design and Methods, LAS Dean's Task Force on Social Science Computing.

College of Medicine

Committees: M-2 Coordinating, Medical Humanities and Social Sciences Academic Planning (Chair), Student Progress and Promotion, Faculty Senate.

Department of Sociology

Committees: Admissions and Awards (chair), Advisory, Curriculum, Grievance, Medical 00Sociology, Practicum, Research, Social Psychology.