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Education

1999 Ph.D, Sociology, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
1995 M.A., Sociology, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
1993 B.A., Sociology, Midwestern State University, Wichita Falls, TX

Areas of Specialization

Abortion, Adolescents, Contraception

Research Experience

2015 to present Principal Research Scientist, Guttmacher Institute, New York, NY
Mentor senior, mid-level and junior Research staff; serve as division point person on domestic abortion issues; development and administration of large scale surveys; analyze large, national-level data sets; write formal and informal summaries of data analysis; develop and implement survey sampling procedures; manage large research projects and budgets; develop research proposals; present findings to wide-ranging audiences

1999 to 2015 Senior Research Associate, Guttmacher Institute, New York, NY
Administration of large scale surveys; analyze large, national-level data sets; collect and analyze qualitative data; write formal and informal summaries of data analysis; conduct literature reviews; assist in development of survey instrument(s); develop and implement survey sampling procedures; manage large research projects and budgets; develop research proposals; present findings to wide-ranging audiences

1998-1999 Administrative Research Assistant, Office of the Provost, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
Research faculty personnel policies; co-ordinate and record faculty committee meetings; write technical summaries; web page construction.

Summer 1997 Survey Design Research Team Coordinator, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
Housing and Urban Development Grant for the Tulane/Xavier Campus Affiliates Program (CAP). Responsible for designing survey about welfare attitudes, use, and reform administered to housing development residents; organize and monitor focus group.

1996-1997 Research Assistant, Dept. of Sociology, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
Data analysis of large-scale and small-scale survey data; data entry; editing and "cleaning" of survey data; web page construction
Data sources used include the American Housing Survey, the Current Population Survey, the Eurobarometer, and the General Social Survey.

1995-1997 Statistical Consultant (Independent)
Data entry and data analysis of several small-scale surveys.

1995 Statistical Laboratory Consultant, Dept. of Sociology Tulane University, New Orleans,

LA

Assist students with SPSS programming, data analysis, and hardware problems.

1995 Survey Research Team Member, Newcomb College Center for Research on Women (NCCROW), Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
Grant provided by Nicholls University and the Newcomb Foundation for Survey of Women Voters in Louisiana. Survey design; survey administration (telephone interviews); data entry

Peer Reviewed Publications

"Changes in contraceptive use and service utilization before and after the Affordable Care Act" Bearak JM and Jones RK, *Women's Health Issues* (in press).

"Change and consistency in U.S. women's pregnancy attitudes and associations with contraceptive use" Jones, RK *Contraception*, 2017, doi: 10.1016.

"Characteristics and circumstances of US women who obtain very early and second-trimester abortions" Jones, RK and Jerman, J, PLOS ONE, 2017, doi:10.1371.

"Abortion incidence and service availability in the United States, 2014" Jones, RK and Jerman, J, Perspective on Sexual and Reproductive Health, 2017, 49(1), DOI: 10.1363/psrh.12015.

"Are uncertain fertility intentions a temporary or long-term outlook? Findings from a panel study" Jones RJ, Women's Health Issues, 2016, 27(1):21-28

""If I know I am on the pill and I get pregnant, it's an act of God": Women's views on fatalism, agency and pregnancy" Jones RJ, Frohwirth LF, Blades N, *Contraception*, 2016, 93(6):551-555.

"Health insurance coverage among women of reproductive age before and after implementation of the Affordable Care Act," Jones RJ and Sonfield A, *Contraception*, 2016, 93(5): 386-391.

"Using panel data to examine pregnancy attitudes over time" Väisänen H, Jones RJ. *International Journal of Population Studies*, 2015, 1(1):109-121.

"Using longitudinal data to understand changes in consistent contraceptive use" Jones RJ, Tapales A, Lindberg LD, Frost J. *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 2015, 47(3):131-139.

"Impact of the federal contraceptive coverage guarantee on out-of-pocket payments for contraceptives: 2014 update" Sonfield A, Tapales A, Jones RK, Finer LB. *Contraception*, 2015, 91(1):44-48

"Secondary measures of access to abortion services in the U.S., 2011-2012: gestation age limits, cost and harassment" Jerman J and Jones RK. *Women's Health Issues*, 2014, 24(4): 419-424.

"Pull and pray or extra protections: contraceptive strategies involving withdrawal among US adult women" Jones RK, Lindberg LD and Higgins JA. *Contraception*, 2014, 90(4): 416-421.

"Abortion incidence and service availability in the United States, 2011" Jones RK and Jerman J. *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 2014, 46(1): 3-14.

"Changes in out-of-pocket payments for contraception by privately insured women during implementation of the federal contraceptive coverage requirement" Finer LB, Sonfield A and Jones RK. *Contraception*, 2014, 89(2): 97–102.

“Denial of abortion because of provider gestational age limits in the United States” Ushma D. Upadhyay, Tracy A. Weitz, Rachel K. Jones, Rana E. Barar, Diana Greene Foster. *American Journal of Public Health*, 2013. (Published online ahead of print August 15, 2013: e1–e8. doi:10.2105/AJPH.2013.301378).

“How far did US women travel for abortion services in 2008?” Rachel K. Jones and Jenna Jerman. *Journal of Women’s Health*, 2013, 22(8):706-713.

“At what cost?: payment for abortion care by U.S. women” Rachel K. Jones, Ushma D. Upadhyay, and Tracy A. Weitz, *Women’s Health Issues*, 2013, 23(3):e173-e178.

“More than poverty: Disruptive events among U.S. women having abortions” Rachel K. Jones, Lori F. Frohwirth and Ann Moore. *Journal of Family Planning and Reproductive Health Care*, 2012,38(4):36-43.

“Who has second-trimester abortions in the United States?” Rachel K. Jones and Lawrence B. Finer. *Contraception*, 2012, 85(6):544-51.

“Patients’ attitudes and experiences related to receiving contraception during abortion care,” Megan L. Kavanaugh, Elizabeth E. Carlin and Rachel K. Jones. *Contraception*, 2011, 84(6):585-93.

“Changes in abortion rates between 2000 and 2008 and lifetime incidence of abortion,” Rachel K. Jones and Megan K Kavanaugh, *Obstetrics and Gynecology*, 2011, 117(6):1358-1366.

“Perceived and Insurance-Related Barriers to the Provision of Contraceptive Services in US Abortion Care Settings.” Megan L. Kavanaugh, Rachel K. Jones and Lawrence B. Finer. *Women’s Health Issues*, 2011, 21(3 Suppl):S26-S31.

“Teens Reflect on Their Sources of Contraceptive Information.” Rachel K. Jones, Ann E. Biddlecom, Luciana Hebert and Ruth Milne. *Journal of Adolescent Research*, 2011, 26(4):423-446.

“The More Things Change…: The Relative Importance of the Internet as a Source of Contraceptive Information for Teens.” Rachel K. Jones and Ann E. Biddlecom, *Sexuality Research and Social Policy*, 8(1):27-37, 2011.

“Perceptions of Male Knowledge and Support Among U.S. Women Obtaining Abortions” Rachel K. Jones, Ann Moore and Lori F. Frohwirth, *Women’s Health Issues*, 21(2):117-23, 2011.

“Abortion Incidence and Access to Services in the United States, 2008” Rachel K. Jones and Kathryn Kooistra, *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 2011, 43(1):41-50.

“Teens, the Internet and Sexual Health Information." Rachel K. Jones and Ann E. Biddlecom. *Journal of Health Communication*, 16(2): 112-123, 2011.

“How Commonly do US Abortion Patients Report Attempts to Self-induce?” Rachel K. Jones, *American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology*, 204(1):23.e1-4, 2010.

“How Commonly do U.S. Abortion Clinics Offer Contraceptive Services?” Megan L. Kavanaugh, Rachel K. Jones and Lawrence B. Finer, *Contraception*, 82(4):331-336, 2010.

“Non-coital sexual activities among adolescents.” Laura D. Lindberg, Rachel K. Jones and John Santelli, *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 43(3):231-238, 2008.

“Abortion in the United States: Incidence and Access to Services, 2005.” Rachel K. Jones, Mia Zolna, Stanley Henshaw and Lawrence B. Finer, *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 40(1):6-16, 2008.

"I Would Want to Give My Child, Like, Everything in the World: How Issues of Motherhood Influence Women Who have Abortions." Rachel K. Jones, Lori Frohwirth and Ann M. Moore, *Journal of Family Issues*, (29)1:79-99, 2008.

"Problems with Reporting of Induced and Spontaneous Abortion in the 2002 National Survey of Family Growth." Rachel K. Jones and Kathryn Kost, *Studies in Family Planning*, 38(3):187-197, 2007.

"Do Family Planning Clinics Encourage Parent-Child Communication?" Rachel K. Jones, *Perspectives in Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 38(3):155-161, 2006.

"Parent-Child Relations among Minor Females Attending U.S. Family Planning Clinics" Rachel K. Jones, Susheela Singh and Alison Purcell, *Perspectives in Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 37(4): 192-201, 2005.

"Confidential Reproductive Health Care for Adolescents," Rachel K. Jones and Heather Boonstra, *Currently Opinions in Obstetrics and Gynecology*, 17(5):456-460, 2005.

"Religious Differentials in the Sexual and Reproductive Behaviors of Young Women in the U.S." Rachel K. Jones, Jacqueline E. Darroch and Susheela Singh, *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 36(4):279-288, 2005.

"Adolescents' Reports of Parental Knowledge of Adolescents' Use of Sexual Health Services and Their Reactions to Mandated Parental Notification for Prescription Contraception" Rachel K. Jones, Alison Purcell, Susheela Singh and Lawrence B. Finer, *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 293:340-348, 2005.

"Confidential Reproductive Health Services for Minors: The Potential Impact of Mandated Parental Involvement for Contraception" Rachel K. Jones and Heather Boonstra, *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 36(5), 2004.

"Contraceptive Use among Women Having Abortions," Rachel K. Jones, Jacqueline E. Darroch and Stanley K. Henshaw, *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 34(6):294-303, 2002.

"Patterns in the Socioeconomic Characteristics of Women Obtaining Abortions in 2000–2001," Rachel K. Jones, Jacqueline E. Darroch and Stanley K. Henshaw, *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 34(5): 226-235, 2002.

"Mifepristone for Early Medical Abortion: Experiences in France, Great Britain and Sweden," Rachel K. Jones and Stanley K. Henshaw. *Perspectives on Sexual and Reproductive Health*, 34(3): 154-161, 2002.

"Teenage and Sexual Reproductive Behavior in Developed Countries: Country Report for the United States." Jennifer Frost, Rachel Jones, Vanessa Woog, Susheela Singh, Jacqueline E. Darroch. Occasional Report, New York, The Alan Guttmacher Institute, November 2001, No 8.

"The Culture of Poverty and African American Culture: An Empirical Analysis," Rachel K. Jones and Ye Luo. *Sociological Perspectives* Vol. 42, #3 1999.

"Life's Greatest Joy?: European Attitudes Toward the Centrality of Children," Rachel K. Jones and April Brayfield, *Social Forces*, Vol. 75, No. 4 (June) 1997.

"Female Victim Perceptions of the Causes of Male Spouse Abuse," Rachel K. Jones, *Sociological Inquiry*, Vol. 63, No. 3 (August) 1993.

Book Chapters, Reports, and Other Publications

Time to Appointment and Delays in Accessing Care Among Abortion Patients. Rachel K. Jones and Jenna Jerman. New York, Guttmacher Institute, 2016.

Characteristics of U.S. Abortion Patients in 2014 and Changes Since 2014. Jenna Jerman, Rachel K. Jones & Tsuyoshi Onda. New York: Guttmacher Institute, 2016.

Abortion, Demography of: United States. Rachel K. Jones, 2015. In: James D. Wright (editor-in-chief), International Encyclopedia of the Social & Behavioral Sciences, 2nd edition, Vol 1. Oxford: Elsevier. pp. 1–5.

Countering Conventional Wisdom: New Evidence on Religion and Contraceptive Use. Rachel K. Jones and Joerge Dreweke. New York: Guttmacher Institute, 2011.

"Better than nothing or savvy risk-reduction practice?: The importance of withdrawal" Rachel K. Jones, Julie Fennell, Jenny Higgins and Kelly Blanchard, *Contraception*, 79(6):407-410, 2009.

"Trends in Abortion in the United States." Rachel K. Jones, Kathryn Kost, Susheela Singh, Stanley K. Henshaw and Lawrence B. Finer, *Clinical Obstetrics and Gynecology*, 52(2):119-129, 2009.

Repeat Abortion in the United States. Rachel K. Jones, Susheela Singh, Lawrence B. Finer and Lori Frohwirth. Occasional Report No. 29, November 2006, New York: the Guttmacher Institute.

"Associations Between Voluntary and Involuntary Forms of Perinatal Loss and Child Maltreatment Among Low Income Mothers," Rachel K. Jones, *Acta Paediatrica*, Volume 95(5):630-631, 2006 [letter written in response to Coleman et al., 2005, *Acta Pediatrica*, 95:1=8].

Darroch JE, Finer LB, Henshaw SK and Jones RK, 2003, A history of induced abortion in relation to substance abuse during subsequent pregnancies carried to term, *American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology* 189(2): 617–618 [letter in response to Coleman PK et al., 2002, *AJOG* 187(6): 1673–1678].

In Their Own Right: Addressing the Sexual and Reproductive Health Needs of American Men. 2002. New York: The Alan Guttmacher Institute.

Teenage Sexual and Reproductive Behavior in Developed Countries: Can More Progress Be Made? Jacqueline E. Darroch, Jennifer J. Frost, Susheela Singh and the Study Team. Occassional Report No. 3, November, 2001. New York: The Alan Guttmacher Institute.

"Harmonizing Work and Family in the European Union: The Structural Context of Public Perceptions of Children as an Obstacle to Women's Employment," April Brayfield, Rachel K. Jones, and Marina Adler. Forthcoming chapter in Women's Employment in a Comparative Perspective: Integrating Micro and Macro Approaches, Liset van Dijk and Tanja ven der Lippe (eds.) New York: Aldine de Gruyter. 2001.

Awards and Honors

2014 Honorable mention for the Gibbs Prize, which identifies the best articles published in *Women's Health Issues* (in 2013, see "At What Cost" in the above).

2009 Outstanding alumni award for the Prothro-Yeager College of Humanities and Social Science, Midwestern State University.

Professional Memberships

American Public Health Association
American Society of Reproductive Medicine
National Abortion Federation
Population Association of America
Society for Family Planning

Professional Activities

Presented at Grand Rounds (Family Medicine), Mount Sinai Hospital, New York, NY on May 12, 2017.
Presented at Grand Rounds (Obstetrics & Gynecology), University of San Francisco, San Francisco, California, April 11, 2017.
Guttmacher liaison to the Board of the National Abortion Federation, 2005 to present
Co-chair of the Scientific Paper Sessions, Annual Meeting of the National Abortion Federation, 2008 to present
Member of the Abortion Task Force of the American Public Health Association, 2011 to present
Access Symposium Planning Committee member, National Abortion Federation, 2011
Ad hoc member of the Social Sciences and Population Studies Study Section, NIH, April 2010 to February 2011.