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Education

- Dallas Senior High School (2000) Dallas, PA.
- Northern Arizona University, B.A. (12/2006) Cultural Anthropology
- Northern Arizona University, M.A. (05/2008) Applied Medical Anthropology

Employment

- (2015-Present) *Senior Coordinator*, NAU
- (2008-2015) *Coordinator*, Department of Anthropology, NAU
- (2008) *Graduate Research Assistant*, Health Research Alliance of Arizona, NAU
- (2007) *Research Intern & Co-Investigator*, Flagstaff Medical Center, Departments of Pediatric and Perinatal Services and Professional Practice and Research, Flagstaff, AZ

Publications

1. Community Health Status Assessment, Navajo County, Arizona. (Arizona Health Facilities Authority/St. Luke's Health Initiative). January 2010. K. **Laurila** & R.T. Trotter. Published online via Navajo County Health Department <http://www.navajocountyaz.gov/pubhealth/pdfs/CHSA.pdf>
2. Weaving the Web: Evaluation Strategies for Successful Navigation of Native American Undergraduates in Research. (K. **Laurila**, J. Ingram, M.M. Briehl, R.T. Trotter) Council of Undergraduate Research Quarterly CURQ (Vol. 35. Number 3, Spring 2015) NIHMSID: 703426. PMID: PMC4671630.
3. Trotter II RT, **Laurila K**, Alberts D, Huenneke LF. A diagnostic evaluation model for complex research partnerships with community engagement: The partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention (NACP) model. Eval Program Plann. 2014 Sep 19;48C:10-20. doi: 10.1016/j.evalprogplan.2014.09.001. [Epub ahead of print] PubMed PMID: 25265164.
4. Huenneke, L. F., Stearns, D. M., Martinez, J. D., **Laurila, K.** (2017) Key Strategies for Building Research Capacity of University Faculty Members. Innovative Higher Education. doi: 10.007/s10755-017-9394-y.

Current Grant Support/Projects

1. Arizona State University Subcontract, Emirates Mars Mission
Emirates Mars Infrared Spectrometer/EMIRS, Edwards & Christensen (PIs), 2016-2023
Project Description: Development and launch of an interferometric thermal infrared spectrometer
Role: Senior Coordinator, NAU
2. NSF grant #: HRD 1461519, Robinson & Bauer (PIs), 09/15/2015–08/31/2020
Diné College STEM 2020 (TCUP ICE-TI)
Project Description: Design, implement, and assess new academic programs and services in STEM-related fields through place- and inquiry-based approaches.
Role: Evaluator
3. NIH grant #: 2U54CA143925-06, Alberts & Ingram (PIs), 09/01/2014-8/31/19
The Partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention (NACP)
Project Description: Reduce cancer health disparities among Native Americans.
Role: Evaluator

4. NIH grant #: 1R25GM102788-01, Ingram (PI), 9/15/2012-9/15/2017
Bridging Arizona Native American Students to Bachelor's Degrees
Project Description: Summer training program designed to offer tribal/community college students the opportunity to get hands on research experience.
Role: Evaluation Coordinator

Completed Grant Support/Projects

1. NIH grant #: 2U54CA143925-06, Huenneke (PI), 09/01/2015–08/31/2016
Administrative Training Supplement to NACP U54
Project Description: Expand the Scope & Increase Capacity of NAU's Undergraduate training programs.
Role: Evaluator
2. NIH grant #: 1P20MD006872-01, Sanderson (PI), 08/28/2012-02/28/2017
Center for American Indian Resilience (CAIR)
Project Description: Partner with American Indian communities to promote health and resilience.
Role: Evaluator
3. NIH grant #: 1T37MD008626-01, Propper & Schulz (PIs), 01/03/2014–12/31/2018
Native Americans Exploring Global Health Disparities, MHIRT T37
Project Description: Give students from health disparity populations an opportunity to participate in an international research experience.
Role: Evaluation Coordinator
4. NIH grant #: 2R25CA078447-11, Alberts (PI), 07/01/1998–08/31/2015
Cancer Prevention and Control Translational Research
Project Description: Train qualified candidates in a multidisciplinary environment focused on cancer prevention and control research.
Role: Evaluation Coordinator
5. NIH grant #: 1U54CA143925-01, Alberts & Huenneke (PIs), 09/29/2009-8/31/14
The Partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention (NACP) *previous funding cycle*
Project Description: Reduce cancer health disparities among Native Americans.
Role: Evaluation Coordinator
6. ABOR Technology Research Innovation Funds, Trotter (PI), 08/2008-07/2013
Arizona Board of Regents (ABOR) Clinical & Translation Science Institute
Project Description: Develop Clinical Translation Science graduate certificate program, and evaluation design for the submission of an NIH Clinical and Translation Science Award proposal.
Role: Education Coordinator

Professional Presentations

1. Society for Applied Anthropology Professional presentation: Pregnancy and Substance Abuse in the Flagstaff Community: The Identification of Referral Networks among Health Care Providers. Memphis, TN (March 2008)
2. Governor's Task Force on the Prevention of Perinatal Substance Abuse. Research findings presentation on Perinatal Substance Abuse Study. Phoenix, AZ (October 2007)
3. Evaluation models for transdisciplinary and cross-cultural collaboration: Addressing complex community engaged metrics and measures of success for Program Projects. (Poster) Robert T. Trotter II, Ph.D. & Kelly Laurila, MA, NIH, International Symposium on Minority Health & Health Disparities. National Harbor, MD. December 1, 2014.

4. Sunbelt XXXV: International Sunbelt Social Network Conference. *New Paradigms for the Evaluation and Assessment of Partnership Based Health Interventions*. Robert T. Trotter, II & Kelly Laurila. Northern Arizona University, Partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention. (June 26, 2015)
5. *Partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention: The Evaluation Process for Three Unique Cancer Outreach Programs*, Native Research Network Conference. Kelly Laurila, MA, Robert T. Trotter, II, PhD, Alejandra Figueroa, MA (June 2014, Phoenix, AZ)
6. *Partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention: A Successful Model for Evaluation Staffing, Data Management and Reporting for a Multidimensional Partnership*. American Evaluation Association/ Evaluation Management in the Early 21st Century. Kelly Laurila, Alejandra Figueroa Flores, Robert T. Trotter. (Oct. 19, 2013, Washington DC)
7. *An evaluation model for research partnerships with community engagement: The Partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention*. 2015 NACP Summer Research Conference. Robert T. Trotter, II, PhD, Kelly Laurila, MA, & Laurie Rogers, MA. Westin La Paloma Resort, Tucson AZ. July 2015.
8. American Evaluation Association. *Learning How to Bend, not Break: Evaluation Challenges & Innovative Approaches to Problem Solving*. (Poster) Kelly Laurila, Robert T. Trotter. (Oct. 2015, Denver, CO)
9. *Belonging and Inclusion institutional culture and support*. Workforce diversity symposium. Priscilla R. Sanderson, PhD, CRC, Darold H. Joseph, ABD, M.Ed., Kelly Laurila, M.A. Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ. April 2016
10. *Evaluation Models for Community-Engaged, Culturally Diverse Health Research Partnerships & Programs*. Workforce diversity symposium. Robert Trotter, PhD & Kelly Laurila, M.A., Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, AZ. April 2016
11. *Communication & Evaluation Strategies: Partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention*. Jani C. Ingram, PhD, Dave Alberts, MD & Kelly Laurila, MA. National Cancer Institute (NCI) Center to Reduce Cancer Health Disparities (CRCHD) Investigators Workshop. Rockville, MD, June 2016.
12. *Developing a Student Tracking System for Reporting Student Outcomes & Program Impact – Tips for successful tracking with limited resources* (Talk) Topical interest group: Assessment in Higher Education, Kelly Laurila, M.A., Alejandra Figueroa, M.A., Laurie Rogers, M.A., & Robert T. Trotter II, PhD
13. *Asset-Based Mentoring: Best Practices from the Center for American Indian Resilience*. Session: Faculty, Administration, and Institutional Culture in Higher Education. R. Garciaguirre, K. Laurila and L. Rogers. Society for Applied Anthropology Meeting, March 29, 2017, Santa Fe, NM.

Guest Lectures/Teaching

- Guest Lectures- *Program Evaluation*. Clinical Leadership and Administration: CPH 696i. MD/MPH Program. College of Medicine, Phoenix. Robert Trotter, PhD & Kelly Laurila, M.A. (August 2012 & August 2013) College of Medicine, Phoenix.
- Guest Lecture-*Participatory Evaluation*. E. Hunt, MPH & Kelly Laurila, MA. Summer Research Enhancement Program. Diné College, Tsalie, AZ. June 6, 2016.
- Guest Lecture- *Program Evaluation: Partnership for Native American Cancer Prevention*. PSY 698, Northern Arizona University. Spring 2016.