

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION:

- Sep 1979 – Jun 1984 **MB** in Medicine
School of Medicine
Anhui Medical University, China
- Sep 1984 – Jun 1987 **MS** in Clinical Epidemiology
School of Health Services Management,
Anhui Medical University, China.
- Jul 1990 – Jun 1991 World Health Organization Fellow
School of Medicine and Health Sciences
University of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, England, UK.
- May - Jun 1993 Visiting Research Fellow, Division on Aging
Harvard University Medical School
Boston, Massachusetts, USA.
- Jul 1993 – Jan 1997 **Ph.D.** in Epidemiology and Public Health,
School of Epidemiology and Health Sciences,
University of Manchester Medical School, England, UK.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Jan. 2004 – present: Associate Professor (Tenure-Track), Division of Epidemiology, School of Public Health, University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, Houston, TX.

May 2000 – Dec. 2003: Associate Member of the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, and Fellow of the Sealy Center on Aging, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX.

Feb. 2000 – Dec. 2003: Assistant Professor (adjunct), Department of Preventive Medicine and Community Health, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, Texas.

Sep. 2000 – Dec. 2003: Assistant Professor (Tenure-Track), Department of Internal Medicine, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, Texas.

Jul. 1999 – Aug. 2000: Assistant Professor (Non Tenure-Track), Department of Internal Medicine, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, Texas.

Feb. 1997 – Jun. 1999: Postdoctoral Fellow and Epidemiologist, Sealy Center on Aging, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, Texas, USA.

Jul. 1993 – Jan. 1997: Research fellow, and Ph.D. candidate, East Lancashire stroke prevention project, School of Epidemiology and Health Sciences, University of Manchester Medical School, England.

Jul. 1993 – Jun. 1995: Clinical Research Fellow, Manchester Center, International Case-Control Study of Low-dose Oral Contraceptives and Women's Health, University of Manchester Medical School, England.

May – Jun. 1993: Visiting Research Fellow, Division on Aging, Harvard University Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.

Jul. 1990 – Apr. 1993: World Health Organization Fellow and Research fellow, The Assessment of Outcomes of Health Care in the Elderly, Departments of Medicine (Geriatrics), and Public Health and Epidemiology, University of Newcastle upon Tyne, England.

Sep. 1987 – Jun. 1990: Instructor, Department of Social Medicine and Clinical Epidemiology, Anhui Medical University, China.

Sep. 1984 – Jun. 1987: Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Social Medicine and Clinical Epidemiology, Anhui Medical University, China.

HONORS AND AWARDS:

World Health Organization Fellowship Award (1990-1991)
International Epidemiology Association Travel Scholarship Award (1996)
First prize award, poster presentations, Health Services and Outcomes Research Conference, M.D. Anderson Cancer Centre, Houston, November 3 (2000).
Excellence in Research Award, Univ. of Texas School of Public Health, Houston, 2004.
Excellence in Research Award, Univ. of Texas School of Public Health, Houston, 2005.
Excellence in Research Award, Univ. of Texas School of Public Health, Houston, 2006.
Excellence in Research Award, Univ. of Texas School of Public Health, Houston, 2007.
Best abstract award (selected from over 1,600), paper entitled "Racial Disparities and Socioeconomic Status in Association with Survival in Older Men with Local/Regional Stage Prostate Cancer" presented at the AcademyHealth Annual Research Meeting, 2006, Seattle, WA.

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES:

Member of the British Society for Social Medicine (1996-2001)
Member of the American Association for Health Services Research (1998)
Member of the American Society for Epidemiologic Research (1998-2004)
Member of the Gerontological Society of America (1999-2003)
Member of the Academy for Health Services Research (2005-present)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES OUTSIDE THE INSTITUTION:

Services and Committees Outside the Institution

	Name of the Committee/Service	Role	Date of Service
1.	Clinical Medicine Section of the Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting	Reviewer of the Abstracts	2001-2003
2.	Cancer Poster Session of the Gerontological Society of America 54 th Annual Scientific Meeting in Chicago, November 2001	Chair of the Session	2001
3.	Gerontological Society of America 54 th Annual Scientific Meeting in Chicago, November 2001 - Three sessions (End-of-Life, Pain, and Physical Function).	Chair of the 3 sessions	2001
4.	American Public Health Association (APHA) Annual Scientific Meeting	Reviewer of the Abstracts	2005, 2007, 2008
5.	Research Advisory Panel, VA Parkinson's Disease Research, Education and Clinical Center (PADRECC) at Houston, VA Medical Center and Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas	Member of the Advisory Panel	March 2006 - present
6.	Texas Cancer Data Work Group (TCDWG), Texas Cancer Registry, Texas Department of State Health Services	Member	July 2007 - present
7.	The Open Health Services & Policy Journal	Member of Editorial Board	November 2007 - present

Reviewer for the Peer-Reviewed Medical Journals:

	Name of the Peer-Reviewed Journals	Year of Service
1.	<i>Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health</i>	1996 - present
2.	<i>American Journal of Managed Care</i>	1997 - present
3.	<i>Journal of Aging and Health</i>	1997 - present
4.	<i>Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved</i>	1997 - present
5.	<i>Medical Care</i>	1999 - present
6.	<i>Cancer</i>	1999 - present
7.	<i>Bio-Med Central Cancer</i>	1999 - present
8.	<i>Annals of Epidemiology</i>	2000 - present
9.	<i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i>	2000 - present
10.	<i>Journal of Clinical Oncology</i>	2000 - present
11.	<i>Drugs & Aging</i>	2001 - present
12.	<i>Public Library of Science</i>	2001 - present
13.	<i>American Journal of Public Health</i>	2004 - present
14.	<i>Journal of the National Cancer Institute</i>	2005 - present
15.	<i>International Journal of Gynecological Cancer</i>	2006 - present
16.	<i>Women's Health Issues</i>	2006 - present
17.	<i>Joint Commission Journal on Quality and Patient Safety</i>	2007 - present
18.	<i>International Journal of Radiation Oncology, Biology, Physics</i>	2007 - present
19.	<i>The Open Health Services & Policy Journal</i> (Editorial Advisory Board Member)	2007 - present

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| 20. <i>Nature: Clinical Practice Oncology</i> | 2007 - present |
| 21. <i>Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention</i> | 2007 - present |
| 22. <i>Social Science & Medicine</i> | 2008 - present |

INSTITUTIONAL COMMITTEES AND COMMUNITY SERVICES:

	Name of the Committee/Service	Role	Term/Date of Service
1.	Rehabilitation Science Core Faculty Committee, University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston	Member	March 2002 - Dec. 2003
2.	Admissions Triage Committee, Division of Epidemiology, University of Texas School of Public Health at Houston	Member	July, 2004 - present
3.	Curriculum Committee, Division of Epidemiology, University of Texas School of Public Health at Houston	Member	December, 2004 - present
4.	Faculty Search Committee for Health Services and Outcomes, Division of Management, Policy and Community Health, UT-SPH	Member	2005
5.	Search Committee for Administrative Service Officer (ASO-III), Division of Epidemiology, UT-SPH	Member	August-October 2006
6.	Sub-Committee on Teaching Assistant (TA) Allocation for Epidemiology Courses, Division of Epidemiology, UT-SPH	Member	July-August 2006
7.	Advisory Committee of the UT-SPH Cancer Prevention & Control Training & Career Development Program	Member	April 2007 - present
8.	IRB (Institutional Review Board) Committee (Committee for the Protection of Human Subjects) of the University of Texas Health Science Center in Houston	Member	September 2007 - present (one year term)
9.	Faculty Development Leave Committee, University of Texas School of Public Health at Houston	Member	September 2007 - present
10.	Peer Review Panel of the UTSPH for the PRIME (Pilot Research Investigations with Mentoring for Excellence) and Bridging and Near-Miss Grant Funds, University of Texas School of Public Health at Houston	Member	September 2007 - present (two years term)

TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES AT UTMB IN GALVESTON:

Class Teaching:

Co-Instructor, the course module PMCH6330 “Introduction to Epidemiology”, 1999 at UTMB.
 Co-Instructor, the course module PMCH6330 “Introduction to Epidemiology”, 2001 at UTMB.
 Co-Instructor, the course module PMCH6330 “Introduction to Epidemiology”, 2002 at UTMB.
 Co-Instructor, the course module PMCH6330 “Introduction to Epidemiology”, 2003 at UTMB.
 Guest Lecturer, the course module PMCH6330 “Introduction to Epidemiology”, 2004 at UTMB.
 Lead Instructor: Module PMCH6215 “Epidemiologic Research Using Large Public Databases”,

Spring Semester 2002 (a new course created and taught) at UTMB.
 Lead Instructor: Module PMCH6215 “Epidemiologic Research Using Large Public Databases”,
 Fall Semester, 2003 at UTMB.

Mentoring and Committee Advising:

Mentor, for a second year clinical geriatric fellow, 1999.
 Mentor, for a first year medical student on the Summer Medical Research Project, 2000.
 Mentor, for a postdoctoral fellow (Max E. Otiniano, MD, MPH) on the minority aging projects, March 2001 – August 2002.
 Mentor, for a geriatric and oncology fellow (Cynthia Osborne, MD) on the breast cancer research, August 2001 – July 2002.
 Mentor, for a clinical oncologist (Dennie V. Jones, MD) working on the NIH minority supplement grant, March 2002 – December 2003.

TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES AT UT-SPH IN HOUSTON:

Class Teaching:

	Course Number and Name	Role (% effort)	Semester/ Year	Number of students
1.	PH2711-Advanced Epidemiologic Methods II (guest lecture on the Cox survival analysis)	Guest Lecturer	Spring 2004	19
2.	PH2998-Epidemiologic Research Using Claims-Based Healthcare Data	Lead Instructor (100%)	Fall 2004	10
3.	PH2710-Advanced Epidemiologic Methods I	Co-Instructor (10%)	Fall 2004	44
4.	PH2610-Introduction to Epidemiology	Guest Lecturer	Fall 2004	85
5.	PMCH6215-Introduction to Epidemiology, UTMB	Guest Lecturer	Fall 2004	25
6.	PH2710-Advanced Epidemiologic Methods I	Co-Instructor (10%)	Spring 2005	18
7.	PH2711-Advanced Epidemiologic Methods II (lecture on the Cox survival project)	Guest Lecturer	Spring 2005	20
8.	PH2998-Epidemiologic Study Using Claims-Based Healthcare Data	Lead Instructor (100%)	Fall 2005	10
9.	PH2710-Advanced Epidemiologic Methods I	Guest Lecturer	Fall 2005	20
10.	PH2710-Advanced Epidemiologic Methods I	Co-Instructor (5%)	Spring 2006	24
11.	PH2610- Introduction to Epidemiology	Lead Instructor (100%)	Summer 2006	8
12.	PH2710-Advanced Epidemiologic Methods I	Co-Instructor (5%)	Spring 2007	32
13.	PH2610- Introduction to Epidemiology	Lead Instructor (100%)	Summer 2007	12
14.	PH2612 – Introduction to Epidemiology for Majors	Lead Instructor (100%)	Fall 2007	41
15.	PH2710-Advanced Epidemiologic Methods I	Co-Instructor (5%)	Spring 2008	42

**Individual Study (PH2999), Practicum (PH9997), Thesis (PH9998)/Dissertation (PH9999)
 Research:**

1. Yan Xing (PhD student) (3 hrs), Individual Study in Summer 2004.
2. Shenying Fang (PhD student) (3 hrs), Practicum in Fall 2004.
3. Liqian Liu (MS student) (1 hr), Individual Study in Summer 2005.
4. Nidhi Rohatgi (MS student) (3 hrs), Individual Study in Summer 2005.

5. Matthew Shim (PhD student) (4 hrs), Individual Study in Summer 2005.
6. Nidhi Rohatgi (MS student) (2 hrs), Thesis Research in Fall 2005.
7. Evette Toney (PhD student) (1 hr), Individual Study in Fall 2005.
8. Dale Hardy (PhD student) (2 hrs), Individual Study in Fall 2005.
9. Laurens Holmes (DrPH student) (1 hr), Individual Study in Spring 2006.
10. Evette Toney (PhD student) (5 hrs), Individual Study in Spring 2006.
11. Amit Habbu (MPH student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research in Spring 2006.
12. Nidhi Rohatgi (MS student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research in Spring 2006.
13. Laurens Holmes (DrPH student) (1 hr), Dissertation Research, Spring 2006.
14. Laurens Holmes (DrPH student) (1 hr), Dissertation Research, Summer 2006.
15. Shenying Fang (PhD student) (4 hrs), Practicum, Fall 2006.
16. Ravi Chopra (MS student) (3 hrs), Practicum, Fall 2006.
17. Michelle Lacour (MPH student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research, Fall 2006.
18. David Yang (MPH student) (3 hrs), Practicum, Spring 2007.
19. Michelle Lacour (MPH student) (3 hrs), Practicum, Spring 2007.
20. Emily Bettis (MPH student) (3 hrs), Practicum, Spring 2007.
21. Michelle Lacour (MPH student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research, Spring 2007.
22. Yi Min (PhD student) (2 hrs), Individual Study, Summer 2007.
23. Stephen K. Gruschkus (PhD student) (2 hrs), Individual Study, Summer 2007.
24. David Yang (MPH student) (1 hr), Individual Study, Summer 2007.
25. Jessica Sun (PhD student) (2 hrs), Individual Study, Summer 2007.
26. Sachin Kamble (MPH student) (3 hrs), Practicum, Summer 2007.
27. Michelle Lacour (MPH student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research, Summer 2007.
28. Sachin Kamble (MPH student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research, Fall 2007.
29. Chung-Yuan Hu (PhD student) (1 hr), Practicum, Fall 2007.
30. Arica White (PhD student) (3 hrs), Individual Study, Fall 2007.
31. Ravi Chopra (MS student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research, Fall 2007.
32. Michelle Lacour (MPH student) (5 hrs), Thesis Research, Fall 2007.
33. Kavita Sail (PhD student) (3 hrs), Individual Study, Spring 2008.
34. Chung-Yuan Hu (PhD student) (3 hrs), Individual Study, Spring 2008.
35. Rui Xia (PhD student) (3 hrs), Individual Study, Spring 2008.
36. Arica White (PhD student) (1 hr), Individual Study, Spring 2008.
37. Robin Lacour (MPH student) (9 hrs), Thesis Research, Spring 2008.
38. Emily Bettis (MPH student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research, Spring 2008.
39. Sachin Kamble (MPH student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research, Spring 2008.
40. David Yang (MPH student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research, Spring 2008.
41. Ravi Chopper (MS student) (3 hrs), Thesis Research, Spring 2008.
42. Chung-Yuan Hu (PhD student) (3 hrs), Practicum, Spring 2008.

Member of the Academic/Dissertation Committees for Students:

1. Lu Mei, MSc in Biostatistics, Feb. 2004-Dec.2004 (graduated in 12/2004).
2. Hui Liu, MS in Biostatistics, Dec. 2004-Dec. 2005 (graduated in 12/2005).
3. Liqian Liu, MSc in Epidemiology, 2004-12. 2005 (graduated in 12/2005).
4. Kelly Merriman, PhD in epi (dissertation), Sep. 2004-Nov.2007 (graduated in 11/2007).
5. Yan Xing, PhD in Biostatistics, Sep. 2004-Aug. 2006 (passed quals).
6. Shenying Fang, PhD in Biostatistics, Dec. 2004-Mar. 2006 (passed quals)
7. Zhigang Duan, PhD in Biostatistics, Jan. 2005-Feb.2006 (passed quals).
8. Liz Ye Han, MPH in Biostatistics, 2004-March 2006 (graduated in 03/2006).
9. Catherine Gomez, MPH health promotion, 2004-present.
10. Prashant Gundre, MPH community health, 2004-(student left).
11. Xuemei Wang, PhD in Biostatistics, Oct. 2004- Aug. 2006 (passed quals).

12. Mai Pham, MPH in Health Service, 2005-present.
13. Julie Shaohua Beaver, MS in Biostatistics, 10. 2004-12. 2005 (graduated in Dec. 2005).
14. Rui Xia, MS in Biostatistics, Aug. 2005 – August 2007 (graduated in 08/2007).
15. Kai Sun, MS in Biostatistics, Aug. 2005-Aug. 2006 (graduated in Aug. 2006).
16. Tuan Vo, PhD in Epidemiology (dissertation), Jan. 2005-Aug. 2006 (graduated in Aug. 06).
17. Monawar Hosain, PhD in Epidemiology (dissertation), 2005-present.
18. Sandra Olfert, PhD in Epi (dissertation), 2005-Mar. 2006 (graduated in March 2006).
19. Desiree Jones, PhD in Epi (dissertation), 2005-May 2006 (graduated in May 2006).
20. Mala Pande, PhD in Epi (dissertation), 09/2006 – 11//2007 (graduated in 11/2007).
21. Yu-Feng Lin, DrPH in health services (dissertation), 10/2006 – present.
22. Kristina Walker, PhD in Epi (dissertation), 10/2006 – 07/2007.
23. Han Liu, PhD in molecular epi (from GSBS), 11/2006 – May 2007 (graduated MS 05/2007).
24. Ashwini Mhatre, MS in Epi, 11/2006 – present.
25. Javier P. Berrios-Rivera, MS in Epi, 01/2007 – present.
26. Min Yi, PhD in Biostatistics, 01/2007 – present.
27. Jun Liu, PhD in Biostatistics, 01/2007 – present.
28. Kaiyan Jing, MS in Biostatistics, 02/2007 – 03/2008 (graduated in 03/08).
29. Matthew Shim, PhD in epi (dissertation), 02/2007- 01/2008 (graduated in 01/2008).
30. Scott Stover, PhD in Health Policy and Management, 04/2007 - present.

Advisor of the Academic/Thesis or Dissertation Committees for Students:

1. Nidhi Rohatgi (MD), MS in epidemiology, Aug. 2004-May 2006 (graduated in May 2006).
2. Thanh Q. Tran, PhD in epidemiology, Aug. 2004-March 2007 (passed quals).
3. Amit Habbu (MD), MPH in Disease Control, Jan. 2005-June 2006 (left for residence training).
4. Judith Wendt, PhD in epidemiology, Jan. 2005-present.
5. Evette Toney, PhD in epidemiology, Jan. 2005-February 2006 (passed quals).
6. Laurence Holmes, DrPH in epidemiology, Aug. 2004-Jan. 2006 (passed quals), and dissertation advisor/supervisor for DrPH in epidemiology (dissertation), Jan. 06-Aug. 06 (graduated 8/06).
7. Dale Hardy, PhD in Epidemiology (dissertation), June 2005-March 2006 (changed topic).
8. Ravi Chopra (MD), MS in epidemiology, Aug. 2005-present.
9. Beatrix Foldi (MD), PhD in epidemiology, Aug. 2005-present.
10. Nadia Baramani (MD), MS in epidemiology, Aug. 2005-present.
11. Michelle Lacour, MPH in Epi, Aug. 2005-Nov. 2007 (graduated in 11/2007).
12. Emily Bettis, MPH in epi, Jan. 2006-present.
13. Sachin Kamble (MD), MPH in epi, Jan. 2006-present.
14. Christian Gutierrez, PhD in epidemiology, June 2006-present.
15. Sarah Duong, MPH in epi, 8/22/06 – 07/2007 (transferred to San Antonio for MD/MPH).
16. David Yang, MPH in epi, 8/22/06 – present.
17. Chung-Yuan Hu, PhD in epi, 8/22/06 – 02/22/08(passed quals); dissertation advisor/supervisor for PhD in epidemiology (dissertation), 03/08-present.
18. Jonas De Souza (MD fellow), MS in epi, 1/3/07 – present.
19. Joyce Li (MD fellow), MPH in epi, 1/3/07 – present.
20. Robin A. Lacour (MD fellow), MPH in epi, 08/2006 (take over 07/2007) – present.
21. Larissa Meyer (MD fellow), MPH in epi, 08/21/07 – present.
22. Rita Sheth (MD fellow), MPH in epi, 08/21/07 – present.
23. Jessica Clague, PhD in epi, 08/21/07 – present.
24. Brady Moffett (PharmD), MPH in epi, 01/03/08 – present.
25. Brian Badgwell (MD fellow), MS in epi, 01/03/08 – present.

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES:

A. Major Areas of Research Interest

Clinical Epidemiology, Epidemiology of Cardiovascular Diseases, Epidemiology of Cancer, Health Services Research, Outcomes Research, Breast Cancer Outcomes Research, Nationwide Medicare Claims-Based Research, Disease Registries (cancer and stroke), Patterns of Care Studies, Disparities in Healthcare and Outcomes, Postmarketing Drug Surveillance of Adverse-Effects or Toxicities.

B. Research Grant Support:

Active Grants:

Project: “Postmarketing Surveillance of Toxicities Associated with Cancer Chemotherapy”

PI: Du, Xianglin L; Agency: AHRQ; Type: R01-HS016743;

Period: 04/01/07 – 03/31/11; Total cost: \$979,451; Effort: 30%.

Role: PI

Project: “Effective Surveillance Strategies for Melanoma Patients”

PI: Cormier, Janice N.; Agency: NIH/NCI; Type: R01-CA127328;

Period: 12/01/07 - 11/30/10; Total cost: \$878,508; Effort: 10%.

Role: Co-Investigator (PI for subcontract with the UT-MD Anderson Cancer Center at Houston)

Project: “Evaluating the Utilization of Screening for Hepatocellular Carcinoma”

PI: Jessica A. Davila; Agency: American Cancer Society; Type: RSGDB-07-010-01-CPHPS;

Period: 01/01/07 – 12/31/08; Total cost: \$352,000; Effort: 15%.

Role: Co-investigator (PI for subcontract with the Baylor College of Medicine at Houston)

Project: “Understanding Disparities in Cervical Cancer Survival”

PI: Ann Coker; Agency: NIH/NCI; Type: R21-CA114330;

Period: 04/01/05 - 03/31/07 (extended to 3/31/08); Total cost: \$392,769; Effort: 5%.

Role: Co-investigator

Project: “Batterer Psychological Profile--Preventing Partner Abuse”

PI: Ann Coker; Agency: CDC; Type: R49CE000606-03;

Period: 03/01/08 - 08/31/08; Total cost: \$285,941; Effort: 5.5%.

Role: Co-investigator (PI for subcontract with the University of Kentucky at Lexington)

Project: “Southwest Center for Occupational and Environmental Health”

PI: Sarah Felknor (Former PI: George Delclos); Agency: CDC; Type: 1T42OH008421;

Period: 07/01/05 - 06/30/10; Total Cost: \$1,263,791. Effort: 5%.

Role: Co-investigator

Grant Title: “Behavioral Science Education Cancer Prevention/Control”

PI: Mullen, Patricia at UT-School of Public Health; Agency: NIH/NCI;

Type: 5R25-CA057712-15; Period: 09/01/07 - 08/31/08; Total cost: \$ per year;

Effort: Serving on advisory board and mentor with no salary support.

Role: Advisory Committee Member and Mentor.

Grant Title: “Training of Academic Surgical Oncologists”

PI: Dr. Lee Ellis at UT-MD Anderson Cancer Center; Agency: NIH/NCI;

Type and Grant Number: 2T32-CA009599-20; Total cost: \$525,198 per year;

Period: 02/01/08 – 01/31/13; Effort: Serving as mentor with no salary support.

Role: Mentor.

Completed Grants:

Project: “Evaluation of Chemotherapy Claims for Breast Cancer”

PI: Xianglin Du; Agency: NIH/NCI; Type: R01-CA090626;

Period: 03/01/01-02/28/06; Total cost: \$704,025.

Effort: 50% average in 3/1/04-2/28/06.

Role: PI

Project: “Research Supplement for Underrepresented Minorities”

PI: Xianglin Du; Agency: NIH/NCI; Type: R01-CA090626-S1;

Period: 03/01/02-01/31/04; Total cost: \$316,394. (Note: This grant was to support Dennie Jones, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine in the Division of Oncology, Department of Internal Medicine to do clinical epidemiology and health service research, 50% of his efforts).

Role: PI

Project: “Impact of Axillary Dissection on Clinical Outcomes of Breast Cancer Surgery”

PI: Xianglin Du; Agency: U.S. Department of Defense; Type: DAMD17-99-1-9379;

Period: 06/01/99-06/31/01; Total cost: \$83,802. Effort: 20%.

Role: PI

Project: “Variations in Breast Cancer Treatment and Mortality”

PI: JS Goodwin; Agency: NIH/NCI; Type: R01-CA871773;

Period: 06/01/99-05/31/03; Total cost: \$1,129,632. Effort: 40%.

Role: Co-investigator

Project: “East Lancashire Stroke Prevention Project, England”

PI: JK Cruickshank; Agency: East Lancashire Health Authority, England;

Periods: 07/01/93-06/30/95; Total cost: \$50,000. Effort: 40%.

Role: Co-investigator

Project: “Health Services Research in Under-Served Populations”

PI: J.L. Freeman; Agency: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ);

Type: R24-HS11618; Period: 09/30/01-08/31/04.

Role: Core Faculty

Project: “NRSA Health of Older Minorities”

PI: J. S. Goodwin; Agency: NIH/NIA; Type: T32-AG00270; Period: 07/01/99-06/30/04.

Role: Core Faculty

PUBLICATIONS:

Articles in Peer-Reviewed Journals

1. Du XL. The Status quo and reform of health centres. Journal of Chinese Rural Health Services Administration. 1984;3(4):17-19.

2. Du XL, Zu S, Zhu A. Assessment of activities of daily living in the elderly. Chinese Journal of Gerontology. 1988;8(3):163-166.

3. Du XL, Zhu A, Zu S. Active life expectancy in the elderly. Chinese Journal of Geriatrics. 1989;8(4):231-233.

4. Parker SG, **Du XL**, Bardsley MJ, Goodfellow J, Cooper RG, Cleary R, Broughton D, Striet C, James OFW. Measuring outcomes in care of the elderly. Journal of the Royal College of Physicians of London. 1994;28:428-433.
5. Du XL, Cruickshank K, McNamee R, Saraee M, Sourbutts J, Summers A, Roberts N, Walton E, Holmes S. Case-Control Study of Stroke and the Quality of Hypertension Control in North West England. BMJ. 1997;314:272-276.
6. Du XL, Sourbutts J, Cruickshank K, Summers A, Roberts N, Walton E, Holmes S. A community-based stroke register in a high risk area for stroke in north west England. Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health. 1997;51:472-478.
7. Du XL, Freeman JL, Goodwin JS. The declining use of axillary dissection in patients with early stage breast cancer. Breast Cancer Research and Treatment. 1999;53(2):137-144.
8. Du XL, Freeman JL, Goodwin JS. Information on radiation treatment in patients with breast cancer: the advantages of the linked Medicare and SEER data. Journal of Clinical Epidemiology. 1999;52(5):463-470.
9. Du XL, Freeman JL, Freeman DH, Syblik DA, Goodwin JS. Temporal and regional variation in the use of breast conserving surgery and radiotherapy for older women with early stage breast cancer from 1983 to 1995. Journal of Gerontology (Medical Science). 1999;54(9):474-478.
10. Du XL. Prevalence, treatment, control and awareness of high blood pressure and the risk of stroke in north west England. Preventive Medicine. 2000;30(4):288-294.
11. Du XL, McNamee R, Cruickshank K. Stroke risk from multiple risk factors combined with hypertension: a primary care based case-control study in a defined population of northwest England. Annals of Epidemiology. 2000;10(6):380-388.
12. Du XL, Freeman DH, Syblik DA. What drove changes in the use of breast conserving surgery for breast cancer since the early 1980s? The role of the clinical trial, celebrity action and an NIH consensus statement. Breast Cancer Research and Treatment. 2000;62(1):71-79.
13. Du XL, Freeman JL, Warren JL, Nattinger AB, Zhang D, Goodwin JS. Accuracy and completeness of Medicare claims data for surgical treatment of breast cancer. Medical Care. 2000;38(7):719-727.
14. Du XL, Goodwin JS. Patterns of use of chemotherapy for breast cancer in older women: Findings from Medicare claims data. Journal of Clinical Oncology. 2001;19(5):1455-1461.
15. Du XL, Goodwin JS. Increase of chemotherapy use in older women with breast carcinoma from 1991 to 1996. Cancer. 2001 ;92(4):730-737.
- *16. Otiniano ME, Black SA, Ray LA, **Du XL**, Markides KS. Correlates of diabetic complications in Mexican American elders. Ethnicity and Disease. 2002;12(2):252-258.
- *17. Otiniano ME, Lorimor R, MacDonald E, **Du XL**. Common fraud experienced by the elderly: Findings from a 1998 survey in Houston, Texas. Texas Medicine. 2002;98(10):46-50.
18. Du XL, Freeman JL, Nattinger AB, Goodwin JS. Survival of women after breast conserving surgery for early stage breast cancer. Breast Cancer Research and Treatment. 2002;72(1):23-31.

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2. In September 2002, the U.S. Department of Defense Era of Hope National Breast Cancer Program meeting issued a press release for my research project funded by this program, entitled “Axillary dissection and survival of women after breast-conserving surgery for early-stage breast cancer”. Several radio news stations and medical news magazines, including *Ivanhoe Broadcast News, Inc., and International Medical News*, reported the findings. It was also highlighted in the UTMB Newsletter *Impact* on December 16, 2002.

3. In January 2003, the American College of Physicians and *Annals of Internal Medicine* issued a press release regarding our article that was published in *Annals of Internal Medicine*, January 21st issue, 2003 (Du XL, Key CR, Osborne C, Mahnken JD, Goodwin JS. Discrepancy between consensus recommendations and actual community use of adjuvant chemotherapy in women with breast cancer. *Ann Intern Med*. 2003;138:90-97). The UTMB Public Affairs Office also issued a longer press release regarding this article. The NBC and ABC television news, CNN headline news, New York Times (January 28, 2003), and TIME Magazine (February 3, 2003) etc., reported the findings.

4. An internationally renowned oncology researcher, Dr. L. Balducci, was invited by the Journal editors for writing an editorial specifically on our research article published in the September issue of 2005 in the *Journal of Gerontology (Medical Science)*, an official journal of the Gerontologic Society of America. This editorial praised the important contributions of our research. In his editorial, Dr. Balducci wrote “Du and colleagues have provided an important contribution to the field by: (a) demonstrating that adjuvant chemotherapy does not have a substantial impact in breast cancer-related mortality for women aged 70 and older; and (b) providing a demonstration of a very creative use of the SEER-Medicare database.”

5. In February 2006, the official journal of the American Cancer Society *Cancer* issued a press release for our article (Du XL, Fang S, Coker AL, Sanderson M, Aragaki C, Cormier JN, Xing Y, Gor BJ, Chan W. Racial Disparity and Socioeconomic Status in Association with Survival in Older Men with Local/Regional Stage Prostate Carcinoma: Findings From a Large Community-Based Cohort. *Cancer*. Published Online: February 13, 2006. Print Issue Date: March 15, 2006). The widely used wire service HEALTHDAY today and Prostate Cancer Foundation reported the findings entitled “Poverty Behind Poor Prostate Cancer Outcomes in Black Men” By Meryl Hyman Harris on February 13, 2006. The findings were also reported in WebMD (2/13/06), medpageTODAY (2/13/06), Urology Times (2/16/06), Patient Health International (2/20/06), and Physician’s Weekly (June 5, 2006).

6. The abstract entitled “Racial Disparities and Socioeconomic Status in Association with Survival in Older Men with Local/Regional Stage Prostate Cancer” by Du and colleagues at the UT School of Public Health has been selected for the best abstracts award (out of 1,646 abstract submissions) at the Annual Conference of the national AcademyHealth on June 25-27, 2006, in Seattle, WA. AcademyHealth is a leading international professional society for advancing research, policy and practice, and a premier forum for health services research and for Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ). The detail is available at <http://www.academyhealth.org/arm/awards/abstracts.htm>. The authors were invited to present the paper at a special session together with the article of the year.

7. In April 23, 2007, the official journal of the American Cancer Society *Cancer* issued a press release for our article (Du XL, Meyer TE, Franzini L. Meta-Analysis of Racial Disparities in Survival in Association with Socioeconomic Status among Men and Women with Colon Cancer. *Cancer*. Published Online: April 23, 2007. Print Issue Date: June 1, 2007). The findings were also reported in ScienceDaily.com (4/23/07), ASPH (Association of Schools of Public Health) Friday Letter (4/27/07), WebMD, ACS (American

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