Chantal A. Hailey

EMPLOYMENT

2020-Present University of Texas-Austin, Department of Sociology

Assistant Professor

Faculty Affiliate, African and African Diaspora Studies Department

Faculty Research Associate, Population Research Center Research Affiliate, Research Alliance for NYC Schools

2011-2014 Urban Institute, Metropolitan Housing and Communities Center

Research Associate

EDUCATION

2020 PhD, Sociology, New York University

Ford Dissertation Fellow

Institute for Education Sciences-funded Pre-doctoral Interdisciplinary Research

Training Fellow

National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellow

Dissertation: "Choosing Schools, Choosing Safety: The Role of School Safety in

School Choice"

Committee: Jennifer Jennings (Chair), Mike Hout, Patrick Sharkey, Carla Shedd,

Sean Corcoran

2011 Bachelor of Arts in Sociology, Howard University

JOURNAL ARTICLES

Forthcoming Hall, Todd*, **Chantal Hailey**, Jeremy Prim*, Janeria Easley. Racial Disparities and Black Parents' School Preferences: Evidence from a Survey Experiment. *The Urban Review. Special Issue on Revisiting the Children's Defense Fund Report* -

School Suspensions: Are They Helping Children?

Hailey, Chantal A. and Brittany Murray. ** "Disentangling the Threat:

Experimental Evidence on White Parents' Racialized Perceptions of Multiple

Dimensions School Safety" Socius

2025 Hailey, Chantal A. "Choosing Schools, Choosing Safety? School Safety in NYC

Students' School Choices" AERA-OPEN

American Sociological Association Section on Inequality, Poverty and Mobility:

Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Award, 2018

2025 Hailey, Chantal A. "Racialized Prisms: New Experimental Evidence on

Families' Perceptions of School Safety" Social Forces

Press: Washington Post, Chalkbeat

- Murray, Brittany and **Chantal A. Hailey.**** "Missing the Forrest for the Trees: Toward a Networked Racial Analysis of Nice White Parents in Education Policy and Research" *Educational Researcher*
- Hailey, Chantal A., Brittany Murray, Rachel Boggs*, Jalisa Broussard*, Milani Flores*, "Unmasking Racial Avoidance: Experimental Evidence on Parental School Choice and Public Health Policies" Social Science Medicine
- 2022 **Hailey**, **Chantal A.** "Racialized Perceptions of Anticipated Belonging"

 Educational Policy, Special Issue on Racialized Perceptions of School Quality

 Press: The Conversation, Houston Chronicle, San Antonio Express
- Hailey, Chantal A. "Racial Preferences for Schools: Evidence from an Experiment with White, Black, Latinx, and Asian Parents and Students" Sociology of Education; Sociology of Education Association, Best Paper Award 2022 Selected Press: The New York Times, New York Daily News, Chalkbeat, Integrated Schools Podcast, City Journal, Politico, Journal of Blacks in Higher Education, California Research Bureau Studies in the News, The Conversation, Houston Chronicle, San Antonio Express, Seattle Post Intelligencer
- 2019 Popkin, Susan, **Chantal A. Hailey**, Janine Zweig, Nan Astone, Reed Jordan, Leah Gordon, and Jay Silverman. "Coercive Sexual Environments: Development and Validation of a Scale" *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*
- 2018 Sattin-Bajaj, Carolyn, Jennifer Jennings, Sean Patrick Corcoran, Elizabeth Christine Baker-Smith, **Chantal A. Hailey**. "Surviving at the Street-Level: How Counselors' Implementation of School Choice Policy Shapes Students' High School Destinations" *Sociology of Education*
- Popkin, Susan, Janine Zweig, Nan Astone, Reed Jordan, **Chantal A. Hailey**, Leah Gordon, and Jay Silverman. "Coercive Sexual Environments: Exploring the linkages to mental health in public housing" *Cityscape: A Journal of Policy Development and Research*

WORKING PAPERS

Candipan, Jennifer and **Chantal A. Hailey**** Widening Disparities in Changing Places: The Relationship between Changing Racial Demographics of Neighborhoods and Racial Disparities in School Discipline. *Revise and Resubmit*

Hailey, Chantal A. But is it Good for Black Students?: An Analysis of NYC Black Families' School Choices. *Under Review*

Rene Crespin and **Chantal A. Hailey**. Preferences for Academic and Non-Academic School Information: Evidence from NYC Families' Ranked Lists of School.

Hailey, Chantal A. No Quick Fix: Experimental Evidence on the Effects of School Safety Information on Racialized Perceptions and Preferences for Schools.

*Undergraduate or Graduate Student at Time of Writing ** Equal Authorship

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, & AWARDS

Computational Scholar
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2014-19 2014-19 2011 2011 2009	Dean's Fellowship, New York University (\$20,000) MacCracken Doctoral Fellowship, New York University (\$130,000) College of Arts and Science Top Social Science Thesis, Howard University Phi Beta Kappa, Howard University Ronald E. McNair Post-Baccalaureate Achievement Scholar, Howard University
POLICY AD 2025	VISING AND PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT "Exploring Race, Education and Belonging" Dimensions of Diversity Podcast
2024	Magruder Project Storytelling and Reparations Consultant
2024	NYC DOE High School Admissions Likelihood of Admissions Tool District Consultant
2024	NYC High School Admissions 20 th Anniversary Conference Planning Committee Press: Chalkbeat, Fordham Law News
2024	Keynote Luncheon Screening and Conversation with Chris L. Jenkins on "Shame of Chicago: The Segregation of an American City" Festival of the Diaspora (Rio de Janeiro), Invited Moderator
2023-present	Travis County Transformation Project Strategic Research Consultant Press: Austin American-Statesman, KXAN Austin, The Austin Chronicle, Restorative Houston, Texas Judicial Commission on Mental Health Reimagining Justice Podcast
2023	Ed Policy Chat: School Resegregation Center for Racial Equity in Education, Davidson College, Invited Panelist Press: EducationNC, Down Home North Carolina
2023	Angela Glover Blackwell, Darrick Hamilton, Kilolo Kijakazi in Conversation on "Achieving a Multi-Racial Democracy" The Policy Academies, Invited Panel Moderator
2023	"Pan-African Progress: Combating Gentrification & Empowering Communities" Pan African Connection and ONU Ventures, Invited Panelist
2023	"Unpacking Race-based School Choices in NYC" Research Alliance for NYC Schools Stakeholder Meeting, Invited Speaker
2022	"The Future of First Generation" The Chronicle of Higher Education Panel, South x Southwest Edu Conference, Invited Panelist

2022	"Lessons Learned from NYC School Choice Research" New York City High School Application Advisory Council, Invited Talk with NYC DOE Chancellor
2022	"Unpacking Race-based School Choices in NYC" New York City Department of Education, Invited Talk New York City High School Application Advisory Council, Invited Talk
2022	"Examining Anti-Blackness: A Multiracial Parent Roundtable" Integrated Schools Podcast [Parent Discussion of Research]
2022	" <u>Unpacking the Racial Hierarchy in School Choices</u> " <i>Integrated Schools Podcast</i> [Interviewed]
2022	"Book Bans are about more than Books. It Bans Students' Exposure to Marginalized Others" Visible Magazine, September 27, 2022
2022	"Centering Student Voice Provides Cautious Optimism about the Future of Racial Segregation" The Society Pages, The Council of Contemporary Families, September 20, 2022
	Reprinted in book <i>Families as They Really Are (3rd Edition)</i> . WW Norton and Company.
2022	"A scarcity mindset prohibits progress in NYC high school admissions" (Co-Authored with Nyah Berg and Karuna Patel from New York Appleseed and Fordham Law) New York Daily News Opinion, August 30, 2022
2022	"Desegregating schools requires more than giving parents free choices – a scholar studies the choices parents of all races make" <i>The Conversation</i> , May, 27, 2022
	Reprinted in <u>New Pittsburg Courier</u> , Yahoo! News, Houston Chronicle, San Antonio Express, Seattle Post Intelligencer, New Canaan Advertiser, The Darien Times, Shelton Herald, Global Advisors, KULR, Bozeman Daily Chronicle, Idaho Press, Newsbreak
2022	"How families choose NYC schools, in Black, Brown, White and Asian" New York Daily News Opinion, Jan 23, 202
	Reprinted in <u>Texas Perspectives</u> , Jan 25,2022
2022	"Study: Common school ratings biased, often inaccurate" Chalkbeat, January 24, 2022 [interviewed]

2021	"U.S. News' school rankings gain local traction, but could fuel segregation" Chalkbeat. October 26, 2021[interviewed]
2021	"Causes of Contemporary School Racial Segregation" HER FLOWERS: Know Your Rights Monthly Lecture, Invited Talk
2021	"Dr. Chantal Hailey on The Importance of Peer Mentorship in Doctoral Studies & Post-Academic Success" Cohort Sistas Podcast [interviewed]
2020	"Understanding COVID-19's impact on Schooling and Blue Lives Matter Crusade on Black Church" Spirit Groove at KHVN [interviewed]
2020	"Q&A: What is the Role of Social Science in Defunding the Police?" The Institute of Human Development and Social Change On the Ground.
2019	"Racialized School Choices and Perceptions of Safety: Multi-Racial Experimental Evidence from Parents and Students" New York City High School Application Advisory Council, Invited Talk
2018-Present	NYC High School Application Advisory Committee
2018	"Choice Alone is Not the Solution to School Segregation" New York University Institute of Human Development and Social Change 10 Year Anniversary Imagining the Future of Urban Education and Mental Health, Invited Talk
2016	"Sociology PhD 101: Careers in Professional Sociology, Graduate School Admissions, and Life as a Black Graduate Student." Howard University Department of Sociology, Invited Talk Spelman College and Morehouse College Department of Sociology, Invited Talk
2016	"The Conversation: Do HBCUs Matter?" Columbia University Teachers College, Invited Panelist
2013	"Helping families thrive: Lessons from Chicago's public housing transformation." Urban Wire, June 13, 2013.
	Reprinted in: <u>U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development PD&R Edge:</u> <u>An Online Magazine</u>
2013	"The Devastating Impact of Persistent Crime on Teens." The Atlantic Cities

BOOK REVIEWS, POLICY ANALYSIS REPORTS, OTHER WRITING

2022	"White, Asian, Latinx, and Black Families Express Race-Based School Preferences" Research Brief, Population Research Center, The University of Texas at Austin.	
	Reprinted by <i>The Society Pages, The Council of Contemporary Families</i>	
2018	Hailey, Chantal A . "Book Review of Live and Let Live: Diversity, Conflict, and Community in an Integrated Neighborhood by Evelyn M. Perry." <i>City & Community</i> 17:529-531.	
2015	The Urban Institute and MDRC. "Choice Neighborhoods: Baseline Conditions and Early Progress". U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development: Washington, DC.	
2014	Hailey, Chantal and Priya Saxena. "HOST —Helping Families, Building Community." Washington, DC.: Urban Institute.	
2013	The Urban Institute. "Developing Choice Neighborhoods: An Early Look at Implementation in Five Sites." U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development: Washington, DC.	
2013	Popkin, Susan J., Megan Gallagher, Chantal Hailey , Elizabeth Davies, Larry Buron and Christopher Hayes. "CHA Residents and the Plan for Transformation." Washington, DC.: Urban Institute	
2013	Hailey, Chantal and Megan Gallagher. "Chronic Violence: Beyond the Developments." Washington, DC.: Urban Institute	
2013	Buron, Larry, Christopher Hayes and Chantal Hailey . 2013. "An Improved Living Environment, but" Washington, DC.: Urban Institute	
2012	Popkin, Susan J., Jennifer Comey, Molly M. Scott, Elsa Falkenburger, Chantal Hailey and Amanda Mireles. "DC Promise Neighborhood Initiative: Needs Assessment and Segmentation Analysis." Washington, DC.: Urban Institute.	
CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED TALKS		
2025	No Quick Fix: Experimental Evidence on the Effects of School Safety Information on Racialized Perceptions and Preferences for Schools. Norte Dame, Center for Research on Educational Opportunities, Invited Talk American Sociology Association, Roundtable	
2025	"Parents' Perceptions and Preferences for Schools during the COVID-19 Pandemic: Evidence from a National Survey Experiment" AERA Conference, Invited Presidential Panel	

2024	"But is it Good for Black Students?: A QuantCrit Intersectional Analysis of Black Families' School Choices" Spelman College, Interdisciplinary Methods Workshop, Invited Talk Peachtree Ridge High School, AP African American Studies, Invited Talk
2023	"Racialized-Gendered Vulnerability: A QuantCrit Analysis of Black Families' School Choices" Columbia University, Center for the Study of Wealth and Inequality, Invited Talk American Sociology Association Annual Conference, Invited Panelist on "Black Youth Agency Across Social Contexts"
2023	"Reflecting on Education in the Philadelphia Negro" Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Conference, Invited Panelist
2023	"Beyond Black Marginality" American Sociology Association City and Community Series, Invited Panelist
2023	"Unmasking Racial Avoidance: Experimental Evidence on Parental School Choice and Public Health Policies" The Institute for Urban Policy Research and Analysis COVID-19 Symposium, Invited Panelist
2023	"Widening Disparities in Changing Places: The Relationship between Changing Racial Demographics of Neighborhoods and Racial Disparities in School Discipline" Population Association of America Annual Conference
2022	"Double Conscious when Choosing: A DuBoisain Framework on Black School Choice" Society for the Study of Social Problems Annual Meeting Association for the Study of African American Life and History Annual Conference
2022	"Using Experimental Data to Explore Heterogeneity in Parents' and Students' Racialized Assessments and Preferences for Schools" Princeton University, Education Research Seminar, Invited Talk Rice University, Department of Sociology, Invited Talk
2022	"Parents' Perceptions and Preferences for Schools during the COVID-19 Pandemic: Evidence from a National Survey Experiment" Sociology of Education Association Conference (presented with Rachel Boggs) Population Association of America Annual Conference Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Spring Conference AEFP (co-presented with Brittany Murray)

2022	"Post-Doctoral Experiences in Education Research" NYU Institute of Education Sciences-funded Predoctoral Interdisciplinary Research Training Proseminar, Invited Panelist
2022	"Education Faculty Showcase" University of Texas-Austin, Population Research Center, Invited Panelist
2021	"Using Experimental Data to Explore Heterogeneity in Parents' and Students' Racialized Assessments and Preferences for Schools" University of Texas-Austin, Population Research Center, Invited Talk American Sociological Association Annual Conference Association for Black Sociologist Annual Conference
2021	"Racialized Prisms: A Randomized Experiment on Families' Perceptions of Schools" University of Texas-Austin, Psychology Department, Social and Personality Area Meeting, Invited Talk University of Texas-Austin, Educational Policy and Planning Department Seminar, Invited Talk
2020	"Using Administrative Data and Survey Experiments-in-the-Field to Assess Families' School Preferences" Abt Associates Social and Economic Policy Methods Seminar, Invited Talk
2020	"Racialized Prisms: A Randomized Experiment on Families' Perceptions of Schools" University of California-Davis Center for Poverty & Inequality Research Seminar, Invited Talk University of Chicago School of Social Service Administration Addressing Educational Inequalities Seminar, Invited Talk Columbia University-Teacher's College, Sociology and Education Seminar, Invited Talk Population Association of America Annual Conference, Conference Canceled
2019	"When Crisis Hits Home: A National Study of the Distal Effects of Foreclosures on Student Achievement" Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference Russell Sage Foundation & William T. Grant SEDA Conference
2019	"Racialized School Choices and Perceptions of Safety: Multi-Racial Experimental Evidence from Parents and Students" Sociology of Education Association Conference American Sociological Association Annual Conference New York City High School Application Advisory Council, Invited Talk Princeton University Education Research Section Seminar, Invited Talk University of Wisconsin-Madison Interdisciplinary Training Seminar Invited Talk

	Purdue University, Invited Talk University of Texas-Austin Inequality/Crime, Law, and Deviance Workshop
2018	"Choosing Schools, Choosing Safety: School Safety in Students' School Choices" The Society for the Study of Social Problems 68th Annual Conference Population Association of America Annual Conference
2018	"The Effect of Stop and Frisk on Student Test Scores" 113th American Sociological Association Annual Meeting Population Association of America Annual Conference Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference American Society of Criminology 2017 Annual Meeting 47th Annual Association of Black Sociologists Conference
2017	"Choosing Safety: School Popularity and School Safety in New York City High School Choice" The Society for the Study of Social Problems 67th Annual Meeting 112th American Sociological Association Annual Meeting
2016-17	"Adolescent Neighborhood Occupational Structure and Adult Occupational Attainment" Population Association of America 2017 Annual Conference 111th American Sociological Association Annual Meeting The Society for the Study of Social Problems 66th Annual Meeting
2016	"I Can't Choose for Them" Sociology of Education Association 2016 Conference, Poster
2015	"Coercive Sexual Environments: Neighborhoods Influences on Sexual Health and Safety" Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management Research Conference
2015	"Choosing Applied Sociology: Panel Presentation and Discussion Sponsored by the Career Development Committee" Sociologists for Women in Society Winter Meeting, Invited Panelist
2015	"Place-Based Initiatives of the Obama Administration: Resident and Community Engagement in the Choice Neighborhoods Initiative" Society for Social Work and Research 19th Annual Conference

TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

University of Texas-Austin

"Race and Education" (Fall 2025, Spring 2023, Graduate Course)

"SOC325: Criminology" (Spring 2024, Fall 2023, Spring 2023, Spring 2022, Fall 2021, Spring 2021, Fall 2020)

New York University "SOC-UA503: Criminology" (Summer 2017)

Invited Lectures

2025	Clark Atlanta University: Research Careers and Survey Experiments
2024 & 2025	University of Texas, Research Experience for Undergraduates: Research Career
2024 & 2022	Columbia University, Millman School of Public Health: Lessons learned about
	Neighborhood-based Sexual Violence
2022	University of Texas, School of Social Work: Using HLM in Survey Experiments
2022	Brown University, Department of Sociology: School Choice in Urban Education
2022	Morgan State University, Urban Education: School Choice in Urban Education
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Training

University of Texas: Wellbeing and Belonging in Learning Environments
NYU Center for Teaching: Best Practices in Teaching and Learning

ADVISING AND STUDENT RELATED SERVICE

Dissertation Committee

Max Lubell, University of Texas-Sociology Katarina A Huss, University of Texas-Sociology Elizabeth O Aritonang, University of Texas-Education Policy Valerie Sterne, University of Texas-Education Policy, 2023

Masters Thesis

Amy Grace Humber, Second Reader, 2022

Comprehensive Exams

Max Lubell, Reader, 2024

PhD Student Advisor

Ismael Lopez, 2025-present

Undergraduate Honors Thesis

Alexandra Sanchez, First Advisor, 2024 Ava Garderet, Second Advisor, 2024 Libby E. Brett, Reader, 2023 Christine C Ejiofor, Reader, 2022

Plan II Sophomore Advising

Hannah C. Floyd, 2022

Bridging Disciplines Program Faculty Mentor Brady Miller, 2022

DEPARTMENT SERVICE

2025-26	Executive Committee
2024	Undergraduate Teaching Taskforce
2022-23	Crime, Law, Deviance Working Group, Faculty Advisor

2022-24	Graduate Program Committee
2022	Education Section Graduate Application Review Committee
2021-22	Executive Committee
2021	Crime, Law, Deviance Working Group, Revise and Resubmit Preparation Panelist
2021	Job Candidate Reading Committee
2020	Population Research Center Training Seminar, Job Market Preparation Panelist
2020	Race and Ethnicity Working Group, Teaching Race Guest Panelist

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2022-23	Criminal Justice Certificate Bridging Disciplines Program, Curriculum
	Development Committee
2021-25	Law Societies and Justice Initiative, Executive Committee

EDITORIAL BOARDS AND REVIEW COMMITTEES

2022-present	Russell Sage Foundation-The Policy Academies Grant Advisory Board
2023-25	Sociology of Education Journal, Editorial Advisory Board
2022-24	AERA: Division L, Section 4 Program Committee Co-Chair: School Choice
2021-24	Social Problems, Editorial Advisory Board

Ad-Hoc Reviewer: American Sociological Review, American Journal of Sociology, Sociology of Education, Social Problems, Social Forces, City and Community, American Educational Research Journal, Educational Researcher, Sociological Perspectives, The Sociological Quarterly, Journal of Quantitative Criminology, Time-sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences, Social Currents, Social Stratification and Mobility, Russell Sage Foundation, Socius, AERA Open

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE		
2025-28	ASA Sociology of Education Section Council Member	
2025	ASA Sociology of Education Roundtable Presider	
2024	ASA Educational Policy Session Presider and Discussant	
2023	ASA Educational Inequality Session Organizer	
2023	ASA SOE Section: Mentor Mini-Conference Planning Committee	
2022	ASA SOE Section: David Lee Stevenson Graduate Paper Award Committee	
2022-24	Sociology of Education Association, Board of Directors	
2022	Session Co-Organizer with Jennifer Candipan, "School Choice, Neighborhoods,	
	and Inequality" Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management	
	Conference	
2022-24	Houston-Tillotson University, WEB DuBois Scholar Mentor	
2021	ASA SOE Section: James Coleman Award for Best Article Committee	
2021	AERA: Division L Fireside Chat Redefining Responsible Education	
	Policy Research During the Triple Pandemic, Invited Panelist	
2021	Sociology of Education Association, Job Market Preparation Invited Panelist	
2021	Discussant for Session "Racial and Ethnic Variation in the Determinants of Child	
	Well-being" Population Association of America Annual Conference	
2020	Panel Moderator, Book Salon: Ghosts in the Schoolyard by Eve Ewing	

	American Sociological Association Annual Conference
2019	ASA IPM Section: Outstanding Graduate Student Paper Committee
2019	Session Co-Organizer with Jacob Faber, "Dynamism between Education and
	Residential Contexts and Educational Opportunities and Outcomes" Association
	for Public Policy Analysis and Management Fall Conference
2019	Discussant for Session "Exposure to Violence and Aggression in Schools and
	Adolescent Development" Population Association of America Annual Conference
2018-Present	The Policy Academies, Alumni Advisory Board
2018-Present	NYC High School Application Advisory Committee
2018-20	Heart for Harlem Serve Day, Team Lead
2018	NYU Diversity Undergraduate Research Initiative Mentor

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association (Section Memberships: Sociology of Education; Inequality, Mobility, and Poverty; Community and Urban Sociology; Racial and Ethnic Minorities) Association of Black Sociologists

American Education Research Association (Division Memberships: Social Context of Education, Sociology of Education, Charters & School Choice)

Society for the Study of Social Problems

Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management

Sociology of Education Association

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.