

CHRISTINE JANG-TRETTIEN
Johns Hopkins University, Department of Sociology,
3400 N. Charles Street, Baltimore, MD 21218
cjang@jhu.edu

EMPLOYMENT

Postdoctoral Research Associate, **Princeton University** 2020-2021

EDUCATION

Ph.D in Sociology, **Johns Hopkins University** 2020
Dissertation: Managing Disinvestment: Race, Neighborhood, and Real Estate in
Baltimore
Committee: Stefanie Deluca (Chair), Kathryn Edin (Princeton), Andrew Cherlin, Nick
Papageorge, Lindsay Thompson

M.A. in Sociology, **Johns Hopkins University** 2017

M.A. in International Educational Development, **Columbia University** 2015

B.A. in Art, **Indiana University** 2007

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Housing and credit markets, social policy, urban sociology, sociology of law, qualitative
methods

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

Deluca, Stefanie and **Christine Jang-Trettien**. Forthcoming. "Not Just a Lateral Move":
Residential Decisions and the Reproduction of Urban Inequality." *City and Community*

Garboden, Philip ME and **Christine Jang-Trettien**. 2020. "There's Money to Be Made
in Community: Real Estate Developers, Community Organizing, and Profit-making in a
Shrinking City." *Journal of Urban Affairs* 42(3):414-434

Articles Under Review

Jang-Trettien, Christine. "Racial Segregation and Informal Housing Markets."
(Conditional Acceptance, *Social Problems*)

Best Graduate Student Paper Award, American Sociological Association (ASA)
Community and Urban Sociology Section, Honorable Mention (2019)

Work in Progress

Jang-Trettien, Christine and Sharon Cornelissen. “Housing amidst Urban Decline.” [chapter in progress for the *Sociology of Housing*, edited by Eva Rosen and Brian McCabe]

Jang-Trettien, Christine and Stefanie Deluca. “Real Estate Practices and Neighborhood Vulnerability: Why It’s Difficult For High Poverty Communities to Stabilize.”

Jang-Trettien, Christine. “Real Estate Investors and the Racial Segmentation of Housing Markets.”

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

- | | |
|------|---|
| 2019 | Community and Urban Sociology Graduate Student Paper Award, Honorary Mention, American Sociological Association |
| 2015 | Johns Hopkins University Gilman Fellowship |

GRANTS

External

- | | |
|-----------|--|
| 2016-2019 | Annie E. Casey Foundation / JHU Office of the President Who is Moving In? Understanding the Process of Neighborhood Revitalization in Baltimore. (Principal Investigator, with Kathryn Edin, Stefanie DeLuca, Philip Garboden) (\$839,429) |
|-----------|--|

Internal

- | | |
|------|--|
| 2012 | <i>Teachers College, Columbia University</i> Teachers College Minority Scholarship (\$7,000) |
| 2007 | <i>Indiana University</i> Hutton Honors College Creative Activities Grant (\$3,000) |
| 2007 | <i>Indiana University</i> Hutton Honors College Research Grant (\$3,000) |
| 2006 | <i>Indiana University</i> Harry Engel Scholarship |
| 2006 | <i>Indiana University</i> Edward L. Hutton International Experiences Grant (\$3,000) |

PRESENTATIONS (* invited)

Christine Jang-Trettien. 2019. “Real Estate Practices and Neighborhood Vulnerability: Why It’s Difficult For High Poverty Communities to Stabilize.” Presented at the Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting. Philadelphia, PA.

* Christine Jang-Trettien and Stefanie Deluca. 2019. “Real Estate Practices and Neighborhood Vulnerability: Why It’s Difficult For High Poverty Communities to Stabilize.” Presented at the Sociology of Housing Conference, Georgetown University. October 4th. Washington D.C.

Christine Jang-Trettien. 2019. "Social Structure of the Informal Housing Market." Presented at the Community and Urban Sociology 2019 ASA Pre-Conference, New York University. August 9. New York, NY.

* Christine Jang-Trettien. 2018. "Social Structure of the Informal Housing Market." Presented at the Princeton Housing Conference, Princeton University. October 18. Princeton, NJ.

Christine Jang-Trettien. 2017. "Homeownership in Distressed Neighborhoods: Purchasing Property within the Modern-Day Redline." Presented at the Urban Affairs Association Annual Meeting. April 20. Minneapolis, MN.

Christine Jang-Trettien. 2017. "Cash, Gifts, and Seller-Financing Deals: How and Why People Become Homeowners in Distressed Neighborhoods." Presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Regular Session. August 12. Montreal, Canada.

Philip ME Garboden and Christine Jang. 2016. "There's Money to be Made in Community: Real Estate Developers as Brokers of Social Connections." Presented at the American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Regular Session. August 24. Seattle, WA.

Philip ME Garboden and Christine Jang. 2016. "There's Money to be Made in Community: Real Estate Developers as Brokers of Social Connections." Presented at the Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Roundtable. March 18. Boston, MA.

CONFERENCE SERVICES

American Sociological Association (ASA) Annual Meeting

2020 Session Organizer, "Theorizing the Renters and Rental Housing in the United States"

ADDITIONAL RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Creating Moves to Opportunity, Seattle and King County, WA
Project Manager for the Family Cohort Study

- PIs: Raj Chetty (Harvard University), Stefanie DeLuca (Johns Hopkins University), Nathaniel Hendren (Harvard University), Lawrence Katz (Harvard University), Christopher Palmer (MIT), Peter Bergman (Teachers College, Columbia University)
- Conducted in-depth interviews with program participants about residential history, family history, household income, and program experiences
- Managed a large team of undergraduate and graduate researchers from both Johns Hopkins University and University of Washington

Who's Moving In, Baltimore city, MD
Project Director & Co-PI

- PIs: Kathryn Edin (Princeton University), Stefanie DeLuca (Johns Hopkins University), Philip Garboden (Johns Hopkins University), Christine Jang (Johns Hopkins University)
- Conducted in-depth interviews about residential history, family history, household income, and perception of neighborhood change
- Managed and trained a large team of undergraduate and graduate researchers in the field for four years

TEACHING

Department of Sociology, Johns Hopkins University
Co-Instructor (with Stefanie DeLuca)
In Our Backyard: Housing and Community Change in Baltimore 2018

Teachers College, Columbia University
Teaching Assistant (with Oren Pizmony-Levy)
Comparative Education 2013

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS & SERVICES

American Sociological Association
Eastern Sociological Society

REFERENCES

Stefanie DeLuca, James Coleman Professor of Sociology & Social Policy
Johns Hopkins University
410-516-7629
sdeluca@jhu.edu

Kathryn Edin, Professor of Sociology and Public Affairs
Princeton University
609-258-4436
kedin@princeton.edu

Andrew Cherlin, Benjamin H. Griswold III Professor of Public Policy
Johns Hopkins University
410-516-7629
cherlin@jhu.edu