

Abridged Curriculum Vitae
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Present Position

Professor Emeritus, Sociology, College of the Holy Cross
Adjunct Professor, Sociology, Case Western Reserve University
Fellow, Gerontological Society of America

Education

B.A. Sociology, California State University, Sacramento, June 1969
M.A. Sociology, California State University, Sacramento, June 1973
Ph.D. Sociology, Case Western Reserve University, January 1980

Honors and Awards

NIMH Predoctoral Fellowship, Family and Mental Health Traineeship, Case Western Reserve University, 1974-76
A.H. Schubert Fellowship in the Humanities and Social and Behavioral Sciences, Case Western Reserve University, 1974-75
NIMH Postdoctoral Fellowship, Program in Mental Health Research, Rutgers-Princeton Universities, 1981-83 [award declined]
Batchelor (Ford) Faculty Fellowship, College of the Holy Cross, fall 1989, fall 2010
Fellow, Gerontological Society of America, 2006
Distinguished Teacher of the Year, College of the Holy Cross, 2006

Research Appointments

1/1971-7/1973 Social Research Analyst, California Youth Authority and the Center for Training in Differential Treatment, Sacramento, California
10/1973-7/1975 Research Associate, Mental Health Rehabilitation & Research (Hill House), Cleveland, Ohio
7/1975-6/1977 Research Director, Mental Health Rehabilitation & Research (Hill House), Cleveland, Ohio
10/1978-6/1980 Adjunct Behavioral Scientist, Department of Surgery, University of Massachusetts Medical School, Worcester, Massachusetts.
9/1983-8/1984 Adjunct Research Fellow, Center for Research on Women, Wellesley College, Wellesley, Massachusetts

Teaching Experience

California State University, Sacramento, Teaching Assistant, 1972-73
Case Western Reserve University, Lecturer, 1975-77

Holy Cross, Instructor of Sociology, 1977-79
 Holy Cross, Assistant Professor of Sociology, 1979-83
 Holy Cross, Associate Professor of Sociology, 1983-1997
 Clark University, Visiting Associate Professor, 1987-88
 Case Western Reserve University, Visiting Associate Professor, fall 1989
 Holy Cross, Professor of Sociology, 1997-2013

Courses Taught (Holy Cross)

Sociological Perspective (101); Aging & Society (257); Sociology of Mental Health (262); Medical Sociology (263); Families & Societies (271); Intimate Relationships (272); Sociology of Men (275); Men, Women, and Medicine (279); Social Inequality and Health (299); Family Issues: Violence in the Family (371); Men & Violence: Research Seminar (375); Men & Aging: Research Seminar (399); Health Care & Society: Advanced Seminar (399); Identity & Disability (Montserrat – Self Cluster); Sociology of Mental Health (Honors); Sociology of Men (Honors).

Selected Administrative Service, College

Ad hoc Committee on Sexual Assault Prevention and Programming, 2008-2009; Academic Affairs Council, 1996-1998; Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Sexual Harassment, 1992-93; Black Student Advisory Committee, 1990-91, 1992-94, Chair, 1993-94; Chair, Department of Sociology & Anthropology, 2005-2008, 1984-87; Committee on Faculty Affairs, 1994-95, Chair, 1994-95; 2001-2003, Chair, 2001-02; Committee on Interdisciplinary and Special Studies, 1996-2005; Committee on Nominations and Elections, 1985-86; Committee on Social Concerns, 1992-95, Co-Chair, 1993-95; Committee on the Economic Status of the Faculty, 1994-95; Chair, 2001-2003; Curriculum Committee, 1981-83, 2008-2010, Chair, 2009-2010; Director, Gerontology Studies, 1978-83, 1996-2010; Faculty Advisor, Women's Forum, 2002-2013; Faculty Marshall, Commencement, 1984, 1987, 1989, 1994, 1996, 2007, 2010, 2012; Presidential Advisory Committee on Sexual Assault Prevention and Response, 2010-2013; Research and Publication Committee, 1984-87, Chair, 1986-87; Women's and Gender Studies, 1990-91, 1992-2013; Director, spring 2011-spring 2012.

Selected Service, Professional Community

Co-Editor, *Gerontology & Geriatric Education*, 2000-2003
 Guest Editor, *Journal of Men's Studies*, 13 (1), 2004
 Generations, 32 (1), 2008
 Men and Masculinities, 19 (2), 2016
 Editorial Board, *Journal of Men's Studies*, 1995-2020; *Sex Roles*, 2014-2021;
 Gerontology & Geriatric Education, 2011-2015
 Executive Board member, Massachusetts Gerontological Association, 2008-2010
 Co-Organizer, Men's Issues Interest Group, Gerontological Society of America, 2001-2018
 Organizer, Men's Studies track, American Society on Aging, 2002-2004

Manuscript Reviewer

Ageing & Society, *American Journal of Sociology*, *BMC Geriatrics*, *Canadian Journal of Aging*, *Dementia*, *Family Relations*, *Gender & Society*, *Gerontology & Geriatric Education*, *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion*, *Journal of Aging Studies*, *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, *Journal of Family Issues*, *Journal of Gerontology: Social Science*, *Journal of Men's Studies*, *Men & Masculinities*, *Mortality*, *Psychology of Men and Masculinity*, *Psychology of Women Quarterly*, *Sex Roles*, *Sexuality Research and Social Policy*, *The Gerontologist*

Selected Publications

1976 Beneath acceptance: Dimensions of family affect towards former mental patients. *Social Science and Medicine*, 10, 307-313. (William Doll, Edward H. Thompson, Jr., and Mark Lefton)

- 1976 Familial coping with the mentally ill: An unanticipated problem of deinstitutionalization. *Hospital and Community Psychiatry*, 27, 183-185, 733. (William Doll and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- 1982 The burden of families coping with the mentally ill: An invisible crisis. *Family Relations*, 31, 379-388. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and William Doll)
- 1983 Single-parent families: In the mainstream of American society. Chapter 6 in E. Macklin and R. Rubin (Eds.), *Contemporary families and alternative lifestyles: Handbook on research and theory*. Beverly Hills, CA: Sage Publications. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Patricia A. Gongla)
- 1985 Attitudes toward the male role and their correlates. *Sex Roles*, 13, 413-427. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., Christopher Grisanti, and Joseph H. Pleck).
- 1986 The structure of male role norms. *American Behavioral Scientist*, 29, 531-543. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Joseph Pleck).
- 1987 Single-parent families. Chapter 15 in M. B. Sussman and S. K. Steinmetz (Eds.), *Handbook of marriage and the family* (pp. 397-418). New York: Plenum Press. (Patricia A. Gongla and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- 1988 Variation in the self-concept of young adult chronic patients: Chronicity reconsidered. *Hospital and Community Psychiatry*, 39, 771-775.
- 1989 Recovery networks and patient interpretations of mental health. *Journal of Community Psychology*, 17, 5-17.
- 1991 The maleness of violence in dating relationships: An appraisal of stereotypes. *Sex Roles*, 24, 261-278.
- 1991 Beyond the sex difference: Gender variations in religiousness. *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion*, 30, 381-394.
- 1992 Men and masculinities: Scales for masculinity ideology and masculinity-related constructs. *Sex Roles*, 27, 573-607. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., Joseph H. Pleck, and David L. Ferrera).

Revised and updated as "Masculinity ideologies: A review of research instrumentation on men and masculinities." Chapter 5 in Ronald F. Levant and William S. Pollack (Eds.), *A new psychology of men* (pp. 129-163). New York: Basic Books, 1995. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Joseph H. Pleck)
- 1993 Social support and caregiving burden in family caregivers of frail elders. *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences*, 48, S245-S254. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., Andrew M. Futterman, Dolores Gallagher-Thompson, Jonathon M. Rose, and Steven B. Lovett).
- 1994 *Older men's lives*. Newbury Park: Sage Publications.
- 1994 Older men as invisible in contemporary society. Chapter 1 in Edward H. Thompson, Jr., (Ed.) *Older men's lives* (pp. 1-21). Newbury Park: Sage Publications.

- Reprinted in Michael S. Kimmel and Michael A. Messner (Eds.), *Men's lives* (4th edition). Boston: Allyn & Bacon, 1998.
- Reprinted in Dana Vannoy (Ed.), *Gender mosaics: Social perspectives*. Los Angeles: Roxbury Publishing Co, 2000.
- Reprinted in Barbara Arrighi (Ed.), *Understanding inequality: The intersection of race, class, ethnicity, and gender*. Los Angeles: Oman & Littlefield Publishing, 2001.
- Reprinted in Betsy Lucal, Morton Ender and Kathleen Tiemann (Eds.), *Inequalities: Readings in diversity and social life*. Boston: Pearson Custom Publishing, 2002.
- Reprinted in Barbara Arrighi (Ed.), *Understanding inequality: The intersection of race, class, ethnicity, and gender* (2nd ed.). Los Angeles: Roman & Littlefield Publishing, 2007.
- 1996 *Men and aging: A selected, annotated bibliography*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press.
- 1997 Masculinities and violence: A father-son comparison of gender, traditionality and perceptions of heterosexual rape. *Journal of Family Psychology*, 11, 462-477. (Jeffrey G. Luddy and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.).
- 2000 Gendered caregiving of husbands and sons. In E. Markson and L. Hollins (Eds.), *Aging in the twenty-first century: Issues and inequalities in social gerontology* (pp. 333-344). Los Angeles: Roxbury Publishing Co.
- 2001 Men's faith: The effects of pre- and post-retirement masculinities. In P. L. Culbertson (Ed.), *The spirituality of men* (pp. 244-256). Minneapolis: Fortress Press.
- 2002 *Men as caregivers: Theory, research, and service implications*. New York: Springer Publishing. (Eds., Betty J. Kramer and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- Reprinted. *Men as caregivers: Theory, research, and service implications*. Amherst, NY: Prometheus Books, 2005.
- 2002 What's unique about men's caregiving. In B. Kramer and E. H. Thompson, Jr. (Eds.), *Men as caregivers: Theory, research, and service implications* (pp. 20-47). New York: Springer Publishing.
- 2002 Does masculinity thwart being religious? An examination of older men's religiousness. *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion*, 41, 521-532. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., and Kathryn R. Remmes).
- 2003 Widows' spiritual journeys: Do they quest? *Journal of Religious Gerontology*, 14, 119-138. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., Mary E. Noone, and Amanda B. Guarino).
- Reprinted in Susan H. McFadden, Mark Brennan, and Julie H. Patrick (Eds.), *New directions in the study of late life religiousness and spirituality* (pp. 119-138). New York: Haworth Press.
- 2004 Guest Editorial. *Journal of Men's Studies*, 13 (1), 1-4.
- 2004 Older men's social participation: The importance of masculinity ideology. *Journal of Men's Studies*, 13, 5-24. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., and Patrick M. Whearty)

- 2004 Expressions of manhood: Reconciling sexualities, masculinities, and aging. Review essay. *The Gerontologist*, 44, 714-719.
- 2006 No time for dying. In B. Merrill, J. Ziegler, and S. Rodgers (Eds.), *Practicing Catholic: Ritual, body, and contestation in Catholic faith* (pp. 53-57). New York: Palgrave-Macmillan.
- 2006 Being women, then lesbian, then old: Femininities, sexualities, and aging. Review essay. *The Gerontologist*, 46, 300-305.
- 2006 Images of old men's masculinity: Still a man? *Sex Roles*, 55, 633-648.
- 2007 Gendered policies and practices that increase older men's risk of elder mistreatment. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, 19, 129-151. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., William Buxton, P. Casey Gough, and Cara Wahle).

Reprinted in Jordan I. Kosberg (Ed.), *Abuse of older men* (pp. 129-151). New York: Haworth Press.
- 2008 Sexual aggression in bars: What college men can normalize. *Journal of Men's Studies*, 16, 83-97. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., and Elizabeth J. Cracco).
- 2008 LGBT aging: Do we intend to keep this closeted? Review essay. *The Gerontologist*, 48, 130-132.
- 2008 Gender matters: Aging men's health. *Generations*, 32 (1), 5-8.
- 2009 'Heart trouble' and religious involvement among older white men and women. *Journal of Religion and Health*, 48, 317-331. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., Leslie Killgore, and Heather Connors '01)
- 2013 The meaning of sexual performance among men with and without erectile dysfunction. *Psychology of Men and Masculinity*, 14, 271-280. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., and Kaitlyn Barnes)
- 2013 *A man's guide to healthy aging: Stay smart, strong and active*. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., and Lenard W. Kaye)

Selected by the *Wall Street Journal* (9 Dec 2013, R5) as one of 2013's best guides to life after 50
- 2013-14 'Widowerhood': Masculinities and spousal loss in the late 1960s. *Omega: Journal of Death and Dying*, 68, 123-141. (Julia Bandini and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- 2014 Aging. In M. Kimmel, C. Milrod, & A. Kennedy (Eds.), *Cultural encyclopedia of the penis* (pp. 7-8). Rowman & Littlefield. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Kaitlyn Barnes)
- 2015 Measurement of masculinity ideologies: A critical review. *Psychology of Men & Masculinity*, 16, 115-133. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Kate M. Bennett)
- 2015 Response to commentaries on masculinity ideologies. *Psychology of Men & Masculinity*, 16, 145-148. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Kate M. Bennett)
- 2016 Making connections: The legacy of an intergenerational program. *The Gerontologist*, 56, 909-918. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Andrea J. Weaver)

- 2016 Older men's blueprint for 'being a man.' *Men and Masculinities*, 19 (2), 119-147 (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Kaitlyn Langendoerfer)
- 2016 An appreciated, authoritative tome. A review of *APA Handbook of Men and Masculinities*, edited by Y. Joel Wong and Stephen R. Wester. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association, in *PsycCRITIQUES*, 61 (4), Article 3, January 25.
- 2017 Reading masculinities. A review of *Exploring Masculinities: Identity, Inequality, Continuity, and Change*, edited by C. J. Pascoe and Tristan Bridges. New York: Oxford University Press, in *Sex Roles*, 76, 264-265.
- 2017 Masculinity ideologies. In Levant, R. F., & Wong, Y. J. (Eds.), *Psychology of Men and Masculinities* (pp. 45-74). Washington, DC: American Psychological Association. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Kate M. Bennett)
- 2018 *Men, masculinities and aging: The gendered lives of aging men*. Lanham, MD: Roman & Littlefield.
- 2018 The gendered nature of later life relationships. In L. Kaye & C. Singer (Eds.), *Social isolation of older adults* (pp. 235-252). New York: Springer Publications. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Kate de Medeiros)
- 2020 The legacy of the Black Church: Older African Americans' religiousness. *Journal of Religion, Spirituality, and Aging*, 32 (3), 247-267. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., Andrew M. Futterman, and Maureen O. McDonnell).
- 2020 The Aging Men's Masculinity Ideologies Inventory (AMMII): Dimensionality, variance composition, measurement invariance by gender, and validity. *Psychology of Men and Masculinity*, 21, 46-57. (Ronald F. Levant, Britney A. Webster, Jennifer T. Stanley, and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- 2020 Men's lived experiences with breast cancer: The double consciousness of marginal men. *Sex Roles*, 82, 28-43. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Alexandra S. Haydock).
- 2020 Measurement invariance by age group for the Aging Men's Masculinity Ideologies Inventory (AMMII). *Journal of Men's Studies*, 28, 301-317. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., Britney A. Webster, Jennifer T. Stanley, and Ronald F. Levant).
- 2021 Rural masculinities. In Leonard W. Kaye (Ed.), *Handbook of Rural Aging* (pp. 279-283). New York: Routledge, Taylor & Francis.
- 2022 The husband: Navigating the relational challenge of her institutionalization or his widowerhood. *Journal of Family Issues*, 43, 47-72. (Laura K. Soulsby, Edward H. Thompson, Jr., and Kate M. Bennett)
- 2022 Measurement invariance by age group of two versions of the Male Role Norms Inventory. *Men and Masculinities*, 25 (3), 438-458. (Ronald F. Levant, Javier Martin-Fernandez, Ryon C. McDermott, and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.).
- 2022 Body talk and resilience: Aging men's experiences with mastectomy and prostatectomy. (2022). *Journal of Aging Studies*, 62, 101010. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Andrew M. Futterman).

- 2023 Life course predictors of men surviving to 90: The Manitoba Follow Up Study. *Canadian Journal of Aging*, 42 (1), 13-19. (Robert B. Tate, Audrey Swift, Edward H. Thompson, Jr., and Phillip St. John).
- 2023 Shaken identities: Ageing men's experiences of two gendered cancers. In Paul Willis, Ilkkä Pietla, and Marjanna Seppänen (Eds.), *Ageing, men and social relations: New perspectives on masculinities and men's social connections in later life* (pp. 169-187). Policy Press. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Andrew M. Futterman).
- 2023 Choice and chance: Aging men and masculinities. In Karen Pallesgaard Munk, Michael Smaerup, Kirsten Maibom, and Kristian Park Frausing. (Eds.), *The old man* (pp. 59-79). Denmark: Aarhus University Press.
- forthcoming *A man's guide to healthy aging. Second edition*. Baltimore, MD: Johns Hopkins University Press. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr., and Lenard W. Kaye)

Recent Presentations

- 2000 "Men as caregivers: Are they still 'doing gender'?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Washington, DC, August. (Edward H. Thompson & Eleanor Stoller).
- 2000 "Gerontology & gerontologists in the year 2000: Gender and caregiving." Invited paper presented at the 5th Global Conference on Ageing, Mar del Plata, Argentina, September.
- 2000 "Reflections on men's and women's ageing." Invited paper presented at the 5th Global Conference on Ageing, Mar del Plata, Argentina, September.
- 2000 "Religious involvement and successful aging." Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC, November. (Sarah N. Baaden, '00, Kathryn E. Lent, '00, & Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- 2000 "The differential effects of gender orientation and masculinity ideology on older men's religious involvement." Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC, November. (Kathryn R. Remmes, '00, and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- 2001 Panelist. Presidential Symposium, "Gender biases in gerontological education: Men v. women," at the annual meeting of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, San Jose, February.
- 2001 "Portrayal of men as elder caregivers: A systematic review." Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Society on Aging, New Orleans, March.
- 2001 "What determines older women's religious questing? The effects of health and social support." Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Chicago, November. (Michele E. DeTraglia, '02, Julie D. Kosteas, '02, and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- 2001 "Widows spiritual journeys: What do they quest?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society on America, Chicago, November. (Mary E. Noone, '01, Amanda B. Guarino, '01, and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)

- 2002 "The effects of masculinity on older men's religious involvement." Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Society on Aging, Denver, March.
- 2002 "Men caregivers: Theory, research, and service implications." Workshop presented at the 3rd International Conference on Family Care, Washington, DC, October.
- 2002 "What determines older men's social participation? The effects of gender ideology, health, and social support needs." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, November.
- 2003 "Thirty years of making the world a better place." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society on Aging, Chicago, March. (Marge Durgay and Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- 2004 Religion as "full body experience": A comparative analysis of religiosity between African-American and white older adults in a northeastern city. Presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, November. (James Bryant, Andrew M. Futterman, Vanessa Jones '05, and Edward H. Thompson)
- 2004 The meaning of femininity in older men: Are gender and occupation more predictive than health in evaluating social participation? Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society on Aging, San Francisco, April. (Edward H. Thompson and Patrick Whearty '03)
- 2004 "Family relations and the cultural preservation of religiousness among African Americans." To be presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Sociology of Religion, San Francisco. (Vanessa Jones '05, James Bryant, Edward H. Thompson, and Michael Nigro '04)
- 2004 "Breaking the silence: An analysis of women's classifications of experiences with rape and willingness to report these crimes." Presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco. (Nicole L. Mortorano '04 and Edward H. Thompson)
- 2004 "When the going gets tough, the tough get going: Still a cultural blueprint for being a man among older men?" Presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, November, Washington DC. (Edward H. Thompson, Whitney C. Lockwood '04, and Ivy E. Pruitt '05).
- 2004 "I don't hurt the way you think?: Men caring for their wives." Presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, November, Washington DC.
- 2005 "Factorial validity of the current grief scale of the Texas Revised Inventory of Grief (TRIG) in two bereaved samples." Presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontology Society of America, Orlando. (Lauren DeCaporale '06, Patrick Brown '99, Larry Thompson, Dolores Gallagher-Thompson, Andrew Futterman, and Edward H. Thompson)
- 2005 "Older women's likelihood to quest: The effects of health, coping, social support, and negative interaction." Presented at the annual meeting of the Pacific Sociological Association, Portland, OR. (Edward H. Thompson, Julie Kosteas '02, and Michelle DeTraglia '02).

- 2006 “Caring for caregivers: An overview of interventions aimed to reduce caregiver burden.” Presented at the annual meeting of the American Society on Aging, Anaheim, CA. (Julie Kosteas ‘02 and Edward H. Thompson).
- 2006 “The (invisible and secret?) lives of old men: Is there a need for gender-specific interventions?” Keynote presentation at the first annual symposium of the Worcester Area Geriatric Social Workers (March 24).
- 2006 “‘Heart trouble’ and religious involvement.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association, Montreal.
- 2006 “The health effects of men’s caregiving.” Keynote presentation at the annual meeting of the American Assembly for Men in Nursing, Portland, OR.
- 2006 “‘Just doing my part’: Men caregivers providing emotional support to their institutionalized wives.” Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Dallas.
- 2007 “Gendered policies and practices that increase older men’s risk of elder mistreatment.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society on Aging, Chicago.
- 2007 “The invisible lives of men: Their caregiving.” Keynote presentation at the annual meeting of the National Association of Professional Geriatric Care Managers, Boston.
- 2007 “Sexual aggression in bars: What college men normalize.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco. (Edward H. Thompson and Elizabeth J. Cracco)
- 2007 “Men caregivers of spouses, partners and the elderly: Trends, challenges and policy gaps.” Keynote presentation at the national invitation conference Men Caregiving: Creating a Research, Programmatic, and Policy Agenda for an Emerging Public Health Issue, University of Maryland, College Park.
- 2007 “Viagra: Men’s attitudes about the biomedicalization of their sexuality. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco. (Edward H. Thompson, Jenna Constantino ‘07, and Kaitlin Foley ‘07)
- 2008 “Medicalizing men’s sexuality: Older men’s perceptions of the “Viagra era.” Poster presented at the 1st annual National Conference on Social Work with and for Men, Tuscaloosa (University of Alabama).
- 2009 “Aging and masculinities.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, San Antonio.
- 2009 “Reframing and growing a gerontology studies program,” Panel discussion at the annual meeting of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, San Antonio. (Edward H. Thompson and Kelly Niles-Yokum)
- 2009 “Old men and heart health.” Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Society on Aging, Las Vegas. (Stefanie Tedesco ‘10, Katharine Guardino ‘10, and Edward H. Thompson)

- 2009 "Gender matters: Age embodiment among older men." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society on Aging, Las Vegas. (Edward H. Thompson and Andrew Futterman)
- 2009 "A blueprint for 'being a man' as attested by older men." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta.
- 2009 "Creative approaches: Support for growing old in Australian Aboriginal society." Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta. (Alexandra Leichthammer '10 and Edward H. Thompson)
- 2010 "Male breast cancer." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Diego.
- 2010 "'You've gotta be kidding me': Male breast cancer." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans. (Edward H. Thompson and Alexandra Leichthammer '10)
- 2010 "Older men's attitudes about sexual performance: The effects of erectile difficulties." Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans. (Kaitlyn Barnes '10 and Edward H. Thompson)
- 2011 "The meaning of sexual performance among men with and without erectile dysfunction." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston. (Edward H. Thompson and Kaitlyn Barnes '10)
- 2012 "The bearing of masculinity and health on bereavement and "widowerhood." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Eastern Sociological Society, New York. (Julia Bandini '12 and Edward H. Thompson).
- 2012 "'Widowerhood': Masculinities and spousal loss in the 1960s. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego. (Julia Bandini '12 and Edward H. Thompson).
- 2012 "'It was my turn': Managing a sense of self among husband caregivers." Paper presented at the Relational Selves and Families in Medicine Conference, Linköping, Sweden.
- 2013 "Older men's blueprint for being a man." Paper presented at the British Society of Gerontology, Oxford, UK. (Edward H. Thompson and Kaitlyn Barnes '10).
- 2013 "'A man' in the face of change: Understanding men's adjustment to care work and widowhood." Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans. (Laura K. Soulsby and Edward H. Thompson).
- 2014 "The older men masculinity ideology scale: Factor structure, reliability and construct validity." Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC (Edward H. Thompson, Kaitlyn Barnes, and Andrew Futterman)
- 2014 "Making connections: The possible legacy of an intergenerational program." Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC (Edward H. Thompson, Andrea Weaver, and Andrew Futterman)

- 2015 “Intergenerational relations and lingering ageism? The effects of gender and volunteering.” Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL. (Edward H. Thompson and Andrew Futterman)
- 2016 “The legacy of the Black Church: Older African Americans’ religiousness.” Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans. (Edward H. Thompson, Andrew Futterman, and Maureen McDonnell)
- 2017 “Men with breast cancer: Marginalizing or threatening to being a man?” Paper presented at the International Association for Gerontology and Geriatrics, San Francisco.
- 2018 “The Aging Men’s Masculinity Ideologies Inventory (AMMII): Dimensionality and measurement invariance.” Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston. (Edward H. Thompson, Britney A. Webster, Jennifer Tehan Stanley, and Ronald F. Levant)
- 2019 “Never-aging masculinities give way to aging masculinities.” Paper presented at the annual meeting of the British Society of Gerontology, Liverpool, UK.
- 2019 “Chronic disease and terminal decline in very old men: The Manitoba Follow-Up Study.” Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Austin, TX. (Robert B. Tate, Phillip St. John, Audrey Swift, & Edward H. Thompson, Jr.)
- 2021 “Aging men and masculinity ideologies: Assessment of variance composition of the MRNS-BF and measurement invariance by men’s age.” Poster present at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Phoenix, AZ. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Ronald F. Levant)
- 2021 “Shaken identities, reserve masculine capital, and the lived experiences of aging men with breast cancer.” Poster present at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Phoenix, AZ. (Edward H. Thompson, Jr. and Renee L. Beard)
- 2024 “Mature religion at 75: An appraisal of Gordon Allport’s (1950) ‘The Individual and his Religion.’” Poster present at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Seattle, WA. (Kelly Mirarchi, Peter Hope, Delaney Sommers, Edward H. Thompson, Jr., Michiko Iwasaki, and Andrew Futterman)

Other: Interviews for newspaper/magazine articles

- 2002 Interviewed for “Companies adding benefits for care of the elderly,” Maggie Jackson, *The New York Times* (July 7)
- 2003 Interviewed for “Family issues blur gender roles, affect workplace: Men increasingly take caregiver role for elder family member,” Maggie Jackson, *Boston Globe* (January 5)
- 2003 Interviewed for “Personal business. More sons are juggling jobs and care for parents,” Maggie Jackson, *The New York Times* (June 15)
- 2003 Interviewed for “‘Labor of love’: Men display own sort of savvy as primary caregivers for ailing mothers, wives,” Elizabeth Cooney, *Telegram & Gazette* (September 29)
- 2003 Interviewed for “When a man cares,” Marilyn Gardner, *The Christian Science Monitor* (November 5)
- 2004 Interviewed for “The cost of coming forward: The Bryant case ripples through the city’s services for rape victims,” Noah Schaffer, *The Worcester Magazine* (September 9)

- 2005 Interviewed for “Men in retirement groups, often outnumbered by women, bond in conversation groups,” Gary Rotstein, *Pittsburg Post-Gazette* (May 18)
- 2006 Interviewed for WCRT- TV 10:00 News segment “Healthy elders,” Julie Tremble (March 24)
- 2009 Interviewed for “The new face of caregiving: Male caregivers,” Cathie Gandel, *AARP Bulletin* (January 23)
- 2011 Interviewed for “Marriage falls to a new record low in the U.S.,” Donna Boynton, *Telegram & Gazette* (March 2)
- 2013 Cited “A man’s guide to healthy aging,” *Senior Talk, WABI-TV* (November 18)
- 2013 Interviewed for “A man’s guide to healthy aging, Joseph Alukal, *Doctor Radio, SiriusXM81* (December 4)
- 2013 Cited in “The year’s best books for the road ahead: Our picks for 2013’s top guides to life after 50,” Diane Cole, *Wall Street Journal* (December 8)
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