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Education : The University of Chicago Chicago
Sociology. Ph.D. 2000

(Mandatory Military Service: Korean Army) 1990 - 1992

Yonsei University Seoul, South Korea
Business Administration. M.A. 1990

Yonsei University Seoul, South Korea
Business Administration. B.A. 1987

Academic Positions:

Full Professor of Sociology 2014 - present

Associate Professor of Sociology 2009 - 2014
Yonsei University, South Korea

Assistant Professor of Sociology 2005 - 2009
Yonsei University, South Korea

Affiliated Professor of Sociology 2005 - 2014
University of Illinois at Chicago

Advanced Researcher 2005 - 2014
Institute for Health Research and Policy
at University of Illinois at Chicago

Assistant Professor of Sociology 2000 - 2005
University of Illinois at Chicago

Visiting Professor (paid position) 2002 Summer
Department of Sociology
Utrecht University, Netherlands

Visiting Scholar (paid position) 2010 Spring
Research Institute of Economy, Trade and Industry
Tokyo, Japan

Visiting Faculty (paid position) 2010 Spring
Department of Sociology 2014 Spring
University of Chicago

Awards : 1993 - 1996 Trustee Fellowship from the University of Chicago

2012. Award for Excellent Research of Basic Social Science. Ministry of Education, Science, and Technology of Republic of Korea

Areas of Specialties :

Substantive Areas: Health, Family, Organizations, Sexuality, Race/ethnic relations

Method Areas: Network Analysis, Mathematical modeling, Rational Choice modeling (Game theoretic modeling), Log-linear Models, Event History Analysis

Major Publications (in English):

Articles

Laumann, Edward O. and Yoosik Youm. 1999. "Race/ethnic group differences in the prevalence of sexually transmitted diseases in the United States: A Network Explanation." *Sexually Transmitted Diseases*. Vol 26. No 5: 250-61.

Youm, Yoosik, and Edward O. Laumann. 2002. "Social Network Effects on the Transmission of Sexually Transmitted Diseases." *Sexually Transmitted Diseases* 29(11): 689-697.

Youm, Yoosik, and Edward O. Laumann. 2003. "The effect of structural embeddedness on the division of household labor: A game-theoretic model using a network approach." *Rationality and Society*. 15(2): 243 – 280.

Youm, Yoosik, Mary Ellen Mackesy-Amiti, Chyvette T. Williams, and Lawrence J. Ouellet. 2009. "Identifying Hidden Sexual Bridging Communities in Chicago," *Journal of Urban Health* 86(1): s107-s120.

Youm, Yoosik, Mi-Jin Lee, and Sun-chul Hwang. 2009. "Consensus Making Process in the Korean Academy of Medical Sciences Guide for Physical Impairment: Evaluation as a Social Process," *Journal of Korean Medical Sciences* 24(s2): s242-s246.

Kyeong-Seok Lee, Jon-Uk Won, So-Youm Kim, Mong-Sei Sohn, Yoosik Youm, et al. 2009. "Development of the Korean Academy of Medical Sciences Guideline for Rating Physical Impairment" *Journal of Korean Medical Sciences* 24(s2): s221-s226.

Youm, Yoosik. Keunbok Lee. 2009. "Latent Classes of Metabolic Syndrome in the Korean Population: Identification and Comparison of Classes among Different Educational Groups," *Korean Journal of Sociology*. 473(6): 125-145.

Youm, Yoosik. 2010. A sociological interpretation of emerging properties in STI transmission dynamics: walk-betweenness of sexual networks. *Sexually Transmitted Infections*. 2010. 86(3): iii24-iii28.

Youm, Yoosik, Byungkyu Lee. 2011. "Social Network Effects on Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) in Female North Korean Immigrants," *Journal of Preventive Medicine and Public Health* 44(5): 191-200.

Yoosik Youm, Hyojeong Seo. 2011. "Latent Classes of Social Closure and Their Effects on the Subjective Well-being among Korean Adolescents," *Korean Journal of Sociology* 45(3): 101-124.

Lee, W. J., Youm, Y., Rhee, Y., Park, Y. R., Chu, S. H., & Kim, H. C. (2013). Social network characteristics and body mass index in an elderly Korean population. *Journal of Preventive Medicine and Public Health*, 46(6), 336-345.

Lee, S. W., Youm, Y., Kim, C. O., Lee, W. J., Choi, W., Chu, S. H., ... & Kim, H. C. (2014). Association between skeletal muscle mass and radial augmentation index in an elderly Korean population. *Archives of gerontology and geriatrics*, 59(1), 49-55.

Lee, E. Y., Kim, H. C., Rhee, Y., Youm, Y., Kim, K. M., Lee, J. M., & Kim, C. O. (2014). The Korean urban rural elderly cohort study: study design and protocol. *BMC geriatrics*, 14(1), 33.

Youm, Y., Laumann, E. O., Ferraro, K. F., Waite, L. J., Kim, H. C., Park, Y. R., ... & Lee, J. A. (2014). Social network properties and self-rated health in later life: comparisons from the Korean social life, health, and aging project and the national social life, health and aging project. *BMC geriatrics*, 14(1), 102.

Chu, Sang Hui, Ji Won Baek, Eun Sook Kim, Katherine M. Stefani, Won Joon Lee, Yeong-Ran Park, Yoosik Youm, and Hyeon Chang Kim. (2015) "Gender Differences in Hypertension Control among Korean Older Adults." *Journal of Preventive Medicine and Public Health*. 48(1): 38-47.

Song, Bo Mi, Ju-Mi Lee, Wungrak Choi, Yoosik Youm, Sang Hui Chu, Yeong-Ran Park, and Hyeon Chang Kim. "Association between C reactive protein level and depressive symptoms in an elderly Korean population: Korean Social Life, Health and Aging Project." *BMJ open* 5, no. 2 (2015): e006429.

Lee, Seung Won, Yoosik Youm, Won Joon Lee, Wungrak Choi, Sang Hui Chu, Yeong-Ran Park, and Hyeon Chang Kim. "Appendicular Skeletal Muscle Mass and Insulin Resistance in an Elderly Korean Population: The Korean Social Life, Health and Aging Project-Health Examination Cohort." *Diabetes & metabolism journal* 39, no. 1 (2015): 37-45.

Youm, Y., 2015. Sexually Transmitted Infections: Social Network Analysis. In: James D. Wright (editor-in-chief), *International Encyclopedia of the Social & Behavioral Sciences*, 2nd edition, Vol 21. Oxford: Elsevier. pp. 853–861.

Song, B. M., Kim, H. C., Rhee, Y., Youm, Y., & Kim, C. O. (2016). Association between serum 25-hydroxyvitamin D concentrations and depressive symptoms in an older Korean population: A cross-sectional study. *Journal of affective disorders*, 189, 357-364.

Neaigus, A., Jenness, S. M., Reilly, K. H., Youm, Y., Hagan, H., Wendel, T., & Gelpi-Acosta, C. (2016). Community Sexual Bridging Among Heterosexuals at High-Risk of HIV in New York City. *AIDS and Behavior*, 20(4), 722-736.

Choi, H., Kim, H. C., Song, B. M., Park, J. H., Lee, J. M., Yoon, D. L., ... & Kim, C. O. (2016). Serum uric acid concentration and metabolic syndrome among elderly Koreans: The Korean Urban Rural Elderly (KURE) study. *Archives of gerontology and geriatrics*, 64, 51-58.

Youm, Y., & Yamaguchi, K. (2016). A Comparison of the Determinants of Low Marital Fertility between Korea and Japan. *Korean Journal of Sociology*, 50(3), 23-43.

Lee, E. Y., Lee, S. J., Kim, K. M., Yun, Y. M., Song, B. M., Kim, J. E., ... & Kim, C. O. (2016). Association of metabolic syndrome and 25-hydroxyvitamin D with cognitive impairment among elderly Koreans. *Geriatrics & Gerontology International*.

Baek, J., Hur, N. W., Kim, H. C., & Youm, Y. (2016). Sex-specific effects of social networks on the prevalence, awareness, and control of hypertension among older Korean adults. *Journal of Geriatric Cardiology: JGC*, 13(7), 580.

Youm, Y., & Sung, K. (2016). Self-rated Health and Global Network Position: Results From the Older Adult Population of a Korean Rural Village. *Annals of Geriatric Medicine and Research*, 20(3), 149-159.

Youm, Y., & Lee, B. (2016). A network approach to economic models of fertility. *Rationality and Society*, 28(4), 386-409.

Lee, S. J., Kim, K. M., Lee, E. Y., Song, M. K., Kang, D. R., Kim, H. C., ... & Rhee, Y. (2016). Low Normal TSH levels are Associated with Impaired BMD and Hip Geometry in the Elderly. *Aging and Disease*, 7(6), 734.

Sohn, S. Y., Joo, W. T., Kim, W. J., Kim, S. J., Youm, Y., Kim, H. C., ... & Lee, E. (2017). Social network types among older Korean adults: Associations with subjective health. *Social Science & Medicine*, 173, 88-95.

Book Chapters

Laumann, Edward. O. and Yoosik Youm. 2001. "Sexual Expression in America." In Edward O. Laumann and Robert T. Michael (eds.). *Sex, Love and Health: Private Choices and Public Policies*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press: 109 – 147.

Laumann, Edward. O. and Yoosik Youm. 2001. "Racial/Ethnic Group Differences in the Prevalence of Sexually Transmitted Diseases in the United States: A Network Explanation" In Edward O. Laumann and Robert T. Michael (eds.). *Sex, Love and Health: Private Choices and Public Policies*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press: 327 – 351.

Youm, Yoosik and Anthony Paik. 2004. "The Sexual Market and its Implications for Family Formation," In Edward O. Laumann et al. (eds.). *The Sexual Organization of the City*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press. 165 – 193.

Youm, Yoosik and Edward Laumann. 2004. "Social Networks and STDs," In Edward O. Laumann et al. (eds.). *The Sexual Organization of the City*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press. 227 – 279.

Laumann, Edward, Jenna Mahay, Tony Paik, Yoosik Youm. 2004. "Network Data Collection and its Relevance for the Analysis." In Martina Morris (eds.) *Network Epidemiology: A Handbook for Survey Design and Data Collection*. Oxford University Press. 25 -41.

Youm, Yoosik. 2005. "Household Behavior and Family Economics: Measurement and Analysis of the Division of Household Labor," In Kimberly Kempf-Loenard (eds.) *Encyclopedia of Social Measurement*. Academic Press. 243-248.

Laumann, Edward, Jenna Mahay, Yoosik Youm. 2007. "Sex, Intimacy, and Family Life in the United States," in Michael Kimmel (eds) *The Sexual Self: The Construction of Sexual Scripts*. Nashville: Vanderbilt University Press. 165-190.

Youm, Yoosik., Chanung Park. 2007. "On the Relationship between Self-reported Physical Health and Social Networks: Among Korean Junior High School Students," *Development and Society*. S221-S226.

Book

Laumann, E.O., Stephen Ellingson, Jenna Mahay, Anthony Paik, and Yoosik Youm. 2004. *The Sexual Organization of the City*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

USA Grant Activities

Title: *UIC Center for Population Health and Health Disparities*
Source: NCI/Dept. of Health and Human Services
Project Number: 1 P50 CA106743-01
Year and budget: 2003 – 2008, \$7.5 M
PI: Richard Warnecke
Role: PI for the project 2

The major goal of this project is to examine racial/ethnic disparities in breast cancer cases in Chicago area based on four related sub-projects. Especially project 2 attempts to explain racial/ethnic disparities in breast cancer prognosis by examining patients' social network embeddedness. In addition to improving the explanation of the racial/ethnic gap, this approach will also help to establish effective intervention programs at community levels as discussed in this proposal.
http://obssr.od.nih.gov/cphhd/CPHHD_Awards.htm

Title: *HIV and the Sexual Networks of IDUs and Drug-Using MSM*
Source: NIDA
Project number: 1 U01-DA-017378
Year and budget: 2003 – 2008, \$4.5 M
PI: Lawrence Ouellet
Role: Co-investigator

The study proposes a cross-sectional survey of 2500 IDUs and about 562 of their non-injecting sex partners, and 3000 MSM and about 450 of their female sex partners. Participants will be recruited through respondent-driven sampling (RDS) at six racially and ethnically diverse sites across Chicago in order to obtain unbiased sample of hidden population. Social/ Sexual/ Drug networks of the sample will be analyzed to examine the network structure for the prevention.
<http://www.rand.org/methodology/srg/sathcap/index.html>

Title: *Sexual Network Analysis for a preventive Strategy for Syphilis in Chicago*
Source: Chicago Department of Public Health
Role: PI
Year and budget: 03/01/2002 - 03/01/2003, \$25,000

The goal of the project is to help to establish efficient and effective preventive strategies for syphilis (or bad blood) for the city of Chicago, which has one of the highest syphilis infection rates in the US. Unlike the traditional research on the sexually transmitted diseases, which has focused on individual risk factors such as condom use, the number of sex partners, etc., this research examines the patterns of social/sexual ties people have and their effects on behaviors or attitudes, combined with standard statistical analysis. The 'field record' of each patient at the CDC clinics that contains detailed information on their sex partners will reveal which segments of the Chicago population are mainly responsible for high infection rates, which are not readily identifiable from traditional approaches that focus on individual level risk factors only. Segments will be defined by geographical area, racial/ethnic groups, and age, etc. Once identifying the segments that are mainly responsible for and the mechanisms through which infections travel (for example, the mechanism might be a small in size but highly sexually active group or a bridge position connecting different sub-populations that would not be connected without it, etc.), this study can establish efficient and effective preventive strategies that are specific to those segments and those mechanisms.

Role: PI

Korea Grant Activities

A proposal of new measure of 'Bridgeness' and its application to the information flow among breast cancer patients in Chicago

Yonsei University
2005.09-2006.08
10,000,000

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| 사회적 포섭과 배제 사업단: 한국 및 동아시아 비교 | Ministry of Education |
| | 2006.03-2007.02 |
| | 400,000,000 |
| 신종인플루엔자 대유행 조기 통제 및 피해 최소화 전략의 법적·윤리적 문제점 분석 및 개선방안 | Korea |
| center for disease control and prevention | 2006.05-2006.12 |
| | 47,000,000 |
| 사회적 포섭과 배제 사업단: 한국 및 동아시아 비교 | Ministry of Education |
| | 2007.03-2008.02 |
| | 47,000,000 |
| 사회통합적 주거공동체 재생기술개발 | Ministry of Land, transport and maritime affairs |
| | 2007.11-2007.12 |
| | 1,137,500,000 |
| 사회적 포섭과 배제 사업단: 한국 및 동아시아 비교 | Ministry of Education |
| | 2008.03-2009.02 |
| | 400,000,000 |
| A sponsorship network analysis of legislative bill adoption in South Korea | Ministry of Education |
| | 2008.07-2009.06 |
| | 18,245,000 |
| 사회통합적 주거공동체 재생기술개발 사업 | Ministry of Land, transport and maritime affairs |
| | 2008.07-2009.06 |
| | 3,003,548,000 |
| 사회적 포섭과 배제 사업단: 한국 및 동아시아 비교 | Ministry of Education |
| | 2009.03-2010.02 |
| | 400,000,000 |
| 한국방정환재단 어린이 청소년 행복지수 연구개발 | private enterprise |
| | 2009.03-2009.05 |
| | 35,000,000 |
| 건강한 노년을 위한 학제적 연구 | Yonsei University |
| | 2009.09-2010.06 |
| | 20,000,000 |
| 북한이주민의 정체성과 사회 적응에 대한 패널 연구 | Ministry of Education |
| | 2009.11-2010.10 |
| | 89,600,000 |
| 서울 시민의 신종 인플루엔자 정보 획득과 인식 형성에 관한 사회 연결망 연구 | private enterprise |
| | 2010.02-2010.05 |
| | 20,000,000 |
| 사회적 포섭과 배제 사업단: 한국 및 동아시아 비교 | Ministry of Education |
| | 2010.03-2011.02 |
| | 400,000,000 |
| 건강한 노년을 위한 학제적 연구 | Yonsei University |
| | 2010.03-2011.06 |
| | 40,000,000 |
| 한국방정환재단 어린이 청소년 행복지수 연구개발 | private enterprise |
| | 2010.04-2010.07 |
| | 30,000,000 |
| 북한이탈주민의 사회연결망과 정착 수준의 변화에 대한 패널 연구 | Ministry of Unification |
| | 2010.06-2010.11 |
| | 20,000,000 |

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| 공중보건위기대응사업단: 위기 커뮤니케이션 전략 | Ministry of Health and Welfare | 2010.09-2014.03 | 45,000,000 |
| OECD 보건계정체계(SHA) 국가간 비교 | OECD Korea policy centre | 2011.01-2011.06 | 30,000,000 |
| 한국방정환재단 어린이 청소년 행복지수 연구개발 | private enterprise | 2011.03-2011.05 | 30,000,000 |
| 사회적 포섭과 배제 사업단: 한국 및 동아시아 비교 | Ministry of Education | 2011.03-2012.02 | 400,000,000 |
| 노인중증질환 예방관리 코호트 프로토콜 및 운영방안설계 | Korea center for disease control and prevention | 2011.03-2011.08 | 40,000,000 |
| An Integrated Study for a Successful Transition to Active Aging Korea based on an Inter-disciplinary Approach of Social Science and Biomedical Science (1/3) and Future Planning | Ministry of Science, ICT | 2011.06-2012.08 | 99,862,000 |
| 차세대 맞춤형료 유전체 사업 ELSI 센터 | Ministry of Health and Welfare | 2011.12-2012.03 | 50,000,000 |
| 한국방정환재단 어린이 청소년 행복지수 연구개발 | private enterprise | 2012.03-2012.05 | 30,000,000 |
| 사회적 포섭과 배제 사업단: 한국 및 동아시아 비교 | Ministry of Education | 2012.03-2013.04 | 400,000,000 |
| 노인중증질환 예방관리 코호트 구축 및 운영 | Korea center for disease control and prevention | 2012.03-2012.12 | 500,000,000 |
| 차세대 맞춤형료 유전체 사업 ELSI 센터 | Ministry of Health and Welfare | 2012.04-2013.03 | 50,000,000 |
| Social Processes of Conflict and Integration in Contemporary Korea | Yonsei University | 2012.05-2013.05 | 45,000,000 |
| An Integrated Study for a Successful Transition to Active Aging Korea based on an Inter-disciplinary Approach of Social Science and Biomedical Science (2/3) and Future Planning | Ministry of Science, ICT | 2012.09-2013.08 | 131,817,000 |
| 한국방정환재단 어린이 청소년 행복지수 연구개발 | private enterprise | 2013.03-2014.05 | 33,000,000 |
| Geriatric Diseases Prevention and Management Cohort | Korea center for disease control and prevention | 2013.03-2013.12 | 500,000,000 |
| 사회연결망 데이터 분석 기법 조사 및 연구 | Ministry of Strategy and Finance | 2013.03-2013.10 | |

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| Social Processes of Conflict and Integration in Contemporary Korea | 35,000,000 Yonsei University 2013.03-2014.02 |
| Etiology of Cardiovascular and Metabolic Diseases study | 45,000,000 Korea center for disease control and prevention 2013.07-2014.06 |
| Social Solidarity and Mutualism (1/3) | 2,036,000,000 Ministry of Education 2013.09-2014.02 |
| An Integrated Study for a Successful Transition to Active Aging Korea based on an Inter-disciplinary Approach of Social Science and Biomedical Science (3/3) and Future Planning | 215,762,000 Ministry of Science, ICT 2013.09-2014.08 |
| Geriatric Diseases Prevention and Management Cohort | 164,817,000 Korea center for disease control and prevention 2014.01-2014.12 |
| 한국방정환재단 어린이 청소년 행복지수 연구개발 | 454,545,455 private enterprise 2014.03-2014.06 |
| Social Solidarity and Mutualism (2/3) | 31,818,182 Ministry of Education 2014.03-2015.02 |
| Etiology of Cardiovascular and Metabolic Diseases study | 458,608,000 Korea center for disease control and prevention 2014.07-2015.06 |
| Active ageing: from brain to social networks to communities (1/3) | 2,036,000,000 Ministry of Education 2014.09-2015.08 |
| Geriatric Diseases Prevention and Management Cohort | 293,940,000 Korea center for disease control and prevention 2015.02-2015.12 |
| Social Solidarity and Mutualism (3/3) | 272,727,273 Ministry of Education 2015.03-2016.02 |
| | 456,075,000 |

Presentations

Before Professional

Audiences in English :

SUBMISSION BASED

Laumann, Edward. O. and Yoosik Youm. "A Network Answer: Resolving the empirical puzzle about differential prevalence of sexually transmitted infections among racial and ethnic groups in the United States." Presented at the annual meeting of the **Sunbelt XVII and Fifth European International Social Networks**, May 28th, 1998. Sitges, Spain.

Youm, Yoosik and Edward. O. Laumann. "Trust in Marriage as Social Capital: Achieving the Optimal Division of Housework by Gender". Presented at the annual meeting of the **Sunbelt XIX International Social Network**, February 20th, 1999. Charleston, South Carolina.

Youm, Yoosik and Edward. O. Laumann. "A Network Approach to Household Division of Labor." Presented at the annual meeting of the **Population Association of America**, March 26th, 1999. New York, NY.

Youm, Yoosik and Edward O. Laumann. "Accounting for the Household Division of Labor: The Role of Trust in specifying the Relevance of Neoclassical, Power-Dependency, and Gender Theory Explanations." Presented at the meeting of the **Regular Section on Rational Choice** during the annual meeting of the **American Sociological Association**, August 7th, 1999. Chicago, IL.

Youm, Yoosik and Edward O. Laumann. "Social Network Effects on the Risk of Getting Sexually Transmitted Diseases". Presented at the annual meeting of the **Sunbelt XX International Social Network**, April 15th, 2000. Vancouver, Canada.

Youm, Yoosik. "Network Effects on Family Formation: Why Are African Americans less likely to Marry?" Presented at **Sunbelt XXI International Social Network**, April 26th, 2001. Budapest, Hungary.

Youm, Yoosik and Edward O. Laumann. "Social Network Effects on the Transmission of Sexually Transmitted Diseases," Presented at **Sunbelt XXI International Social Network**, April 27th, 2001. Budapest, Hungary.

Youm, Yoosik. "Network Effects on Family Formation: Why Are African Americans less likely to Marry?" Presented at **American Sociological Association**, 2001. Anaheim, CA.

Youm, Yoosik. "Sexual Market and Its Effects on Marriage Market in US: A Game-theoretic Approach with Network Embeddedness," Presented at the **Second Joint Japan – North America Conference on Mathematical Sociology**, June 1, 2002. Vancouver, BC, Canada.

Youm, Yoosik. "Network Propositions on the Division of Household Labor," Presented at **Population Association of America**. May 2, 2003. Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Youm, Yoosik. "Network Approaches to the Division of Household Labor: Autonomy and Cohesion," **Mathematical Sociology Section Session of American Sociological Association**, Aug 16, 2003. Atlanta, GA.

Youm, Yoosik. "Strengths of Communities with Low Infection Rates," **Mathematical Sociology Regular Session of American Sociological Association**, Aug 14, 2004. San Francisco, CA.

Youm, Yoosik. "Game-theoretic Approach to Social Trust: Social Capital vs. epotistic Capital on Health," Presented at the meeting of the **Mathematical Sociology Section Session** during the annual meeting of the **American Sociological Association**. August 2007. New York.

Youm, Yoosik and Byung-kyu Lee. "Contingent Effects of Brokerage Benefit on Bill Adoption in the Korean 17th National Assembly Regular Session. Networks and Power in Politics," Presented at the meeting of the **Social Networks Regular Session of American Sociological Association**. August 2010. Atlanta, USA.

Youm, Yoosik and Hyojoung Seo. Latent Classes of Social Closure and Their Effects on Subjective Well-being among Korean Adolescents. Presented at the meeting of **Section on Asia and Asian America at the American Sociological Association**. August 2010. Atlanta, USA.

INVITATION BASED

Youm, Yoosik and Edward O. Laumann. "Toward Resolving the Puzzle of the Household Division of Labor." Presented at the **Conflict and Cooperation in Families Conference** Co-sponsored by **the MacArthur Network on the Family and the Economy and the NICHD Family and Child Well-Being Research Network**. March 4th, 2000. Bethesda, Maryland.

Laumann, Edward O., Jenna Mahay, Anthony Paik, and Yoosik Youm. "Network Data Collection and its Relevance for the Analysis of STDs: The NHSLS and the CHSLS". **The Conference on Partnership Networks and the Spread of HIV and Other Infections** sponsored by **International Union for the Scientific Study of Population**. February 2000. Chiang Mai, Thailand.

Youm, Yoosik and Edward O. Laumann. "Toward resolving the puzzle of the household division of labor: The role of trust in specifying neoclassical economic, power-dependency, and sex-role attitude explanations" Presented at **Institute for the Study of Cooperative Relations (ISCORE)**, April 24th, 2001. Utrecht, Netherlands.

Youm, Yoosik. "Two Network Approaches to the Division of Housework," Presented at the **Colloquia series in Northwestern Sociology Department**. October 03, 2002. Evanston, IL.

Youm, Yoosik. "A Spatial Network Analysis of MSMs in Chicago," Presented at the **Sexual Networks: Implications for HIV/STD Prevention for gay men/MSM** sponsored by the **Office of AIDS and STD Control Branch of the California Department of Health Services**. September 15, 2003. Oakland, CA.

Youm, Yoosik. "A Primal Suspect: Strings between Us." Presented at the **Spring Institute** sponsored by the Sociology Department at the University of Chicago. May 21, 2004. Chicago, IL.

Youm, Yoosik. "The Gendered Effects of Support Networks on Cardiovascular Deaths among Older Koreans," Presented at the **Center on Aging and Life Course at Purdue**. March 04. 2010. USA.

Organizing Academic Meetings in English

Organizer for the Regular Session of "Public Opinion" for the **American Sociological Association** 2003 in Atlanta, Georgia.

Organizer for the session, "Drugs and spread of diseases" for **Sunbelt XXIII International Social Network** 2003 in Cancun, Mexico.