

Curriculum Vitae

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Date and Place of Birth:

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Education:

Ph.D.	University of Wisconsin-Madison 1986 Major: Sociology
M.S.	University of Wisconsin-Madison 1980 Major: Sociology
B.S.	Purdue University 1976 Major: Economics

Areas of Research and Teaching Interests:

Social Stratification
Demography
Community
Theory and Research Methods

Professional Experience:

Director, Population and Development Program, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, 2003 to present.

Professor, Department of Development Sociology, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, 2000 to present.

Associate Professor, Department of Rural Sociology, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, 1992 to 1999.

Assistant Professor, Department of Rural Sociology, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, 1986 to 1992.

Research Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 1978-1986.

Lecturer, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 1985.

Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 1980 to 1981.

Grants and Awards:

Cornell University Agricultural Experiment Station, 2010 - 2014. Principal Investigator, "Policy Education and Action for Fighting Poverty and Hardship in Upstate New York." \$93,000.

Cornell University Agricultural Experiment Station, 2011. Principal Investigator, with Jamie S. Dollahite and Katherine L. Dickin. "The Social Cost of Reducing a New York State Nutrition Education Program." \$27,300.

Cornell University Mario Einaudi Center for International Studies. 2011. Enhancing Demographic Research Capacity in Francophone Africa - Summer Conference and Workshop, Co-Principal Investigator with Parfait Enyegue-Eloundou, \$12,000.

Panel Study of Income Dynamics, 2010. Co-principal investigator with MR Rank. "SES and Health across Generations and across the Life Course." University of Michigan, Institute for Social Research, \$7,000.

Cornell University Agricultural Experiment Station, 2007 - 2010. Principal Investigator, "Fighting Poverty in the 21st Century." \$27,000.

Panel Study of Income Dynamics, 2007 - 2008, "Estimating the Likelihood of Asset Poverty Across the Life Course." University of Michigan, Institute for Social Research, \$25,000.

Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Policy Development and Research, 2001, "Rising Tides, Sinking Boats: the Consequences of Economic Restructuring and Racial Segregation for Connecticut's Inner City Poor," Principal Investigator, HUD Agreement Number H-21333SG, \$30,000.

Society for Social Work and Research, 2001. "Outstanding Research Award," "In recognition of exemplary contribution to knowledge in the profession of social work."

Cornell University Bronfenbrenner Life Course Center, 2001. Co-Principal Investigator with Mark R. Rank, 2001, "The Social Dynamics of Affluent Couples." Alfred P. Sloan Foundation Grant 99-6-23 H/R002, \$25,000.

United States Department of Agriculture. Co-Principal Investigator, 2000 - 2005, "Rural Labor Markets: Workers, Firms and Communities in Transition," \$100,000.

Named to the 2001, 55th edition of Marquis *Who's Who in America*.

Rural Policy Research Institute, 1998 – 1999. Principal Investigator. "The Effects of Welfare Reform on Metro and Nonmetro Areas of the United States." \$36,000.

Cornell University Agricultural Experiment Station, 1997 - 1999. Principal Investigator, "Social and Economic Survey of Nonmetropolitan New York." \$75,000

New York State 4-H Foundation and U.S.D.A. Co-Principal investigator with Eunice Rodriguez, Cornell University. 1996-1998. "Outcomes for Long-Term Community-based Youth Programs: A Statewide Impact Study of the 4-H Club Program in New York," \$25,000.

Cornell Community and Rural Development Institute, 1994. Innovator Award for work with New York State Teen Assessment Program, award presented for community research on teen at-risk behavior.

Institute for Social Research, Survey Research Center, The University of Michigan, "PSID Workshop on Rural Development," 1994-95. Grant to participate in

Workshop and present paper "Alternative Explanations for Increasing Inequality in Rural and Urban Areas of the United States," \$3,000.

Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison, and Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, United States Department of Health and Human Services Grant, Agreement Number 327P725, 1991-1992. Co-Principal investigator with Mark R. Rank, George Warren Brown School of Social Work, Washington University. Grant title - "The Impact of Population Density Upon the Use of Welfare Programs," \$15,000.

U.S.D.A. Grant NYC159488, 1989-1993. Co-Principal Investigator with Nelson L. Bills, Department of Agricultural Economics, Cornell University. "Implications of Population Change in New York State," \$41,800.

U.S.D.A. Grant NYC159402, 1989-1993. Co-Principal Investigator with Mark R. Rank, George Warren Brown School of Social Work, Washington University. "The Effects of Population Density on Welfare Dynamics: A National Replication," \$52,800.

American Lung Association of New York State Grant, 1990-1992. Principal Investigator. "Chronic Lung Disease Mortality in New York State," \$17,000.

American Council of Learned Societies Grant, 1986. Travel Grant to Attend the XIIIth Congress, European Rural Sociological Society, Braga, Portugal, \$1,500.

Publications:

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Mark R. Rank

2015 "The Life Course Dynamics of Affluence." *PLOS ONE* 10: e0116370.

Rank, Mark R, & Thomas A. Hirschl, T. A.

2015 "The Likelihood of Experiencing Relative Poverty over the Life Course." *PLOS ONE* 10:e0133513.

Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl

2014 "The Risk of Developing a Disability across the Adulthood Years." *Disability and Health Journal* 7:189-195.

- Hirschl, Thomas A., James G. Booth, Leland L. Glenna, and Brandn Q. Green
2012 "Politics, Religion, and Society: Is the United States Experiencing a Period of Religious-Political Polarization?" *Review of European Studies* Vol. 4, No. 4: 95-109.
- Hirschl, Thomas A., Mark R. Rank and Dela Kusi-Appouh
2011 "Ideology and the Experience of Poverty Risk: Views about Poverty within a Focus Group Design." *Journal of Poverty* 15:350-370.
- Hirschl, Thomas A. and Mark R. Rank
2010 "Home Ownership Across the American Life Course: Estimating the Racial Divide." *Race and Social Problems* 2:125-136.
- Sandoval, Daniel A., Mark R. Rank and Thomas A. Hirschl
2009 "The Increasing Risk of Poverty Across the American Life Course." *Demography* 46: 717-737.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
2009 "Estimating the Risk of Food Stamp Use and Impoverishment During Childhood." *Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine* 163: 994-999.
- Hirschl, Thomas A, James G. Booth and Leland L. Glenna
2009 "The Link Between Voter Choice and Religious Identity in Contemporary Society: Bringing Classical Theory Back In." *Social Science Quarterly* 90: 927-944.
- Hirschl, Thomas A.
2005 "On the Empirical Finding of a Higher Risk of Poverty in Rural Areas: Is Rural Residence Endogenous to Poverty? Comment." *Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics* 30:60-61.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
2005 "The Likelihood of Using Food Stamps During the Adulthood Years." *Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior* 37:137-146.
- Rank, Mark R., Hong-Sik Yoon and Thomas A. Hirschl
2003 "American Poverty as a Structural Failing: Evidence and Arguments." *Journal of Sociology and Social Welfare* 30:3-29.
- Hirschl, Thomas A., Joyce Altobelli and Mark R. Rank
2003 "Does Marriage Increase the Odds of Affluence: Exploring the Life Course Probabilities." *Journal of Marriage and Family* 65:927-938.

- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
2002 "Welfare Use as a Life Course Event: Toward a New Understanding of America's Safety Net." *Social Work* 47:237-248
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
2001 "Rags or Riches: Estimating the Probabilities of Poverty and Affluence Across the Adult American Life Span." *Social Science Quarterly* 82:651-669.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
2001 "The Measurement of Long Term Risks Across the Life Course." *Social Science Quarterly* 82:680-686.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
2001 "The Occurrence of Poverty Across the Life Cycle: Evidence from the PSID." *Journal of Policy Analysis & Management* 20: 737-756.

Reprinted in *JPAM Classics: Poverty and Welfare*, edited by Douglas Besharov. 2009. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
1999 "The Economic Risk of Childhood in America: Estimating the Probability of Poverty Across the Formative Years." *Journal of Marriage and Family* 61:1058-1067.
- Heaton, Tim B. and Thomas A. Hirschl
1999 "The Trajectory of Family Change in Nigeria." *Journal of Comparative Family Studies* 30:35-56.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
1999 "The Likelihood of Poverty across the American Adult Life Span." *Social Work* 44:201-216.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
1999 "Estimating the Risk of Poverty Across the Elderly Years." *Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences* 54B:S184-93.

Study findings cited in October 2001 issue of *Readers Digest*.
- Hirschl, Thomas A. and Mark R. Rank
1999 "Community Effects on Welfare Participation." *Sociological Forum* 14:155-174.

Kaufman, Gayle, Dudley L. Poston, Jr., Thomas A. Hirschl and J. Mayone Stycos
1997 "Teenage Sexual Attitudes in China." *Social Biology* 43: 141-154.

Reprinted in Chinese population journal:

1997 *Renkou Yanjiu* (Population Research) 21:24-29.

Brown, David L. and Thomas A. Hirschl

1995 "Household Poverty in Rural and Nonmetropolitan Core Areas of the United States." *Rural Sociology* 60:44-66.

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Nelson L. Bills

1994 "Urban Influences on Farmland Use in New York State." *Population Research and Policy Review* 13(2): 179-194.

Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl

1993 "The Link Between Welfare Participation and Population Density." *Demography* 30:607-622.

Reprinted by the Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison, IRP Reprint 701.

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Christine R. Long

1993 "Dairy Farm Survival in a Metropolitan Area: Dutchess County, New York, 1984-1990." *Rural Sociology* 58:461-474.

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Mark R. Rank

1991 "The Effect of Population Density on Welfare Participation." *Social Forces* 70:225-235.

Hirschl, Thomas A.

1990 "Homelessness: A Sociological Research Agenda." *Sociological Spectrum* 10:443-467.

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Samuel A. McReynolds

1989 "Service Employment and Rural Community Economic Development." *Journal of the Community Development Society* 20:15-30.

Summers, Gene F. and Thomas A. Hirschl

1989 "Cash Transfer Payments and Community Economic Development." *Journal of the Community Development Society* 16:121-132.

Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl

1988 "A Rural/Urban Comparison of Welfare Exits: the Importance of Population Density." *Rural Sociology* 53:190-206.

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Gene F. Summers

1982 "Cash Transfers and the Export Base of Small Communities." *Rural Sociology* 47:295-316.

Websites:

<http://www.scienceofsociety.org/>

<http://povertyaction.cals.cornell.edu/>

Monographs

Rank, Mark R., Thomas A. Hirschl and Kirk A. Foster

2014 *Chasing the American Dream: Understanding What Shapes Our Fortunes*. New York: Oxford University Press.

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Tim B. Heaton (eds.)

1999 *New York in the 21st Century*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press.

Davis, James, Thomas A. Hirschl and Michael Stack (eds.)

1997 *Cutting Edge: Technology, Information Capitalism, and Social Revolution*. London: Verso.

Heaton, Tim B., Thomas A. Hirschl and Bruce A. Chadwick (eds.)

1996 *Utah in the 1990s: A Demographic Perspective*. Salt Lake City: Signature Books.

Book Reviews

1993 *American Journal of Sociology* 98:1513-1515. Review of *Rural Poverty in America*. Duncan, Cynthia M. (ed.). 1992, Boulder, CO: Westview Press.

1987 *Rural Sociology* 52:306-7. Review of *Export Agriculture and the Crisis in Central America* by Robert Williams, 1987, Boulder, CO: Westview Press.

Non-peer Reviewed Publications

- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl.
 2014 “Economic Security and the American Dream,” chapter in *Working and Living in the Shadows of Economic Fragility*, Marion Crain and Michael Sherraden (eds.). New York: Oxford University Press.
- Miller, Dale and Thomas A. Hirschl.
 2013 Herkimer County Teen Assessment Project Summary: Tapping Into Teen Concerns, Perceptions and Behaviors in Herkimer County, New York. Utica, NY: Herkimer-Oneida Counties Comprehensive Planning Program. 95pp.
- Currens, Benjamin and Thomas A. Hirschl.
 2012 “Poverty In Tompkins County: Correcting Inflated Rates due to Misclassification of College Students.” Working Paper No. 1, Program in Policy Education and Action for Fighting Poverty and Economic Hardship in Upstate New York, Department of Development Sociology, Cornell University, July.
- Chely, Joseph E. and Thomas A. Hirschl.
 2012 “Fighting Poverty in the United States: A Survey of Nongovernmental Funding Sources and Programs, 2011 – 2012.” Working Paper No. 2, Program in Policy Education and Action for Fighting Poverty and Economic Hardship in Upstate New York, Department of Development Sociology, Cornell University, July.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
 2010 Estimating the Life Course Dynamics of Asset Poverty. Center For Social Development, George Warren Brown School of Social Work, Washington University in St. Louis, CSD Working Paper 10-25.
- Miller, Dale and Thomas A. Hirschl.
 2010 Herkimer County Teen Assessment Project Summary: Tapping Into Teen Concerns, Perceptions and Behaviors in Oneida County, New York. Utica, NY: Herkimer-Oneida Counties Comprehensive Planning Program. 44pp.
- Hirschl, Thomas A, Daniel B. Ahlquist and Leland L. Glenna
 2008 “Ideology and the Crisis of Capitalism.” *Workplace* 15:75-92.
- Hirschl, Thomas A. and Julie N. Zimmerman

2008 "Welfare." Pp.1082-1085 in Gary Goreham (ed.) *Encyclopedia of real America: The Land and People*. Millerton, NY: Grey House Publishing.

Hirschl, Thomas A.

2007 "Poverty in New York State: Patterns and Prospects." *Community and Rural Development Institute Research and Policy Brief 12* (December), 2 pages.

Miller, Dale and Thomas A. Hirschl.

2004 Oneida County Teen Assessment Project Summary: Tapping Into Teen Concerns, Perceptions and Behaviors in Oneida County, New York. Utica, NY: Herkimer-Oneida Counties Comprehensive Planning Program. 45pp.

Zimmerman, Julie N. and Thomas A. Hirschl

2003 "Welfare Reform in Rural Areas: A Voyage Through Uncharted Waters." Pp.363-374 in David L. Brown and Louis E. Swanson (eds.) *Challenges for Rural American in the Twenty-First Century*. University Park, PA: Pennsylvania State University Press.

Seitz, James A. and Thomas A. Hirschl.

2003 Tapping into Teen Concerns, Perceptions and Behaviors in Southhampton, NY. Riverhead, NY: Town of Southhampton. 67pp.

Telfer, Kay, June P. Mead and Thomas A. Hirschl.

2002 Teen Assessment Project: Tapping into Teen Concerns, Perceptions, and Behaviors in Broome County, New York. Binghamton, NY: Cornell Cooperative Extension. 54 pp.

Zimmerman, Julie and Thomas A. Hirschl

2002 "What do we know: welfare reform in rural areas." *Rural Issue Brief* 8 (May), University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky.

Zimmerman, Julie and Thomas A. Hirschl

2002 "Why don't we know more: research and welfare reform in rural areas." *Rural Issue Brief* 9(May), University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky.

Hirschl, Thomas A, Joyce Altobelli and Mark R. Rank. "Affluence and Marriage:

2001 How Likely, How Often?" Cornell University, Center for the Study of Inequality Working Paper, <http://www.inequality.com/>.

- Hirschl, Thomas A., Jill L. Findeis, Mark Henry, Willis Lewis, Ismael Ortega-Sanchez, Emelie Peine and Julie Zimmerman.
2001 *Welfare Reform in Rural America: A Review of Current Research*. Columbia, MO: University of Missouri-Columbia, Rural Policy Research Institute, White Paper P2001-5.
- Telfer, Kay, June P. Meade and Thomas A. Hirschl
1999 *Teen Assessment Project Report: Tapping into Teen Concerns, Perceptions and Behaviors in Broome County, New York*. Binghamton: Cornell Cooperative Extension, November, 47 pages.

Related report in *Binghamton Press and Sun*, November 14, twelve page insert, 50,000 copies inserted into Sunday edition.
- Hirschl, Thomas A. with RUPRI Welfare Reform Panel
1999 *Rural America and Welfare Reform: An Overview Assessment*. Columbia, MO: University of Missouri-Columbia, Rural Policy Research Institute, White Paper P99-3.
- Mead, June P., Eunice Rodriguez, Thomas A. Hirschl and Stephen E. Goggin
1999 *Understanding the Difference 4-H Clubs Make in the Lives of New York Youth: How 4-H Contributes to Positive Youth Development*. Ithaca, NY, Cornell Cooperative Extension.
- Hirschl, Thomas A.
1999 "The Significance of Labor Market Participation in an Era of Economic Hardship." Pp.12-35 in Hirschl, Thomas A. and Tim B. Heaton (eds.). *New York in the 21st Century*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press.
- Hirschl, Thomas A., Dudley L. Poston, Jr. and W. Parker Frisbie
1998 "The Effects of Private and Public Sustenance Organization on Population Redistribution in New York State." Pp.251-268 in M Micklin and DL Poston (eds.) *Continuities in Sociological Human Ecology: Essays in Honor of Amos H. Hawley*. New York: Plenum.
- Telfer, Kay, Thomas A. Hirschl and June P. Mead.
1996 *Teen Assessment Project Report: Tapping into Teen Concerns, Perceptions and Behaviors in Broome County, New York*. Binghamton, NY: Cornell Cooperative Extension (November).
- Hirschl, Thomas A. and Elizabeth Peters
1996 "Financial Support for Children, Welfare Reform, and Parental Employment." *Issue Brief* 1(4), Bronfenbrenner Life Course Center, Cornell University (October).

- Hirschl, Thomas A., Elizabeth Peters and Moncrieff Cochran
 1996 "Supporting Children in an Era of Welfare Reform." New York State College of Human Ecology Policy Perspectives 1:(1) Fall.
- NYS Pathways from Poverty Team and Thomas A. Hirschl
 1996 "Establishing Pathways from Poverty in a Block Grant Environment." Ithaca, NY: Community and Rural Development Institute, Cornell University.
- Hirschl, Thomas A.
 1995 "Underemployment in New York State." *Population and Development* 15(May).
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl
 1995 "The Food Stamp Program and Hunger: Constructing Three Different Claims." Pp.241-260 in D. Maurer and J. Sobal (eds.) *Food, Eating and Nutrition as Social Problems: Constructionist Perspectives*. New York: Aldine de Gruyter.
- Hirschl, Thomas A. and David L. Brown
 1995 "The Determinants of Rural and Urban Poverty." Pp.229-246 in E. Castle (ed.) *The American Countryside: Rural People and Places*. Manhattan, KS: University of Kansas Press.
- Hirschl, Thomas A.
 1994 "The Population of New York and Cooperative Extension." Video Tape for Cornell Cooperative Extension. Ithaca, NY: Roserock Video Production.
- Huang, Lang Wen and Thomas A. Hirschl
 1993 "Trends and Economic Status of New York State Families with Children." *Population and Development* 14(April).
- Hirschl, Thomas A. and Nelson L. Bills
 1993 "Urban Influences on Farmland Use in New York State." Ithaca, NY: Cornell University, Department of Agricultural Economics Working Paper No.93-12.
- Brown, David L. and Thomas A. Hirschl
 1993 "Structural Determinants of Poverty in Rural Areas and Central Cities of the United States." Ithaca, NY: Cornell University, Population and Development Program Working Paper Number 3.01.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl

1992 "The Link Between Population Density and Food Stamp Program Participation." Madison, WI: University of Wisconsin, Madison, Institute for Research on Poverty Discussion Paper Number 988-92.

Hirschl, Thomas A., and Hong Hoai Tran

1992 "Race/Ethnic Change in New York State, 1980-1990." *Population and Development* 13(December).

Poston, Dudley L., Jr., Thomas A. Hirschl and W. Parker Frisbie

1992 "Sustenance Organization and Population Redistribution in New York State: A Human Ecological Analysis." Pp. 193-220 in PC Jobes, WF Stinner and JM Wardwell (eds.) *Community, Society, and Migration: Noneconomic Migration in America*. Lanham, MD: University Press of America.

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Warren A. Brown

1991 "Population Change in New York State, 1980-1990." *Population and Development* 11(April).

Brown, David L., Warren A. Brown and Thomas A. Hirschl

1991 *People, Jobs and Income*. Ithaca, NY: Community and Rural Development Institute, Cornell University.

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Christine R. Long

1991 "Dairy Farming in an Urbanizing Environment: A Study of Farm Survival." Cornell University, Population Information Program Paper No. 3.

Hirschl, Thomas A. and Mei Han

1990 "Slow Population Growth in a Postindustrial State: the New York Experience." *Population and Development* 9 (October).

Eberts, Paul R., Marwan Khawaja, and Thomas A. Hirschl

1990 "Changing Socioeconomic Conditions in Rural New York State." *Population and Development* 7-8 (February-March).

Lyson, Thomas A. and Thomas A. Hirschl.

1990 "The Changing Structure of Our Rural Economy: Implications for State and Local Policy." *New York's Food and Life Sciences Quarterly* 20:12-16.

Hirschl, Thomas A.

1989 "Local Review of the 1990 Census." *Population and Development* 6 (May).

Reprinted in *Population Notes* 20(October). Madison, WI: Applied Population Laboratory, Department of Rural Sociology, University of Wisconsin.

- Brown, Joseph W., and Thomas A. Hirschl
 1989 "Teenage Sexuality and Childbearing in New York State." *Population and Development* 5 (January).
- Hirschl, Thomas A.
 1989 "Retirement Transfers and Local Wage Rates. Pp. 55-60 in GF Summers (ed.), *Community Economic Vitality: Major Trends and Selected Issues*. Ames, IA: North Central Center for Regional Development.
- Hirschl, Thomas A., Leonard E. Bloomquist and Gene F. Summers
 1989 "Right-to-Work Legislation and Local Labor Market Growth." Pp. 223-240 in WW Falk and TA Lyson (eds.), *Research in Rural Sociology and Development*. Greenwich, CT: JAI Press.
- Hirschl, Thomas A. and Jamshid A. Momeni
 1989 "Homelessness in New York State: A Socioeconomic and Demographic Analysis." Pp. 131-144 in JA Momeni (ed.), *Homelessness in the United States*. Westport, CT: Greenwood Press.
- Lyson, Thomas A. and Hirschl, Thomas A.
 1988 "Industrial Change in New York State Labor Market Areas." *Population and Development* 4 (September).
- Summers, Gene F., Leonard E. Bloomquist, Thomas A. Hirschl and Ron E. Shaffer (eds.)
 1988 *Community Economic Vitality: Major Trends and Selected Issues*. Ames, Iowa: North Central Regional Center for Rural Development.
- Hirschl, Thomas A.
 1988 "Homelessness in New York State." *Population and Development* 3 (April).
- Hirschl, Thomas A., Warren Brown, and Thomas A. Lyson
 1988 *Rural New York in a Post-Urban Industrial Society*. Ithaca, NY: Department of Rural Sociology, Cornell University.
- Hirschl, Thomas A., Jeanne M. Hogarth and Carol Anderson
 1988 *People and Their Communities in New York State*. Ithaca, NY: Cornell Cooperative Extension.
- McReynolds, Samuel A., and Thomas A. Hirschl
 1987 "Youth Unemployment in New York State." *Population and Development* 2 (December).

Hirschl, Thomas A.

1987 "Population Aging in a Post-Industrial Society: The Experience of New York State." *Population and Development* 1 (October).

1987 "Young People of Steuben County: A Survey of Youth Culture." Population Information Program Paper No. 2.

1987 "Finding Shelter in Cortland County: A Local Housing Market Study. Population Information Program Paper No. 1.

Summers, Gene F. and Thomas A. Hirschl

1985 "Retirees are a Growth Industry." *Rural Development Perspectives* (February). Washington, DC: United States Department of Agriculture.

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1985 "Shifts in Rural Income: the Implications of Unearned Income for Rural Community Development." Pp. 127-141 in FA Fear and HK Schwarzweller (eds.), *Research in Rural Sociology and Development*. Greenwich, CT: JAI Press.

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Select Media Coverage

Select media coverage of Rank and Hirschl, "Estimating the Risk of Food Stamp Use and Impoverishment During Childhood," *Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine*:

Katie Couric's Notebook on CBS National News

http://www.cbsnews.com/8301-500803_162-6012013-500803.html

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<http://www.cnn.com/video/#/video/health/2009/11/03/food.stamps.kids.cnn>

NBC National News: Brian Williams

http://www.msnbc.com/id/33591333/ns/us_news-life/

New York Times

http://www.nytimes.com/2009/11/29/us/29foodstamps.html?pagewanted=3&ref=food_stamps

USA Today

http://www.usatoday.com/news/health/2009-11-02-food-stamps_N.htm

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Ithaca Journal, April 5, 2011, Liz Lawyer, "Census: Tompkins County Population steadily rises," p.1

Selected Professional Presentations

- 2012. "Holding Fast to a Dream: Middle Class Dynamics in the United States, 1984 – 2009. Presentation at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, San Francisco, March 3 – 6, with Ashon Bradford.
- 2012. Discussant for paper session "Demographic Perspectives on Inequality," Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, San Francisco, March 3 – 6.
- 2012. Chaired paper session "Methodological Approaches for Examining Internal Migration," Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, San Francisco, March 3 – 6.
- 2011. Discussant for Panel on Population Change in sub-Saharan Africa, International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, Yaoundé, Cameroon, January 10 - 15.
- 2011. Measuring the Likelihood of Developing a Work Disability Across the Life Course. With Mark R. Rank and Timothy D. McBride. Paper presented to the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Washington, DC, March 31 - April 2.
- 2011. Chaired session on "Fertility and Reproductive Health During/After Bad Times." Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, Washington, DC, March 31 - April 2.

2011. "Religion and Politics in America: An Empirical Test of Individualist Versus Social Models." Paper Presented at the Annual Meetings of the Rural Sociological Society, Boise, ID, July 28 - 31.
2011. "Poverty Policy, Social Dependency, and Vision: A New Social Science Research Agenda." Invited presentation to the Lewis Mumford Center for Urban and Regional Research, University at Albany, October 28.
2011. "The Global Life Course and Development: Is the Transition to Adulthood a Stimulus for Social Reform? A Review of Recent ILO Data" with Paul G. Berry. Paper presented to Conference "Rethinking Development," Cornell University, November 9 - 11.
2011. "Social Science and Political Challenges of the 21st Century." Presentation to the Symposium on "Marxism and the Current Political Situation," Chicago, IL, November 10 - 12.
2010. Invited lecture to University of Yaoundé, Cameroon, "The social science of poverty in the United States and the world," December 1.
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl. 2008. "Estimating the Life Course Dynamics of Asset Poverty." Paper presented at the conference Pensions, Private Accounts, and Retirement Savings over the Life Course University of Michigan, November 20-21, 2008
- Rank, Mark R. and Thomas A. Hirschl. 2002. "Estimating the Probabilities and Patterns of Food Stamp Use Across the Life Course." Paper presented at the 2001-2002 USDA Food Assistance Research Development Grants Workshop, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, April 19, 2002.
- "Economic Restructuring and its Consequences in Hartford, Connecticut." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, August, 2001.
- "Moral and Ideological Determinants of Food Stamp Participation: Past Research and Future Directions." Community Nutrition Seminar, Invited Lecture, Cornell University, November 29, 1999.
- "4-H Club Participation and Positive Youth Development: An Elusive Question." Annual Meetings of the American Evaluation Association, Nov 3-5, 1999, Orlando, Florida.
- "Social Outcomes to Welfare Reform." Presentation to U.S. Senate Finance Committee, Washington, DC, February 11, 1999.

- “The 4-H Club Model: Results from An Evaluation.” Satellite conference, CCE 2nd Tuesday, January 12, 1999
- “Welfare Reform in New York State: Implications for Families and Work.” Presentation to the New York State Legislature, Albany, NY, October 24, 1996.
- “The Structural Context of Welfare Participation.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 16-20, 1996.
- “Underemployment and Gender.” Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, New Orleans, May 9-11, 1996.
- “Welfare Reform: Will the Rural Poor be Overlooked?” Paper presented to Congressional Staff Briefing, Arlington, VA, September 22, 1995
- “The Food Stamp Program and Hunger: Constructing Three Different Claims.” 1995. Paper presented to the Midwest Sociological Society Meetings, Chicago, IL, April 6-9.
- "Residential Determinants of Food Stamp Participation: Evidence from the PSID." 1992. Presentation to the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and the Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Washington, DC, May 7.
- "The Effects of Public and Private Sustenance Organization on Population Redistribution in New York State." 1992. Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Rural Sociological Society, University Park, PA, August 16-19.
- "Rural and Central City Determinants of Poverty." 1992. With David L. Brown. Presentation to the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, April 30 - May 2, Denver.
- "Patterns and Determinants of Welfare Use Among Southeast Asian Refugees." Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Population Association of America, April 1- 3, Cincinnati.
- "Welfare and the Rural Poor: Reasons for Nonparticipation." 1993. Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the Rural Sociological Society, University Park, PA, August 7 - 10, Orlando, Florida.
- "The Link Between Welfare and Population Density." 1993. Paper presented at the Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, August 13 - 17, Miami, Florida.

Professional Activities:

Chair, CALS Faculty Senate, 2012 to 2013.

Executive Committee, CALS Faculty Senate, 2010 to 2013.

Faculty Fellow, Flora Rose House, 2009 - 2012

Faculty Representative for Development Sociology, CALS Curriculum Committee, 2011 - present

Research Panel, National Research Initiative, USDA, April 24 - 27, 2004

Member, Gamma Sigma Delta, The Honor Society of Agriculture, 1996 to present.

Chapter President, Alpha Kappa Delta, International Sociology Honor Society, 1995 to present.

Department Extension Leader, 1996 to present.

Associate Editor, *Rural Sociology*, 1995 to 1999.

Co-Editor, *Applied Demography*, Newsletter for the Population Association of America Committee on State and Local Demography, 1988-1991.

Member: American Sociological Association, Population Association of America and Rural Sociological Society.

Reviewer: *American Sociological Review*, *Demography*, National Science Foundation, *Social Forces*, *Sociological Inquiry*, *Economic Development Quarterly*, *Sociological Quarterly*.

Alternative Design Assessment for Census 2000. Committee constituted by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1992.

Member, Alpha Kappa Delta, International Sociology Honor Society, 1992 to present.

Program Reviewer, Small Business Administration Small Research Grants, 1995

Teaching:

Introduction to Sociology (DSoc 1101)

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Institutional Service:

University and College Committees:

“Support of Teaching and Learning Committee,” College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, 2004-8.

Search Committee for Dean of Students, Cornell University, 2001

Affirmative Action Committee, Faculty Senate, 2001-03

Nominations and Elections Committee, Faculty Senate, 2000.

Cornell Social Science Computing Committee, 1988 to present.

Chair, Human Development Statewide Program Committee, 1997 to 1998.

Chair, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Department Extension Leaders,
1997 to 1999.

Director's Search, Cornell Cooperative Extension Information Services, 1997.

Director's Search, Campus Life Director, Cornell University, 1997.

Faculty-in-Residence, Cornell University, 1994 to 1998.

Cornell Social Science Survey Research Committee, 1992 to 1996.

Cornell Cooperative Extension Metropolitan Advisory Committee, 1990 to 1993.

Chair, College Social Science Honors Committee, 1988-1993.

Department committees:

Director, Undergraduate Studies, Development Sociology.

Graduate Admissions Committee.

Cooperative Extension Committee.