# ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

1991 - 1993:	Instructor; Division of Environmental & Occupational Medicine and Division of Neuropathology, Mount Sinai Medical Center - New York, NY
1993 - 2000:	Assistant Professor; Division of Environmental & Occupational Medicine Department of Community Medicine, Mount Sinai School of Medicine
2001 – 2008:	Associate Professor; Department of Community and Preventive Medicine Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York NY
2004 – present:	<b>Chief; Division of International Health</b> Department of Community and Preventive Medicine Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York NY
2009 – 2013: 2013- present:	Tenured Associate Professor, Department of Preventive Medicine Tenured Professor, Department of Preventive Medicine

### **EDUCATION**

Universidad de Puerto Rico	B.S.	1984	Biology
Albert Einstein College of Medicine	M.S.	1989	Pathology
Albert Einstein College of Medicine	Ph.D.	1990	Neuropathology

### HONORS AND AWARDS

1990:	Robert C. Barnard Award; Environmental Protection Agency
1990:	Environmental Science and Engineering Fellowship;
	American Association for the Advancement of Science
1996:	Dean's Travel Award to Junior Women Faculty;
	American Association of Medical Colleges
1997:	Outstanding Research in Health and Safety Award;
	New York Laborer's Research Foundation
1998:	National Environmental Education Achievement Award;
	National Environmental Education and Training Foundation
1999:	Outstanding Woman Scientist Award;
	New York Academy of Sciences
1999:	Mentor Award of the Year;
	American Association for the Advancement of Science
2001:	Excellence in the Academy Award;
	National Education Association
2003:	Distinguished Visiting Scholar;
	Education Development Center
2003:	Profile Highlighted in the Book: Science in the Private Interest, By
	Sheldon Krimsky; Rowman & Littlefield Publishing Group, Inc.
	The book highlights Dr. Claudio as an example of science in the public
	interest, Chapter 11, pp. 192 - 195
2004:	Equity Champion;
	Educational Equity Concepts presented at the United Nations

- 2007: Faculty Council Award for Academic Excellence; Mount Sinai School of Medicine
- 2018: Award for Outstanding Service to Underserved Communities; Mount Sinai Auxiliary Board

#### OTHER PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

1995: National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences – Study Section Special Review Committee; Environmental Partnerships for Communication Made recommendations for funding environmental justice grants 1997 - 1999: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - Committee Member National Advisory Committee for the Development of Acute Exposure Guideline Levels for Hazardous Substances Provided toxicology expertise for regulation of industrial chemicals during emergency releases **Children's Environmental Health Network - Research Committee** 1997 – present: Develop a research policy agenda for national efforts in children's environmental health 1998 - 2000: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - Scientific Advisory Panel Provided expert advice on methods and policies for developmental neurotoxicity testing of industrial chemicals 1998 – 2000: New School University – Institutional Review Board Review grant applications on the basis of ethical conduct of research National Institutes of Health, Office of the Director -1998 - 2002: **Council of Public Representatives** Advise Dr. Harold Varmus, Director the NIH, on the establishment of a national agenda for community outreach, education and new programs that are responsive to the needs of the public 1999 - 2000: International Life Sciences Institute Member of the Working Group on Developmental Neurotoxicity to review guidelines for pesticide regulation and testing policies 1999 - 2003: Food Quality Protection Act, Scientific Advisory Panel Member of a national panel that reviewed the new law for regulation of pesticides by the Environmental Protection Agency Environmental Health Perspectives, Journal of NIEHS/NIH Contributing Editor 1999 - 2003: Editorial Review Board, appointed in 2003 2003 – present: 2000 - 2002: American Academy of Pediatrics; Consortium on Latino Children's Health Co-authored article on the health status of Latino children and made recommendations for improving outreach and health care in this population. 2000-2001: Mount Sinai School of Medicine, Complementary and Alternative Medicine Advisory Committee. Member of the committee that advised Dean Arthur Rubenstein on the viability of CAM at Mount Sinai School of Medicine

- 2001 present: **American Journal of Industrial Medicine**; **Contributing Editor** Review articles submitted and make recommendations for publication
- 2002 2003: Academy of Education Development; Advisory Committee on Science Gender and After School Made recommendations for improving practices in after school programs
- 2003 2005: National Institutes of Health; Environmental Health Sciences Review Committee of the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences. This committee is advisory to the National Advisory Council and reviews applications from Environmental Health Centers of Excellence
- 2003 2004: **Mount Sinai School of Medicine**; Minority Students Admissions Committee, Center for Multicultural and Community Affairs
- 2003 2006: Healthy Schools Network; Board of Directors
- 2004 2006: Adult Literacy Media Alliance and TV 411; Advisory Board member
- 2006 2010: **Ciencia y Trabajo, Editorial Council**, Brokered development of the journal of Asociacion Chilena de Seguridad as a Spanish co-publication of the NIEHS journal *Environmental Health Perspectives*. *Ciencia y Trabajo* is now the premier journal in the environmental health sciences in Latin America
- 2006 2010: **Fogarty International Center**; **Advisory Board** National Institutes of Health, advices the director of the Fogarty International Center of the NIH on programmatic matters on global health
- 2010 2012: **National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, Review Member** 2012 -2017 Strategic Plan: Advancing Science, Improving Health: A Plan for Environmental Health Research
- 2008 present: **Collegium Ramazzini:** Member of the independent international academy of experts in occupational and environmental health
- 2012 present: Institute of Medicine of the National Academies Member of Roundtable on Environmental Health Sciences, Research and Medicine

# ADMINISTRATIVE LEADERSHIP APPOINTMENTS

#### INTERNAL:

- 2004 present: **Department of Community and Preventive Medicine Chief of the Division of International Health** – Since appointed, has expanded international grant support, facilitated international collaboration between Mount Sinai and foreign faculty and developed formal collaborations with institutions in Mexico, Brazil, Chile, Spain, Argentina and South Africa
- 2012 present: **Mount Sinai School of Medicine Diversity Council Representative for the Department of Preventive Medicine** - The Diversity Council is composed of senior faculty and reports to the Dean of the School of Medicine. Its mission is to promote diversity in faculty recruitment, retention, development and inclusion at Mount Sinai.

# Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry - Chair of Community Outreach Subcommittee, Board of Scientific Councilors

Provided advice on community outreach, education and policy initiatives, particularly those related to national environmental justice cases

# TRAINING RECORD

NAME	LEVEL OF TRAINEE	ROLE IN TRAINING AND DATES	TRAINING VENUE	TRAINEE CURRENT STATUS
Alicia Hurtado	Undergraduate	Mentor Summer 1995	Short-term training program	Assistant Professor Psychiatry MSSM
Naida Montes	Undergraduate	Mentor Summer 1995	Short-term training program	Director of Technical Services, Eli Lilly, Puerto Rico
Leon Tulton*	Undergraduate to Masters	Mentor 1996 – 1998 and 2004- 2005	Short-term training program. Then as research mentor	Researcher and Editor New York City Asthma Partnership, Department of Health
Ava Onalaja *	Undergraduate	Mentor 2000	Short-term training program.	Program manager at Association of Public Health Laboratories Global Health Program
Roberto Refeca	Undergraduate	Mentor Summer 1997	Short-term training program	Manager, Regulatory Affairs at HeartWare, Inc.
Madelyn Baez, PhD	Undergraduate	Mentor 2000 - 2002	Research assistant	Post-doctoral fellow in Neuroscience, University of Pennsylvania
Allison L. Russell Haders, MD*	Undergraduate	Mentor Summer 1999	Short-term training and research assistant	Medical Attending at the Emergency Department, Trinitas Regional Medical Center, Elizabeth, NJ
Winston Kwa, MD *	Masters	Mentor Fall 1999	Mount Sinai School of Medicine Program	Internist and occupational medicine specialist at Mount Sinai School Medicine
Magdia De Jesus, PhD	High school and undergraduate	Mentor Summer 1999 and 2001	Short-term training program	PhD graduate in parasitology, Albert Einstein College of Medicine
Stephanie Alexander, MPH	Undergraduate	Mentor Summer 2001	Mount Sinai School of Medicine Program	Epidemiologist at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Tania Cossio, MPH	Undergraduate and Masters	Mentor Summer 2001 Research coordinator 2003-2004	Short-term training program Division of International Health	MD Graduate New York Medical College at Valhalla, NY

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Elizabeth Lopez, MPH	Undergraduate and Masters	Masters Thesis Mentor Summer 2002 2006-2008	Short-term training program Thesis committee member	Completed doctorate of Health Education, Adjunct Assistant Professor, University of Arizona
Janice Lansita, PhD	Undergraduate	Mentor 1997- 1998	Short-term training program	Completed doctorate in Toxicology at MIT Currently Pharmacology and Toxicology Reviewer at FDA
Diana Morales, MPH	Undergraduate and Masters	Mentor Summer 2002 Summer 2004 2005-2007	Short-term training program Thesis mentor	Graduate student in environmental health sciences, University of Puerto Rico
Amanda Levy, MPH	Master	Mentor Summer 2003 Summer 2004	Short-term training program	Environmental Health Epidemiologist, Department of Health, New York
Jeanette Stingone, MPH*	Master	Master thesis mentor and 2003-2007	MSSM MPH Program	Completing PhD in Epidemiology at University of North Carolina
Mariano Solorzano, MPH *	Master	Mentor 2004 - 2005	Short-term training program	Technician in Geographical Sciences, USDA
Kadiann G. Campbell, MPH	Master	Mentor Spring 2005	Short-term training program	Graduate student; Florida A&M University
Reson Konchellah, MPH	Master	Mentor Spring 2005	Short-term training program	Graduate student Florida A&M University
Andrea Bain, MPH	Master	Mentor Spring 2006	Short-term training program	Project Manager for the Florida Department of Environmental Protection
Adrienne Williams, MPH	Master	Mentor Spring 2006	Short-term training program	Received law degree from Texas Southern University Thurgood Marshall School of Law-Federal Employee, Washington, DC
Alexis Harman	Undergraduate	Mentor Spring 2007	Short-term training program	Completed an MD from St. George's University
Misha Granado, MPH	Master	Mentor Spring 2007	Short-term training program	Fulbright Fellow Barriers in breast cancer screening Barbados, WI
Sarah Williams, MPH	Master	Mentor 2007 - 2008	Short-term training program	Completed fashion merchandise and management degree at FIT, New York
Jennifer Colon	Undergraduate	Mentor Summer 2007	Short-term training program	Received MSW at Hunter College School of Social Work
Jennifer Northridge *	Medical Student	Mentor Summer 2007	Training program for medical students	Completed MD at MSSM. Pediatrics Intern at New York Presbyterian Hospital
Oluwafunke Adeyemo	Undergraduate	Mentor Fall 2007	Short-term training program	Pursuing MPH from Mount Sinai School of Medicine

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Angelica Flores	Undergraduate	Mentor Fall 2007	Short-term training program	Practice Administrator, Institute for Family Health
Sheyla Garced Tirado, MPH*	Master	Mentor Summer 2008	Short-term training program	Completing an MPH from the University of Puerto Rico, Medical Sciences Campus
Nadelly Cabrera	Undergraduate	Mentor Summer 2008	Short-term training program	Pursuing a B.A in Business Administration from Rutgers University
Katherine Svensson, MPH*	Master	Mentor Fall 2008 – Spring 2009	Short-term training program	Currently Research Coordinator with Dr. Claudio
Carla Toro Colon, MPH	Master	Mentor Spring 2009 -	Short-term training program	Currently Director of Pest Interventions, New York City Department of Health
Mayra Vega	Undergraduate	Mentor Summer 2010	Short-term training program	Yale University, Clinical Research Assistant
Brenda Vazquez Fuentes	Master	Mentor Summer 2010	Short-term training program	Coordinator, International Coastal Cleanup Puerto Rico -Ocean Conservancy at Suba Dogs Society
Elaine Rodriguez	Undergraduate	Mentor 2010- 2011	Short-term training program	Attending Medical school- SUNY Upstate
Nally Calzado	Undergraduate	Mentor 2010 – 2011	Short-term training program	Research coordinator at Albert Einstein College of Medicine
Kelley Coffman*	Undergraduate	Mentor 2011	Short-term training program	Medical Student at Georgetown University
Jorge Gutierrez	Master	Mentor 2012	Short-term training program	Research coordinator, Department of Pediatrics, Columbia University - Applying to medical school
Beatriz Traa	Master	Mentor 2012	Short-term training program	Medical school at the University of Rochester
Courtney Rumala	Master	Mentor 2012	Short-term training program	PhD Program
Glory Ann Rivera, MPH*	PhD	Mentor 2012	International program	Conducting joint research project at University of Puerto Rico
Andrea Deierlein, PhD*	Post-doctoral	Mentor 2011- present	Pediatric Environmental Health Program	Currently post-doctoral Fellow at MSSM. Received a K99 Award
Jeanette Stingone, PhD*	Post-doctoral	Mentor 2012- present	Mascia Fellow	Received postdoctoral fellowship and pilot project funding. Submitting K99 proposal in April 2015
Roni Kobrosly, PhD	Post-doctoral	Mentor 2014 - present	Pediatric Environmental Health Fellow	Collecting preliminary data for K proposal
Gaurav Pandey, PhD	Assistant professor	Collaborator 2014 - present	Department of Genetics	Submitted and obtained pilot project proposal with the aim of collecting preliminary data for RO1 for new investigators

\* Trainees who have co-authored peer reviewed articles. See reference list.

#### **ROLE IN** TRAINEE LEVEL OF NAME TRAINING TRAINING VENUE CURRENT TRAINEE AND DATES STATUS International Researcher in Doctoral Training Program clinical practice. Joya Correia, MD Post-doctoral Mentor in Environmental University of Sao 2004-2006 and Occupational Paulo School of Health Medicine, Brazil International Professor. Post-doctoral Training Program National School of Marcelo Firpo, Post-doctoral in Environmental Mentor Public Health, PhD FIOCRUZ, Rio de 2005 - 2009 and Occupational Health Janeiro, Brazil Coordinator Of Postgraduate International Program In Post-doctoral Training Program Occupational Raul Sanchez, Post-doctoral Mentor 2004in Environmental Medicine. MD \* and Occupational 2007 Mexican Institute Health of Social Security, Mexico Vice-director, International Center for Studies Training Program of Workers' Health Post-doctoral Frederico Peres. in Environmental Post-doctoral Mentor and Human PhD \* 2010 - 2012 and Occupational Ecology, FIOCRUZ, Rio de Health Janeiro, Brazil International Research professor, Juarez Guadalupe Doctoral Training Program Garcia Arenas, Doctoral mentor in Environmental University, Mexico MD, PhD \* and Occupational 1998 - 2001 Health Professor IV. International Post-doctoral Training Program Rio de Janeiro Joao Machado Post-doctoral mentor 2004 in Environmental Federal Torres. PhD \* 2007 and Occupational University, Brazil Health International Researcher Training Program John Post-doctoral Centro de Estudo Sydenstricker-Post-doctoral Mentor 2006 in Environmental de Metropole, Sao Neto, PhD and Occupational Paulo, Brazil 2008 Health Researcher and professor in the International Masters and Post-doctoral Training Program Doctorate degree William Post-doctoral Mentor in Environmental programs in public Waissmann, PhD 2009 - present and Occupational health at FIOCRUZ, Rio de Health Janeiro, Brazil

### International Postdoctoral Fellows Mentored

Ana Maria Mora- Mora, MD, PhD	Doctoral	Mentor 2011-present	Training Program to Reduce Chronic Diseases in Latin America	Researcher, IRET Universidad Nacional Costa Rica & PhD Epidemiology Environmental Research and Children's Health (CERCH) UC Berkeley
Carmen Froes, PhD	Postdoctoral	Mentor 2015 - present	Pediatric environmental health in Brazil	Associate Professor at Federal University of Rio de Janeiro supported on a one-year sabbatical by the Brazilian Ministry of Health
Chanapong Rojanaworarit, PhD	Postdoctoral	Mentor 2016-2017	Geographical variation of fluoride content in drinking water and factors influencing dental fluorosis in children in Thailand	Faculty of Public Health, Mahidol University Assistant professor of Public Health at Hofstra University

\* Trainees who have co-authored peer reviewed articles. See Peer Reviewed Research Publications list.

# **MENTORING ACTIVITIES**

TEACHING ACTIVITY/TOPIC	LEVEL	ROLE	NUMBER OF LEARNERS	NUMBER OF HOURS PER Week/Month/Year	YEARS TAUGHT
Short-term Training Program for Minority Students	Undergraduate & Masters	Director/ PI	6 per year	12 weeks per year	1994 – present
International Training and Research in Environmental and Occupational Health	Post-graduate	Director/ PI	5 per year	Two year training program	1995 – 2014
International Exchange Program for Minority Students	Undergraduate Masters Doctoral	Director/PI	10 per year	12 weeks per year	2006 - present
Online course on Pediatric Environmental Health in English and Spanish	Post-doctoral	Creator/ lead faculty	24/ semester	20 weeks/course cycle	2015 - present

# **GRANTS AND CONTRACTS SUPPORT**

Funding Source Project Title Number	Role in Project & Percent Effort	Dates	Direct Costs Current Year	Supplemental Information
NIH/ FIC International Training and Research in Environmental and Occupational Health 1 D43 TW00640-16	PI 15%	9/30/1995 - 12/31/2015	\$212,000	Received administrative supplement. Received no-cost extension through 2015 due to elimination of the program by NIH
NIH/ NCMHD International Exchange Program for Minority Students 2 T37 MD001452-12	PI 30%	7/01/2005 - 6/30/2018	\$240,655	Successfully renewed twice. Program receives 400+ applications for 10 positions available
NIH/NHLBI 1 R25HL108857-01 Short-term Research Training Program	РІ 5%	6/15/2011 - 5/31/2016	\$61,392	Training program for minority students at the master's level.
R24 TW009560-01 Occupational Health Research, Policy and Capacity Building in Thailand-US	PI of subcontract 5% (Susan Woskie, PI)	6/01/2015 – 5/31/2020	Variable depending on number of trainees	New Program for training in environmental and occupational health in Thailand
NIH/NIBIB 5 R25 EB020393 Community Research Education and Engagement for Data Science (CREEDS)	Multiple Pl Claudio, Kovatch, Sharp (7%)	9/30/2015 – 6/30/2018	\$200,000	To create courses and training programs in the use of data science in health research and to increase the numbers of minority and women researchers using data science.

#### COMPLETED GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Funding Source Project Title Number	Role in Project & Percent Effort	Dates	Direct Costs Current Year	Supplemental Information
NIH/ NIEHS Training in Environmental Health to	PI	9/01/2009	\$220,035	Received administrative

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Reduce Chronic Disease in Latin America (Global Pediatric Environmental Health) 1 D43 ES018745-05		– 8/31/2014		supplement. Global program for training in pediatric environmental health. Currently in no cost extension through 2015 due to elimination of the program by NIH
NIH/FIC (ARRA Supplement) Information and Communication Technology Initiative Supplement to the Mount Sinai International Programs 1 D43 TW00640-12-S1	PI	10/01/2009 - 2/28/12	\$40,000	Competitive ARRA Supplement to the International Training Program
Ford Foundation Environmental Justice Resource Center	PI	9/01/2004  8/30/2007	\$104,909	Conducted research on environmental health disparities
NIH/ NIMH An in vitro model of the blood-brain barrier K01 MH 01430	PI	7/01/1997 - 6/31/2002	\$150,000	Mentored by Dr. David Colman
NIH/NIEHS Superfund Basic Research Program: Organochlorides in New York and the Hudson P42 ES07384	Core PI	5/01/1995 - 3/31/2006	\$100,000 Direct costs of Core	Directed the Community Outreach and Education Core
NIH/EPA P01 ES09584-05 EPA R827039-01-1 Inner City Toxicants, Child Growth and Development	Core PI	11/01/03 - 10/31/08	\$100,000 Direct costs of Core	Directed the Community Outreach and Education Core

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SEARCH Prevalence of Asthma in New York City Children	PI	1/1/2005 – 12/31/2009	\$81,000	Awarded in response to findings on asthma prevalence in East Harlem
NIH/ NIEHS/ NCI Breast Cancer and the Environment Research Center U01 ES12771-05	Core PI	7/01/2003 - 6/30/2010	\$50,000 Direct costs of Core	Chair of the Committee on Community Outreach for the Collaborative Centers
NIH / NIEHS Short-term Research Training for Minority Students 5 T35 ES07298-13	PI	4/01/1994 - 3/31/2010	\$43,717	Grant competitively renewed three times

# **PUBLICATIONS**

#### Peer-Reviewed Original Research Articles

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- <u>Claudio L</u>, Kress Y, Factor JF, Norton WT, Brosnan CF: Ultrastructural studies of the blood-brain barrier in acute experimental autoimmune encephalomyelitis. J of Neuropathol & Experimental Neurol 47: 323, 1988
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- 8. <u>Claudio L</u>: An analysis of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency neurotoxicity testing guidelines. Regulatory Toxicology and Pharmacology 16: 202-212, 1992
- <u>Claudio L</u>, Martiney JA, Brosnan CF: Ultrastructural studies of the blood-retina barrier after exposure to interleukin-1b or tumor necrosis factor-a. Laboratory Investigation 70: 850-861, 1994

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- <u>Claudio L</u>, Torres T, Sanjurjo E, Sherman L, Landrigan PJ: Environmental health sciences education -A tool for achieving environmental equity and protecting children. Environmental Health Perspectives 106 (Suppl 3) 849-855, 1998
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- Garcia-Arenas G, <u>Claudio L</u>, Perez-Severiano F, Rios C: Low-level lead acetate exposure inhibits nitric oxide synthase activity in capillary and synaptosomal fractions of mice brain. Toxicol Sciences 50: 244-248, 1999 \*
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- 19. <u>Claudio L</u>, Tulton L, Doucette J, Landrigan PJ: Socioeconomic factors and asthma hospitalization rates in New York City. Journal of Asthma 36: 343-350, 1999 \*
- 20. Onalaja A, <u>Claudio L</u>: Genetic influences in lead poisoning. Environ Health Perspect 108: 23-28, 2000 \*
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- 8. Environmental Health Education: A Tool for Community Empowerment Education Development Center Visiting Scholar, Boston, MA, October 7, 2003
- International Training Programs in Environmental Health Sciences 3<sup>rd</sup> Brazilian Seminar on Environment and Health, Oswaldo Cruz Foundation, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, September 20, 2004
- 10. Communicating Environmental Health Sciences Information to Minority Communities Regional Cancer and Environment Forum, Cornell University, New York, October 29, 2004
- 11. The Relationship Between Environmental Injustice and Health Disparities Meeting of Grantmakers in Health and the Health and Environmental Funders Network, New York, December 6, 2004
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- 14. The Role of the Community in the Solutions to Pediatric Asthma Collaborative on Health and the Environment, Anchorage, Alaska. December 1, 2005
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- 19. Global Environmental Health Unite for Sight Global Health and Innovation Conference Sunday, Yale University, New Haven, CT, April 18, 2010
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- 21. Ibero-American Congress of Toxicology Keynote Environmental Toxicology in the Americas. Comodoro Rivadavia, Argentina. September 23, 2014

# MEDIA RESOURCES OR EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS

- 1. Pediatric Environmental Health Course A 60 hour online course designed to increase knowledge of medical providers in Spanish-speaking countries about pediatric environmental health.
- Computer-assisted school-based asthma management program, Asthma Pal Collaborated with private firm to create a web-based program to help elementary school children self-manage asthma symptoms.
- 3. How to Write and Publish a Scientific Paper: The Step-by-Step Guide Workbook available on Amazon. Online course to be released in September, 2016

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# **PROFESSIONAL GOALS**

- 1. <u>Research</u>: Continue to conduct, publish and disseminate scholarly public health research that addresses issues of health disparities and environmental justice in minority populations and children with an increasing focus on using big data in epidemiological research.
- 2. <u>Research Translation</u>: Translate and disseminate research findings into information that can be understood by the lay public and applied by policy makers to reduce environmental exposures and decrease health disparities in minority populations with an increasing focus on outcomes measures.
- 3. <u>Innovation in Training and Education</u>: Develop best practices to train the next generation of global health and community-based scientists and physicians, especially those of minority backgrounds.
- 4. <u>International Research Cooperation</u>: Collaborate with colleagues in other nations to develop, implement and sustain environmental health research projects to improve the health of disadvantaged populations abroad and to disseminate state-of-the-art

knowledge on disease prevention and environmental health in those countries and in the United States.

5. <u>Global Health Capacity Building</u>: Expand on existing collaborations and build new training sites in foreign institutions where faculty and students from the United States can work to develop research skills and international research collaborations that become sustainable.