

2017 MAPOR @ AAPOR

This week AAPOR will hold its annual conference from May 18-21 in New Orleans and MAPORites will be participating and contributing. Here are just some highlights of the contributions of MAPOR members.

THURSDAY

Time	Description
8:00-11:30am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jolene D. Smyth presents a short course: <i>Visual Design for Single- and Mixed-Mode Surveys</i> Trent Buskirk presents a short course <i>Into the Stream: An Introduction to Big Data Access for Survey Researchers and Social Scientists</i>
3:30-4:30pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kristen Olson and Anna Wiencrot coauthor <i>Nonresponse Analysis and Field Protocol Recommendations: The AAPOR Annual Membership Survey</i> David Sterrett and Trevor Tompson coauthor <i>Impact of Mixed-Mode Recruitment and Data Collection on Sample Representativeness and Survey Estimates for a Probability-Based Household Panel</i> Doug Currivan presents <i>What Participation, Modes, and Efforts Indicate about the Feasibility of a New Establishment Survey: The Community Health Policy Implementation Assessment</i>
4:30-6:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trevor Tompson and Liz Kantor coauthor <i>Testing a New Methodology for Exit Polling: A National, Panel-Based Experiment</i> David Sterrett, René Bautista & Trevor Tompson present <i>Exit Polling and Geolocation Technology: Assessing the feasibility of sending people a survey on their smartphones immediately after they vote</i> Ipek Bilgen coauthors <i>Understanding the Strengths and Roles of the Mail Mode in Sequential Multi-mode Surveys: Evidence across Recent Experimental Studies and Developing Effective Methods and Social Media Recruitment for Adolescent Sexual Minority Males and Transgender Youth: An Examination of Platforms for Recruitment, Demographics, Targeting, Costs, and Overall Feasibility</i>
6:30-9:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Come visit the MAPOR Table at the New Member & All Chapter Welcome Mixer!

FRIDAY

Time	Description
8:00-9:30am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brady T. West, Frauke Kreuter, and Mike Elliot present <i>Interviewer Effects on Regression Coefficients</i> John Stevenson, Jennifer Dykema, and coauthors present <i>Effects of Sequential Prepaid Incentives to Increase Participation and Data Quality in Mail Survey of Pediatricians</i> Mike Elliot & Brady T. West present <i>Estimating Interviewer Effects in the Absence of Interpenetration</i> Emily Alvarez presents <i>How Americans Navigate the Modern Information Environment</i> Joe Murphy presents <i>Using the Census Planning Database to Tailor a National Mixed-mode Survey</i> Mandy Sha presents <i>Transparency and Qualitative Research: Multilingual Cognitive Interviewing</i>
10:00-11:30am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kristen Olson presents on the AAPOR Election Review Panel Felicita Mittereder and Brady T. West present <i>Predicting Web Survey Breakoff</i> Allison R. Sullivan presents <i>Demographic and Contextual Predictors of Racial Identification among Hispanics</i> Josh Pasek presents <i>How Would Better Knowledge Influence Support for the Affordable Care Act? A Simulation and Experiment</i>
4:15-5:45pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kristen Olson, Jolene D. Smyth, and Antje Kirchner present <i>The Effect of Question Characteristics, Respondents and Interviewers in Question Reading Time and Question Reading Behaviors in CATI Surveys</i> Jennifer Dykema, Dana Garbarski, Nora Cate Schaeffer, Ian Wall, and coauthors present <i>Do Interviewer and Respondent Behaviors Predict Measurement Equivalence: Comparing Measurement of Trust across Racial/Ethnic Groups</i> Antje Kirchner, Kristen Olson, and Jolene D. Smyth present <i>Going off Script: How Interviewer Behavior Affects Respondent Behaviors in Telephone Surveys</i>

SATURDAY

Time	Description
7:00-7:50am	• Mandy Sha co-chairs the <i>cross-cultural and multilingual research affinity group</i> meeting
8:00-9:30am	• Patrick Hsieh presents <i>Developing and Evaluating a Gradation Assessment Index for Survey Data Quality Assurance Practices</i>
10:00-11:30am	• Brady T. West presents <i>Where do we go from here? Future directions on research on interviewer effects based on a comprehensive research synthesis</i> • Dana Garbarski, Nora Cate Schaeffer, and Jennifer Dykema present <i>Examining the Validity of Interviewers' Ratings of Respondents' Health</i>
12:45-1:45pm	• Patrick Habecker and Alian Kasabian present a poster <i>Predicting Postmaster Returns in a Nebraska ABS Frame using Characteristics of the Address and Carrier</i>
1:45-3:15pm	• Stas Kolenikov and Kelly Daley present <i>Latent Class Analysis of Worker Knowledge of Their Employment Status</i> • Liz Kantor and Trevor Tompson present <i>The Frustrated Public: The Mood of the Electorate Ahead of the 2016 Presidential Election</i>
3:30-5:00pm	• Jerry Timbrook, Jolene D. Smyth, and Kristen Olson present <i>Are Self-description Scales Better than Agree/Disagree Scales in Mail and Telephone Surveys?</i>

SUNDAY

Time	Description
8:30-10:00am	• Alian Kasabian and coauthor present <i>Leaving Room for Gender Diversity: Practical Lessons from a Blank Line in a Conservative State</i>
10:15-11:45am	• Ipek Bilgen presents <i>What Can the General Social Survey's Web Version Teach Us about Device and Platform Effects in Web Surveys?</i> • Mazen Sarwar, Kristen Olson, and Jolene D. Smyth present <i>How Do Low versus High Response Scales Ranges Impact the Administration and Answering of Behavioral Frequency Questions in Telephone Surveys?</i> • David Sterrett, Liz Kantor, Emily Alvarez, and Trevor Tompson present <i>Millennials and the 2016 Election: How race and ethnicity shaped young adults' experiences and beliefs</i>

AAPOR SERVICE

MAPOR members contribute in key ways through service to AAPOR.

- MAPOR Fellow Tim Johnson will assume the position of AAPOR President at the close of the conference.
- Jennifer Dykema and Trent Buskirk serve as Conference Chair and Associate Conference Chair, respectively. John Stevenson, Nora Cate Schaeffer & Mandy Sha served on the conference committee for Abstract Review, and Mandy also for Conference Support. MAPOR Fellow Joe Murphy led the development of the conference app from RTI.
- Matthew Courser, Ipek Bilgen, Stas Kolenikov, and Kristen Olson are part of the Membership & Chapter Relations Committee. David Sterrett chairs the Chapter Liaison and Support Subcommittee. Matt and Stas also serve on the Student Travel Award and Roper Fellow Award Committees.
- John Loft serves as AAPOR Standards Chair, and the committee includes Ron Langley and Ipek Bilgen.
- Ron Langley, Mandy Sha, and Tim Johnson serve on the Transparency Initiative Coordinating Committee.
- Mandy Sha and Jolene Smyth served on AAPOR Nominations Committee for the 2017-2018 Executive Council.
- Brady West will assume the position of Education Chair, and the committee includes Kevin Ulrich.
- Dana Garbarski serves on the Student Poster Judging Committee. Dana and Ipek Bilgen both served on the Seymour Sudman Student Paper Award Committee chaired by Trent Buskirk.
- Doug Currivan, Mandy Sha, Alian Kasabian, Allyson Holbrook and Tim Johnson are conference docents.
- MAPOR Fellow Patricia Moy serves as editor of *Public Opinion Quarterly*.
- Many more MAPOR members serve on standing & ad-hoc committees and task forces!

AAPOR AWARDS

- Dana Garbarski is a Burns "Bud" Roper Fellow
- Warren J. Mitofsky Innovators Award Winner: Jolene Smyth and coauthors
- Seymour Sudman Student Paper Competition Award Winner: Ozan Kuru for his paper titled *Complexity of Public Opinion in the Digital Age: What do Ordinary Citizens Make of Diverse Quantifications*