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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor

School of Social Sciences, Singapore Management University, Singapore
August 2018 – present

Lecturer

College of Alice and Peter Tan, National University of Singapore, Singapore
January 2017 – July 2018

Research Fellow

Public Policy and Global Affairs Programme, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
July 2015 – December 2016

EDUCATION

Syracuse University

Ph.D. Sociology, May 2015

Dissertation: “Educating for Export: Producing Filipino Migrant Workers for the Global Market”
(Chair: Prema Kurien)

Harvard University

Ed.M. Human Development and Psychology, June 2005

University of the Philippines, Diliman

B.A. Psychology, April 2003

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

Book

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2018. *Emigration, Employability, and Higher Education in the Philippines*. UK: Routledge. [Series on Critical Studies in Asian Education]

Refereed Journal Articles

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2020. “Shifting Employabilities: Skilling Migrants in the Nation of Emigration.” *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*. DOI: 10.1080/1369183X.2020.1731985

Ortiga, Yasmin Y., Meng-Hsuan Chou, and Jue Wang. 2020. “Competing for Academic Labor: Research and Recruitment Outside the Academic Center.” *Minerva*, 58(4): 607-624.

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. and Romeo Luis A. Macabasag. 2020. “Understanding International Immobility through Internal Migration: ‘Left Behind’ Nurses in the Philippines.” *International Migration Review*, DOI: 10.1177/0197918320952042

- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. and Romeo Luis A. Macabasag. 2020. "Temporality and Acquiescent Immobility among Aspiring Nurse Migrants in the Philippines." *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, DOI: 10.1080/1369183X.2020.1788380
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y., Kellynn Wee, and Brenda S. A. Yeoh. 2020. "Connecting Care Chains and Care Diamonds: The Eldercare Skills Regime in Singapore." *Global Networks*. DOI: 10.1111/glob.12281
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. and Rivero, Jenica Ana. 2019. "Bodies of Work: Skilling at the Bottom of the Global Nursing Care Chain." *Globalizations*, <https://doi.org/10.1080/14747731.2019.1576321>
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2018. "Education as Early Stage Brokerage: Cooling out Aspiring Migrants for the Global Hotel Industry." *Pacific Affairs*, 91(4): 727-748.
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2018. "Constructing the Global Education Hub: The Unlikely Case of Manila." *Discourse: Studies in the Cultural Politics of Education*, DOI: 10.1080/01596306.2018.1448703
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2018. "Learning to Fill the Labor Niche: Aspiring Nurse Migrants Caught in a Migration Trap." *Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences*, 4(1): 172-187.
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y., Meng-Hsuan Chou, Gunjan Sondhi, and Jue Wang. 2018. "Working within the Aspiring Centre: Professional Status and Mobilities among Migrant Faculty In Singapore." *Higher Education Policy*. DOI: 10.1057/s41307-017-0078-0
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y., Meng-Hsuan Chou, Gunjan Sondhi, and Jue Wang. 2017. "Academic 'Centres', Epistemic Differences, and Brain Circulation." *International Migration*, DOI: 10.1111/imig.12354
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2017. "The Flexible University: Neoliberal Education and the Global Production of Migrant Labor." *British Journal of Sociology of Education*, 38(4): 485-499.
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2015. "Multiculturalism On Its Head: Unexpected Social Boundaries and New Migration in Singapore." *Journal of International Migration and Integration*, 16(4): 947-963.
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2014. "Professional Problems: The Burden of Producing the 'Global' Filipino Nurse" *Social Science & Medicine*, 115: 64-71.
- *Montefrio, Marvin Joseph F., **Yasmin Y. Ortiga**, Ma. Rose Christie Josol. 2014. "Inducing Development: Social Remittances and the Expansion of Oil Palm in the Philippines" *International Migration Review*, 48(1): 216-242. [Equal authorship]
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2011. "Looking Beyond the Obvious: Power, Epistemic Culture and Student Migration in the Knowledge-Based Economy" *Power & Education*, 3(3): 263-273.
- Lee, Jie Qi, Dennis M. McInerney, Arief D. Liem, **Yasmin Y. Ortiga**. 2010. "The Relationship Between Future Goals and Achievement Goal Orientations: An Intrinsic-Extrinsic Motivation Perspective." *Contemporary Educational Psychology*, 35(4): 264-279.

Book Chapters

- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2020. "Learning to Leave: Filipino Families and the Making of the Global Filipino Nurse." Pp. 98-113 in *Ethnographies of Development and Globalization in the Philippines: Emergent Socialities and the Governing of Precarity*, edited by K. Seki. UK: Routledge
- Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2020. "Commentary: What Lies Ahead? Considering the Future of a 'New' Vietnamese Higher Education." Pp. 251-258 in *Higher Education in Market-Oriented Socialist*

Vietnam, edited by L. H. Phan and B. N. Doan. Geneva, Switzerland: Palgrave Macmillan.

Under Review

Ortiga Yasmin Y. and Karen S. Liao. "Intervention: Shock im/mobilities within the "Responsible" the Sending State" (Political Geography)

Under Development

Ortiga, Yasmin Y., Michael Joseph S. Diño, and Romeo Luis A. Macabasag. Clocking out: Nurses Who Quit in a time of Pandemic (Work, Employment, and Society).

GRANTS AND AWARDS

SSRC Rapid-Response Grant on Covid-19 and the Social Sciences, Social Science Research Council (New York), 2020

Postdoctoral Fellowship, National Academy of Education / Spencer Foundation, 2019-2021

Seed Grant, College of Alice and Peter Tan, National University of Singapore, 2016

Outstanding Teaching Assistant, Syracuse University, 2013

All-university Dissertation Award, 2015

First Place, Graduate Student Paper Competition, Society for the Study of Social Problems (Health, Health Policy, and Health Services Division), 2014

Dissertation Award, Sociology Department, Syracuse University, 2014

Dissertation Proposal Development Fellowship, Social Science Research Council, 2011

Roscoe Martin Fund, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, 2011-2012

Workshop Fellow, Migration and Gender Group, Social Science Research Council and Vanderbilt University, 2012

Democratizing Knowledge Collaborative Fund, Syracuse University, 2011

University Fellowship, Syracuse University, 2009-2011

Magna cum laude, University of the Philippines, 2003

University Fellowship, University of the Philippines, 2001-2003

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2020. "Skill, Nursing, and the Dilemma of Labor Export in Disruptive Times" Keynote speech at the 10th ACAS International Conference on Asian Studies, Ateneo de Manila University, November 19, Philippines.

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2020. "Im/mobility in Nations of Emigration: Labor Export in the Midst of Pandemic." Roundtable presentation at the Saw Swee Hock Southeast Asia Centre, London School of Economics, October 28, United Kingdom.

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2020. "Unlikely Faces in Unlikely Places: International Student Mobility and the Rise of the 'Third World' Education Hub." Paper presented at the National Academy of

Education Spring Retreat, 5 November, USA.

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2020. "A Time for the Flexible University?: What For-profit Institutions Can Tell Us about International Education in a Post-Pandemic World." Paper presented at the Asian Research Institute, National University of Singapore, November 6, Singapore.

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. and Karen S. Liao. 2020. "Deferred Departures, Unhappy Returns: Pandemic and the Labor-exporting Nation." Webinar at the Asian Research Institute, National University of Singapore, August 19, Singapore.

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2017. "Schooling in the Migrant Sending Country: Learning to Labor for Overseas Work." Paper presented at the Asian Research Institute, National University of Singapore, June 2, Singapore.

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2017. "Constructing the Global Education Hub: The Unlikely Case of Manila" Paper presented at InterAsia Connections V, Social Science Research Council, Seoul National University, April 23, South Korea.

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2016. "Beyond Home and Host: Family and Professional Status among Highly Skilled Migrants in Singapore" Paper presented at the Asian Research Institute, National University of Singapore, October 26, Singapore.

Ortiga, Yasmin Y. 2015. "Schooling in the Migrant-sending Country: Flexibility, Labor Export, and Higher Education" Paper presented at the 10th Singapore Graduate Forum on Southeast Asia, June 23, Singapore.