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**EDUCATION:**

1980 Ph.D. Florence Heller Graduate School for Advanced Studies in Social Welfare, Brandeis University, Administration on Aging Training Grantee, 1975.

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 Sources of Knowledge and Service Utilization.

1974 B.S., University of Illinois, Urbana. Edmund James Scholar. Major: Psychology.

1973 Junior Year Study Abroad, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel.

**RESEARCH AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

July 2019 Faculty, Renmin University International Summer School, Beijing, China. Taught graduate gerontology seminar on *Aging & Transportation.*

Jan. 2016- Professor of Gerontology, University of Massachusetts Boston, McCormack Graduate Present School of Policy & Global Studies, Boston, MA.

Sept. 2006- Professor of Gerontology and Undergraduate Program Director, Gerontology

Dec. 2015 University of Massachusetts Boston, College of Public and Community Service, Boston,

 MA.

Sept. 2004- Gerontology Research Fellow, Department of Transportation, National Highway Traffic &

July 2005 Safety Administration, & Consultant to the Alzheimer’s Association Public Policy Division, Washington, DC (sabbatical from University of Massachusetts Boston).

Sept. 1996- Associate Professor, Gerontology, and Undergraduate Program Director, Gerontology Aug. 2006 University of Massachusetts Boston, College of Public and Community Service, Boston,

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Feb. 1994- Gerontology Faculty, Elder Action Research Course, Gerontology Undergraduate &

Aug. 1996 Certificate Programs, University of Massachusetts Boston Gerontology Institute

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Sept. 1984- Adjunct Associate Professor of Social Work, Research Sequence, Simmons College,

May 1995 Graduate School of Social Work, Boston, MA.

Sept. 1990- Senior Research Associate and Fellow, Gerontology Institute,

Present University of Massachusetts Boston, Boston, MA.

April 1989- Community Fellow, University of Massachusetts Boston, Gerontology Institute and

Sept. 1990 Center. Responsible for research project on developing inpatient respite care for persons with Alzheimer’s disease.

Sept. 1985- Adjunct Assistant Professor of Social Work, Boston University, Boston, MA. Taught

June 1986 introductory research class.

July 1981- Research Associate, Boston College Graduate School of Social Work. Responsible for

June 1982 designing a standardized intake form for the Rhode Island Department of Elder Affairs subgrantee agencies.

Jan. 1980- Partner, LNS Associates, Newton, MA. Consultant to the Massachusetts Department of

July 1981 Elder Affairs on the development of a statewide implementation plan for the delivery of protective services to the elderly, also evaluated and revised the Uniform Client Needs Assessment instrument that was implemented statewide 11/80.

July 1979- Research Consultant, Office of Social Services, Massachusetts Department of Public

June 1981 Welfare. Responsible for evaluation of an 18-month demonstration project on permanent planning in foster care for children.

Aug. 1978- Research Consultant, Office of Research and Evaluation, Massachusetts Department of

Oct. 1979 Public Welfare. Responsible for Title XX and in-service training evaluations; also conducted a statewide staff survey.

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Silverstein, N.M. (presenter), and Sherman, R. Taking Control of Alzheimer’s Disease: Evaluating Training for Early Stage Persons and Care Partners .  62nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA, Nov. 18-22, 2009.

 Silverstein, N.M. (presenter), David W. Eby, Lisa J. Molnar, David J. LeBlanc, (University of Michigan) Geri Adler (University of Houston). Monitoring Drivers With Dementia: An Instrumented Vehicle Study. International Conference of Alzheimer's Disease (ICAD), July 14, 2009, Vienna, Austria

Silverstein, N.M., Sherman, R., Depina, W., Dorsey, S., Garuffi, R., Lembo, L., Nicrosz, J., Perry, W., Rinaldi, P. Robles, A., Ryan, T., Tarbi, N.Title:  Taking Control of Alzheimer's Disease:  A Training Evaluation. Alzheimer's Association: A Map through the Maze: Annual Conference for Dementia Care Professionals, Marlborough, MA, May 13, 2009

Silverstein, N.M. (symposium coordinator), Eby, D., Molnar, L.J., LeBlanc, D., and Adler, G. Using Naturalistic Driving to Monitor Fitness to Drive in Early Stage Dementia: Charting New Territory 61st Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, National Harbor, MD, Nov. 23, 2008

Silverstein, N.M., Wong, C., Chan, K., Tudisca, K., and Sullivan, C. Living with Alzheimer's Disease: A Study of Adult Day Health Services in Massachusetts.61st Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America Annual Meeting, National Harbor, MD, Nov. 24, 2008

Silverstein, N.M., Kerschner, H., and Rousseau, M. On the Road to Dementia-Friendly Transportation. 16th Annual Alzheimer’s Association Dementia Care Conference. Garden Grove, CA. (August 24-27, 2008).

Silverstein, N.M., & Griffin, J. Aging in Place : Livable Communities Present a Viable Option. (Poster). 2008 NCOA-ASA Aging in America Conference. Washington, DC. (March 27-30, 2008).

 Silverstein, N.M., Freund, K., & Kerschner, H. Approaches to Community Mobility Solutions. (Moderated Debate). 2008 NCOA-ASA Aging in America Conference. Washington, DC. (March 27-30, 2008).

 Peters-Beumer, L, Chevrefils, D., Dexter, J., Silverstein, N.M. Successful Models in Advocacy : Techniques You Can Use in Transportation II. (Symposium). 2008 NCOA-ASA Aging in America Conference. Washington, DC. (March 27-30, 2008).

Silverstein, N.M. Teaching Transportation & Aging. (Resource Exchange). 34th Annual Meeting and Educational Leadership Conference of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. February 21-24, 2008, Baltimore, MD.

 Silverstein, N.M. Soderstrom, C., Hardin, J., Freund, B., Cohen, L., Stav, W. (Symposium).When Life Exceeds Driving Expectancy: Implications for Gerontology and Geriatrics Education. 34th Annual Meeting and Educational Leadership Conference of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. February 21-24, 2008, Baltimore, MD.

Silverstein, N.M., & Carlin-Rogers, F. Twentieth Anniversary of Special Report 218: Role of Social Services in Enhancing Safe Mobility of Older Drivers. 87th Annual Meeting of the Transportation Research Board (TRB) - January 13-17, 2008, Washington, DC.

 Eby, D., LeBlanc, D., Molnar, L., Silverstein, N.M., & Adler, G. Fitness-to-Drive in Early-Stage Dementia: Two Instrumented Vehicle Studies. 87th Annual Meeting of the Transportation Research Board (TRB) - January 13-17, 2008, Washington, DC.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Wong, C. Getting around without driving: Exploring Community Mobility Options. 60th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, (Nov. 16-19, 2007, San Francisco, CA) Poster.

Silverstein, N.M., Johns, E., & Griffin, J. Assessing Livability in 7 Massachusetts Communities: What every town planner should consider. 60th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, (Nov. 16-19, 2007, San Francisco, CA) Poster.

 Eby, D., LeBlanc, D., Molnar, L., Silverstein, N.M., & Adler, G. Fitness to Drive in Early Stage Dementia. 60th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, (Nov. 16-19, 2007, San Francisco, CA) Symposium.

###  Carlin-Rogers, F., Ceridwyn, N., Finn, J., Fitzgerald, K., & Silverstein, N.M., Wagner, E. Older Driver Re-Education, Refitting, Responding. 2007 Joint Conference of the American Society on Aging and the National Council on Aging, (March 6-10, 2007, Chicago, IL). Workshop.

Silverstein, N.M., & Fitzgerald, K. DriveWell: A Train-the-Trainer Model to Promote Safety Among Older Drivers. 33rd Association for Gerontology in Higher Education Annual Conference, (March 1-4, 2007, Portland, OR). Poster.

Silverstein, N.M., & Johns, E. Assessing Elder Livability in Three Massachusetts Communities: A Student Action-Research Project.33rd Association for Gerontology in Higher Education Annual Conference, (March 1-4, 2007, Portland, OR)Poster.

Silverstein, N.M., Fitzgerald, K. Older Driver Re-Education, Re-Fitting, Responding. 2007 Joint Conference of the American Society on Aging and the National Council on the Aging (March 6-10, 2007, Chicago, IL**)** Paper.

Silverstein, N.M., Johns, E., **Duryee,** C., **Healey,** M., **Hughes,** M.G., **Killeen,** E.**, Lubin,** S., **Vanasse, L..** Livable Communities: Taking Steps From Vision to Reality.2007 Joint Conference of the American Society on Aging and the National Council on the Aging (March 6-10, 2007, Chicago, IL**)** Paper.

 Silverstein, N.M., Johns, E., Healey, M.A., Killeen, E., Lubin, S., & Vanasse, L. Assessing Livable Communities in Massachusetts. Massachusetts Association of Councils on Aging and Senior Center Directors (MCOA) Annual Meeting. Falmouth, MA (October, 2006)

Silverstein, N.M., & Wagner, E. Transportation Policy For An Aging Society: Before And After The White House Conference on Aging. 58th Annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Orlando, FL (November, 2005). Symposium coordinator/moderator.

Baker, L., Silverstein, N.M., & Peters-Beumer, L. **Easter Seals' Transportation Solutions for Caregivers: A Program Evaluation.** 58th Annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Orlando, FL (November, 2005). Poster.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Peters-Beumer, L. Community Mobility and Supportive Transportation:

Special Considerations for Dementia and Other Functional Impairments among Older Drivers. 85th Annual Meeting of the Transportation Research Board. Washington, DC (January, 2006). Coordinator of Full-Day Human Factors Pre-Conference Workshop.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Wagner, E. The Role of Health & Social Service Providers in Ensuring Older Driver Safety. 57th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC. (November, 2004). (coordinated symposium and served as discussant)

 Van Ranst, E., Silverstein, N.M., & Gottlieb, A. Expert Opinion on the Choice of Low Tech Vehicle Features to Increase Older Driver Safety. 57th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC. (November, 2004). Poster.

 Silverstein, N.M., Gottlieb, A., & Van Ranst, E. Use of a Video Intervention To Increase Elders’ Awareness of Low-Cost Vehicle Modifications to Enhance Driving Safety and Comfort. 84th Annual Meeting of the Transportation Research Board (TRB), Washington, DC. (January 9-13, 2005) Paper**.**

Silverstein, N.M., Gottlieb, A., & Van Ranst, E. *Keep Moving Longer: Features for Safe Driving.* 31st Annual Meeting and Educational Leadership Conference of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, Oklahoma City, OK ( February 24-27, 2005). Media presentation.

Silverstein, N.M. Career Options in Older Driver Safety and Mobility. 31st Annual Meeting and Educational Leadership Conference of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, Oklahoma City, OK ( February 24-27, 2005). Pre-Conference Intensive.

Silverstein, N.M. Talking About Dementia And Driving: Issues And Resources. 31st Annual Meeting and Educational Leadership Conference of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, Oklahoma City, OK ( February 24-27, 2005). Paper.

Silverstein, N.M. Dementia and Driving: The Road from Driver to Passenger. 2005 Joint Conference of the American Society on Aging and the National Council on the Aging, Philadelphia, PA (March 10-15, 2005**)** Symposium Coordinator/Moderator**.**

Silverstein, N.M., Gottlieb, A., & Van Ranst, E. Knowledge and Use of Low Tech Features for Safe Driving: A Video Intervention For Older Drivers. 2005 Joint Conference of the American Society on Aging and the National Council on the Aging, Philadelphia, PA (March 10-15, 2005**)** Paper.

Silverstein, N.M. Community Mobility and Dementia: Driving Assessment, Monitoring, and Cessation Counseling. Alzheimer’s Association Dementia Care Conference, Chicago, IL (July 2005) Symposium (coordinated/moderated/presented).

Maslow, K., & Silverstein, N.M. Strategies for Improving Dementia Care in the Emergency Department**.** Alzheimer’s Association Dementia Care Conference, Chicago, IL (July 2005) Symposium (co-coordinator/discussant).

 Silverstein, N.M., & Murtha, J. Measuring The Impact of a Gerontology Certificate

Program At 21: An Alumni Survey. Association of Gerontology in Higher Education Annual Meeting,

Feb., 2004 (Richmond, VA).

Parrott, T., Silverstein, N.M., Spencer, M., Yee-Melichar, D., Takayanagi, P., Webb, R., Grabinski, J. Part-time and adjunct faculty in Gerontology: Challenges and Solutions. Association of Gerontology in Higher Education Annual Meeting, Feb., 2004 (Richmond, VA).

Silverstein, N.M., & Gottlieb. A.G. GrandFamilies House at Year Four: Growing Pains & Challenges. American Society on Aging Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA (April, 2004).

Silverstein, N.M., Williams, J., Connors, H., & Jawad, M. Boston Seniors Count: Follow-Up Study of Citywide Door-to-Door Outreach Effort. American Society on Aging Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA (April, 2004).

Maslow, K., & Silverstein, N.M. How Can We Improve the Hospital Experience and Hospital Outcomes for People with Alzheimer's Disease and other Dementias? American Society on Aging Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA (April, 2004).

Silverstein, N.M., Connors, H., & Jawad, M. Boston Seniors Count: Telephone Follow-Up of City's Door-to-Door Outreach to Boston's Elders. Poster presentation at upcoming meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. San Diego, CA (Nov., 2003).

Silverstein, N.M. Improving Hospital Care for Persons with Dementia. Boston Alzheimer's Symposium. Boston, MA (Oct. 2003).

Silverstein, N.M. Improving Hospital Care for Persons with Dementia. (July 2003). Symposium Coordinator and presenter. Alzheimer's Education Conference. Chicago, IL.

 Silverstein, N.M., Murtha, J., Sullivan, D., Jawad. M. & Gnospelius, S. (March, 2003). "What Gerontology Certificate Alumni Do: 21 Years of Advocacy, Volunteering, Employment, Education, and Caregiving." Presentation at the 2003 NCOA-ASA Joint Conference, Chicago, IL.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Murtha, J. (November, 2002). A Framework for Examining Problem Areas and Interventions for People with Dementia. Presentation at the 55th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.

Murtha, J., Silverstein, N.M., & Sullivan, D. (November, 2002). Gerontology and the Older Learner: The Manning Certificate Program After 21 Years. Presentation at the 55th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.

Wu, B., Silverstein, N.M., Axelrod, D.T., Zhu, X., & Song, P. (November, 2002). Cross-Cultural Comparison of the Oldest Old in Shanghai and Boston: Their Lifestyles, and Contributions. Presentation at the 55th Annual Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.

Silverstein, N.M., & Flaherty, G., (October, 2002). “Dementia and Wandering Behavior: Why Families and Professionals Should Be Concerned.” Presented at the 18th International Conference of Alzheimer's Disease, Barcelona, Spain.

 Silverstein, N.M., Flaherty, G., & Rickher, A. (April, 2002). “Dementia and Wandering Behavior.” Annual meeting of the American Society on Aging, Denver, CO.

 Silverstein, N.M., Moorhead, J., & Murtha, J. (February, 2002). “Action-Research in Gerontology: Faculty, Student, and Community Partner Perspectives.” Annual meeting of the Association of Gerontology in Higher Education, Pittsburgh, PA.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Murtha, J. (November, 2001). “Police, Physician, and Public Age 50+ Knowledge of Safe Driving Issues and Experiences with the Older Driver.” Presented the Gerontological Society of America, Chicago, IL.

 Silverstein, N.M., Adams, M., Ahearn, P., Gavin, P., Griffin, M., Hanlon, A., Horne, E., Kirchheimer, B., MacDonald, M., Ryan, A., & Vanderscoff, K. (October, 2001). “A Look at Transportation Policy for an Aging Society.” Massachusetts Councils on Aging Annual Conference, Falmouth, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Murtha, J., Bruner-Canhoto, O’Connor, M., & Kapust, L. (March 2001). “The Driving Decision: Attitudes about the Criteria that should be Considered...and by Whom?” Presented at The First National Conference of the American Society on Aging and the National Council on the Aging, New Orleans, LA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Gottlieb, A., & Bruner-Canhoto, L. (November 2000). “Life at GrandFamilies House: The First Six Months.”Presented at the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D.C.

 Bruner-Canhoto, L., & Silverstein, N.M.(November 2000).“How Dementia-Friendly are Acute Care Hospital Stays in Massachusetts?”poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D.C.

 Silverstein, N.M., Murtha, J., Bruner-Canhoto, O’Connor, M., & Kapust, L.(November 2000). “The Driving Decision: When to Stop and Who Should Decide?” poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D.C.

 Mulcare, D.J., Michelson, S., Walgreen, S., Silverstein, N.M., & Spencer, M. (April 2000). “The Two-Way Video Classroom: A Means of Sharing Resources Between Programs.” Paper presented at the Massachusetts Information Technology Conference, Boxborough, MA.

 Michelson, S., Silverstein, N.M., Choi, L., Walgreen, S., & Mulcare, D. (April 2000). “Gerontology Issues: A Video-Based Distance Learning Course.” Poster presented at the Massachusetts Information Technology Conference, Boxborough, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Bruner-Canhoto, L., Goldberg, K., Greenan, K., Hogan, P., Kabba, U., Lojek, M., MacDonald, M., MacNeil, J., Pohotsky, D., Toomey, J., & Weistrop, J. (May 2000). “How Dementia-Friendly are Acute Care Hospital Stays in Massachusetts.” Poster presented at the Massachusetts Alzheimer’s Association Annual Multidisciplinary Professionals’ Conference, Marlboro, MA.

 Silverstein,N.M., Invited panelist with Zarit, S. & Radebough, T. (July 2000). Session on “Finding the Answers to Real Questions: A Dialogue Between the Researcher and Practitioner.” Poster presented at the World Alzheimer’s Congress 2000, Washington, D.C.

 Mulcare, D.J., Michelson, S., Walgreen, S., Silverstein, N.M., & Spencer,M. (April 2000). “The Two-Way Video Classroom: A Means of Sharing Resources Between Programs.” Massachusetts Information Technology Conference, Boxborough, MA.

 Michelson, S., Silverstein, N.M., Choi, L., Walgreen, S., & Mulcare, D. (April 2000). “Gerontology Issues: A Video-Based Distance Learning Course.” Poster presented at the Massachusetts Information Technology Conference, Boxborough, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Choi, L, & Bulot, J. (March 2000). “Older Learners and Higher Education: Their Motivations, Expectations and Concerns.” Lecture presented at the 46th Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, San Diego, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Bulot, J., & Choi, L. ( February 2000). “Higher Education and Older Learners: The Learning Experience & The Learning Environment.” Presentation at the 26th Annual Meeting of the Association of Gerontology in Higher Education, Myrtle Beach, SC.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Wu, B. (November 1999).“Research on Chinese Elders in China & The United States.” Symposium Coordinator and Discussant, 52nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Moorhead, J. (November 1999). “Women Veterans Knowledge & Use of VA Benefits & Long Term Care Services.” Paper presented at the 52nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Zeisel, J. & Hyde, J. (July 1999). “Therapeutic Design for Dementia: At Home, in Assisted Living, and in Long Term Care.” Workshop presented at the American Society on Aging Summer Series, Boston, MA

 Silverstein, N.M., Moorhead, J., Gemborys, N., McGary, D., & Robinson, P. (March 1999). “Aging Women Veterans in Massachusetts: Knowledge, Use and Attitudes Toward Veterans Services.” Paper presented at the 45th Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, Orlando, FL.

 Mulcare, D., Silverstein, N.M., Walgreen, S., & Spencer, M. (February 1999). “The Two-Way Video Classroom: Early Reviews.” Paper presented at the 25th Annual Meeting of the Association of Gerontology in Higher Education, St. Louis, MO.

 Vehvilainen, L., & Silverstein, N.M. (March 1998). “A Study of Grandparents Raising Grandchildren in Massachusetts: A Collaborative Action-Research Project.” Paper presented at the 44th Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, San Francisco, CA.

 Vehvilainen, L., Silverstein, N.M., & MacInnis, M. (March 1998).“An Action-Research Study of Grandparents Raising Grandchildren: A Partnership Between Researchers and Adult Students.” Poster presented at the 44th Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, San Francisco, CA.

 Clark, P.G., Silverstein, N.M. & Fey-Yensan, N., (February 1998). “Service Learning: An Emerging Force Shaping Gerontology for the Future.” Panel participant at the 24th Meeting of the Association of Gerontology in Higher Education, Winston-Salem, NC.

 Axelrod, D.T., Silverstein, N.M. & Wu., B. (March 1997). “The Nuts and Bolts of Conducting Telephone Surveys of Those 85+.” Lecture presented at the 43rd Annual meeting of the American Society of Aging, Nashville, T.N.

 Silverstein, N.M., Vehvilainen, L., MacInnis, M., & Spencer, M., (November 1997). "Beyond the Bake Sale: Grandparents Raising School-Age Grandchildren." Paper presented at the 50th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Cincinnati, OH.

 Silverstein, N.M.,(November 1997). "Design Criteria: Exploratory Studies." Paper presented at the 50th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Cincinnati, OH.

 Wu, B., & Silverstein, N.M. (November 1997). "Participation of Chinese Immigrants in Senior Centers: A Vehicle for Culturalization." Paper presented at the 50th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Cincinnati, OH.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Wu, B. (October 1997). "A Snapshot in the lives of the 85+: Their Lifestyles, Contributions, and Concerns." Paper presented by co-author Bei Wu at the International Conference on Aging into the 21st Century, Shanghai, PR China.

 Silverstein, N.M., Axelrod, D.T. & Wu, B. (March 1997). "Applying the Action-Research Model to Community Studies of the Oldest-Old." Paper presented at the 43rd Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, Nashville, TN.

 Silverstein, N.M., Bass, S.A., & Schmarsow, E. (February 1997). "Multi-Perspectives on Action-Research: From Design to Dissemination." Workshop led at the 23rd Annual Meeting of the Association of Gerontology in Higher Education, Boston, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Steiner, R. (March 1996). “An Opportunity to Reduce Poverty among the Elderly: The Effectiveness of SSI Training for Home Care Case Managers, I&R Workers, and SHINE Volunteers.” Paper presented at the 42nd Annual Meeting of the American Society of Aging, Anaheim, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Flaherty, G., & Salmons, T. (March 1996). “He Comes Back Eventually: Wandering Behavior in Community-Residing Alzheimer’s Patients Registered in SAFE RETURN.” Paper presented at the 42nd Annual Meeting of the American Society of Aging, Anaheim, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Salmons, T. (November 1996). "'The Dog Knows the Way Home: A Profile of Wandering." paper presented at the 49th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D.C.

 Axelrod, D.T., Silverstein, N.M., Wu, B. & Salmons, T. (November 1996). "Beyond Frail and Dependent: A Study of Community Dwelling Elders 85+ in Eight Suburban Towns." Poster presented at the 49th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D.C.

 Hartstein, A., & Silverstein, N.M. (November 1996) "Program Evaluation that Works: From Evaluation to Long Range Planning." Paper presented at the Massachusetts Councils on Aging Annual Conference, Worcester, MA.

Silverstein, N.M., & Rosenberg, A. (March 1995). “Accessing SSI: Identifying and Overcoming

Barriers.” Paper presented at the 40th Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, Atlanta, GA.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Flaherty, G., (March 1994). “Professionals’ Utilization of a Telephone Helpline for Alzheimer’s Disease: What Do I Do Now?” Paper presented at the 40th Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, San Francisco, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Bernstein, S. (November 1994). “The Young-Old: Knowledge, Attitudes and Needs.” Paper presented at the 47th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.

 Axelrod, D.T., Silverstein, N.M., Hartstein, A., & Silva, P. (November 1994). “An Innovative Model for Assessing Service Needs of the 85+.” Poster presented at the 47th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Atlanta, GA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Kennedy, K., & McCormick, D. (March 1993). “A Telephone Helpline for Alzheimer’s Disease: Information, Referral, and Support.” Paper presented at the 39th Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, Chicago, IL.

 Silverstein, N.M., Hyde, J., & Ohta, R. (March 1993). “Home Adaptation for Alzheimer’s Households: Factors Related to Implementation and Outcomes of Recommendations.” Paper presented at the 39th Annual Meeting of the American Society on Aging, Chicago, IL.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Hyde, J. (November 1991). “Home Adaptation Recommendations: Barriers to Implementation for Family Caregivers.” Paper presented at the 44th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Hanfling, M., Meriam, P., & Whitney, E. (November 1991). “When Caregivers Need a Break: An Evaluation of an Acute Hospital-Based Respite Program.” Paper presented at the 44th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Cornell, L., Fagan, A., & Ure, L. (November 1989). “House Calls: The Geriatric Nurse Practitioner Response to the Homebound Elderly.” Paper presented at the 42nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Minneapolis, MN.

 Gonyea, J., Silverstein, N.M., & Hyde, J. (November 1987). “Alzheimer’s Disease Community Partnerships: An Interim Evaluation.” Paper presented at the 40th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington, D.C.

 Silverstein, N.M., Michelson, S., & LoCastro, S. (November 1985). “Adult Children and Aging Parents: How Knowledgeable are the Elderly’s Key Informal Supports?” Paper presented at the 38th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, LA.

 Silverstein, N.M. (November 1980). “Informing the Elderly about Public Services: the Relationship Between Sources of Knowledge and Service Utilization.” Paper presented at the 33rd Annual Scientific meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.

**NON-REFEREED PAPERS PRESENTED (Invited):**

Silverstein, N.M., & Gugliucci, M. Campus Conversations: Assessing and Tracking Age Inclusive Efforts. GSA/AGHE sponsored series. (September 14, 2021) virtual.

Silverstein, N.M. Safe Mobility for Older People: Implications for Traffic Safety Professionals. Ontario Traffic Council Active Transportation Symposium (March 23, 2021) virtual.

 Silverstein, N.M. Team Teaching Online: An Academic & Professional Partnership focusing on Senior Transportation. MassDOT Innovation Series. (October 8, 2020) virtual.

 Silverstein, N.M. Hospitalization When Someone Has Dementia. Worcester Area Geriatric Social Workers (WAGS). Shrewsbury, MA (September 13, 2019).

Silverstein, N.M. Transportation and Dementia. Invited presenter. Peking University Institute for Mental Health. Beijing, China (July 10, 2019).

 Silverstein, N.M. Getting Where We Want to Go, When We Want to Go There: A Big Part of Healthy Aging. Invited speaker. Institute for Health, Health Care Policy, and Aging Research Seminar, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ (April 4, 2019).

Silverstein, N.M. Getting Around—Transportation Alternatives for Aging. Jenks Center Symposium. Winchester, MA (October 11, 2018).

Silverstein, N.M. Age Friendly Universities: An Important & Sometimes Overlooked Stakeholder in the Age Friendly Community Movement. Massachusetts for All Ages: Building Community Across Generations. Massachusetts Gerontology Association Conference. Boston, MA (November 28, 2017)

Kerschner, H, & Silverstein, N.M. The Volunteer Driver Program Option. Shepherd’s Centers of America & the National Volunteer Caregiving Network. Kansas City, MO (October 27, 2016).

Silverstein, N.M., O’Connor, M., Kapust, L., Fichtenbaum, R. Staying Connected After Driving. *Power + Purpose* lecture, Alzheimer’s Association MA/NH Chapter, Watertown, MA (January 7, 2016).

Silverstein, N.M., Driving Longer for Some, Increased Transportation Options for Others: Is Missouri Ready and Willing? Keynote address to Missouri Coalition for Roadway Safety (Sept. 29-Oct. 1, 2014 St. Louis, MO).

Silverstein, N. Keynote/Plenary Address, Reflections on Mentoring: Connecting and

Reconnecting Across Life's Path, Taking Educational Quality to New Heights, Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, Denver, Colorado, (March 2, 2014).

Silverstein, N. Keynote/Plenary Address, Keeping Older Adults Mobile: A Role for Social Work Intervention in Optimizing Community Mobility, Worcester Area Geriatric Social Workers Fall Forum, Worcester Area Geriatric Social Workers, Worcester, MA, (October 24, 2013).

Silverstein, N. Keep Moving Longer: Transportation and Aging, Moving Together 2013, Mass DOT conference, Boston, MA, (October 23, 2013).

Dugan, E. Palombo, R., Silverstein, N., The Tufts Healthy Aging Project and Your Community, Senior Centers 2013: Where Do We Grow From Here?, Massachusetts Councils on Aging/Senior Center Directors Annual Conference, Sturbridge, MA, (October 2, 2013).

Silverstein, N.M. Keeping Older Drivers Mobile: When to Relearn, Reassure, Rehab, Recommend, and Refer. 37th Annual ADED Conference, August 18, 2013, Columbus, OH. Invited Keynote.

 Silverstein, N.M. Alzheimer’s and the Pathway from Driver to Passenger. Alzheimer’s Association International Conference, July 17, 2013, Boston, MA. Invited Plenary.

Silverstein, N.M., and Eby, D.W. Using Instrumented Vehicles to Monitor Drivers with Dementia: Findings from a Multi-year Study. Driver Rehabilitation Refresher Course. Veterans Health Administration Employee Education System & Rehabilitation Services. St. Louis, MO, June 16, 2011. Invited lecture.

Silverstein, N.M. Educating Tomorrow’s Gerontologists: National Trends and Local Opportunities. University of Missouri--St. Louis. St. Louis, MO, June 14, 2011. Invited plenary lecture.

Silverstein, N.M. Avenues to Independence: Fresh Ideas Forum. A Community Collaboration on

Senior Transportation. Power in Aging Collaborative. Hyannis, Cape Cod, MA, February 14, 2011. Invited Panelist.

Silverstein, N.M. Dementia, Driving, and Community Mobility: Framing the Discussion. Akdeniz University, Antalya, Turkey, November 1 and 3, 2010. Invited lectures.

Silverstein, N.M. Dementia, Driving, and Community Mobility: Framing the Discussion. Berkshire Area Health Education Center (AHEC), Lenox, MA, June 10, 2010.

Silverstein, N.M. The Pathway from Driver to Passenger: Strategies & Interventions for
Enhancing Community Mobility. Dorothea Willgoose Lecture, Needham Council on Aging, Needham, MA, November 13, 2009

Silverstein, N.M.Impact of Dementia on Senior Transportation.Senior Transportation Institute, Easter Seals/National Center for Senior Transportation, Washington, DC. June 16, 2009

Gottlieb, A., and Silverstein, N.M. Fitness to Drive in Early Stage Dementia:  Preliminary Findings.University of Michigan Transportation Research Institute, Ann Arbor, MI, May 21, 2009

Silverstein, N.M. The Outcome is Mobility: The impact of dementia on driving & community mobility. Invited speaker. 2009 American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA) Annual Conference & Expo. Houston, TX, April 23-26, 2009

Silverstein, N.M. Older Driver Research.  2009 Lifesavers National Conference on Highway Safety Priorities, Nashville, TN, March 30, 2009.

Silverstein, N.M. “Driving and Dementia.” Webinar presentation hosted by the national Alzheimer’s Association, March 25, 2009.

Silverstein, N.M. “Pathway from Driver to Passenger: Strategies and Interventions for Enhancing Community Mobility.” Invited. Smart Growth—Smart Energy Conference 2008, Boston Convention Center, Boston, MA, Dec. 12, 2008.

Silverstein, N.M. "Dementia, Driving and Community Mobility." Invited. Medical Grand Rounds, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH, Nov. 6, 2008

Silverstein, N.M. "Improving Hospital Care for Persons with Dementia."  Invited. Dept. of Geriatric Nursing, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH, Nov. 6, 2008

Silverstein, N.M. "Dementia, Driving, and Community Mobility: Framing the Discussion."  Foley Lecturer keynote, Alzheimer's Association, Cleveland Chapter, Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 6, 2008

Silverstein, N.M. "Making Communities Livable." Keynote, 5th Anniversary Celebration of the

Marshfield Council on Aging/Senior Center, Marshfield, MA (Nov. 15, 2008).

Silverstein, N.M., “Dementia, Driving, and Community Mobility: Framing the Discussion.” Invited plenary session. GRECC Driving & Dementia Conference, Minneapolis, MN (September 9, 2008).

 Silverstein, N.M., Odenheimer, G., & Schold Davis, E. “Am I Safe to Drive? The Physician and Occupational Therapist Roles in Support for the Decision Process.” Invited plenary session. 16th Annual Alzheimer’s Association Dementia Care Conference. Garden Grove, CA. (August 24-27, 2008).

Silverstein, N.M. “Alzheimer’s Disease and Fitness to Drive.” Invited background paper and presentation. North American License Policy Workshop, AAA Foundation for Traffic Safety,

Washington, DC. (Dec. 5-7, 2007).

 Silverstein, N.M. “Shifting Gears: From Driver to Passenger.” Eastern Mass OWL. University of Massachusetts Boston, (November 8, 2007).

Silverstein, N.M. “Older Drivers and Community Mobility.” Summer Transportation Institute for middle school and high school students. University of Massachusetts Boston. Tomas Materdey, Director. (July 16, 2007).

Silverstein, N.M. Invited presenter. “Bringing the Student to the Curriculum and the Curriculum to the Student: A Competency-Based Approach to Infusing Gerontology.” Responsible Education in the 21st Century: Preparing Students for Life in an Aging Society, a Katherine Ratliff Memorial Conference on Ethics, Values and Human Responsibility. University of Indianapolis. (May 17-18, 2007, Indianapolis, IN).

Silverstein, N.M. “The Pathway from Driver to Passenger: Strategies and Interventions for Enhancing Community Mobility.” Invited Keynote presenter. Minnesota Gerontological Society Annual Meeting (April 27, 2007, Brooklyn Center, MN)

Silverstein, N.M. “DriveWell: A Train-the-Trainer Curriculum.” Invited trainer through the American Society on Aging and National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. AAA Northern New England. (April 13, 2007, Portland, ME)

Silverstein, N.M. “DriveWell: A Train-the-Trainer Curriculum.” Invited lecture. Boston University Sargent College Department of Occupational Therapy and Rehabilitation Counseling Programs in Occupational Therapy (March 21, 2007, Boston, MA)

Silverstein, N.M. “Overview of Dementia and Driving.” Invited lecture. Seminar for healthcare and law enforcement professionals sponsored by the University of California, Irvine Center for Trauma and Injury Prevention Research, (February 16, 2007, Orange, CA).

Silverstein, N.M. “Alzheimer’s Disease: Special Issues for Individuals and Families in Meeting Challenges in Everyday Life.” Alzheimer’s Awareness Month Special Lecture. University of Massachusetts Boston (November 15, 2006)

Silverstein, N.M. “No Longer in the Driver’s Seat: Current Need and Future Vision for Community Mobility Options.”  Invited lecture. Senior Safe Mobility Summit. The Older Californian Traffic Safety Task Force, (October 26, 2006, Newport Beach, CA)

Silverstein, N.M. “Dementia, Wandering, and Getting Lost:  Challenges and Strategies for the Community, Acute Care, and LTC Settings” Invited lecture. Nursing for  Improving Care for Health System Elders (NICHE) Seminar, Chilton Memorial Hospital, (October 18, 2006, Pompton Plains, NJ)

Silverstein, N.M. “Transportation Options for People with Dementia.” Invited presenter. Administration on Aging Alzheimer’s Disease Demonstration Grants to States Teleconference. (July 26, 2006).

Silverstein, N.M. “Elderly Behind the Wheel: Emerging Issues in Driver Safety.” Women in Government 8th Annual Eastern Regional Conference. Invited presenter sponsored by the Alzheimer’s Association (July 22, 2006, Woodstock, VT).

Silverstein, N.M. “It is not just about the keys” Dementia, Driving, and Supportive Mobility Options. Alzheimer’s Disease Center Research Seminar Series. Boston University Alzheimer’s Disease Clinical and Research Program. Invited presenter. (May 17, 2006).

Silverstein, N.M. Overview of Issues Associated with Dementia, Driving, and Community Mobility Options. International Conference on Aging, Disability and Independence (February 1-5, 2006, St. Petersburg, FL.). Invited presenter, pre-conference workshop on community mobility and dementia.

 Silverstein, N.M. It Is Not Just About Giving Up The Keys: Reframing Research And Policy Issues About Dementia And Driving. Monash University Accident Research Centre (MUARC), Melbourne, Australia (December 15, 2005).

 Silverstein, N.M. It Is Not Just About The Keys: Reframing Research and Policy Issues About Dementia and Driving. Gerontology Institute and Department, McCormack Graduate School of Policy Studies, University of Massachusetts Boston, Colloquium Series—Fall 2005 (September 26, 2005).

Silverstein, N.M.It Is Not Just About The Keys: Reframing Research and Policy Issues Concerning Dementia and Driving. Alzheimer’s Disease Initiative annual meeting, Orlando, Fl (June 16-18, 2005). Keynote address.

Silverstein, N.M. Action-Research: Faculty, Student, and Community Perspectives. University of Maryland Baltimore County, (May 4, 2005. Baltimore, MD). Presentation on Action-Research methodology

Silverstein, N.M. State Licensing Requirements and Reporting Laws. Alzheimer’s Public Policy Forum (May 2, Washington, DC). Coordinated/moderated workshop

Silverstein, N.M. Dementia and Driving**.** Johns Hopkins University, Dept. of Mental Health, (April 21, 2005, Baltimore, MD). Presentation to graduate student seminar.

Silverstein, N.M., & Flaherty, G. Dementia and Wandering Behavior: Why Families and Professionals Should Be Concerned. Alzheimer’s Societé of Canada, (April 7-9, 2005, Regina, Saskatchewan). Plenary presentation.

Silverstein, N.M., & Flaherty, G. Dementia and Wandering: Strategies for Community, Hospital, and Long Term Care Setting. Alzheimer’s Societé of Canada, (April 7-9, 2005, Regina, Saskatchewan). Workshop.

Silverstein, N.M. Dementia and Wandering Behavior: Why Families and Professionals Should Be Concerned. Grand Rounds, April 5, University of Alberta TelHealth System, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.

Silverstein, N.M.Promoting Safety and Comfort in the Patient Who Wanders. Nursing for Improvement of Care for Health System Elders (NICHE) Clinical Practice Conference, (February 2-3, 2005, New York City). Paper.

Silverstein, N.M. Maryland Transportation Research Consortium (December 9, 2004, Baltimore, MD) Invited to present on Vehicle Modification Study—also showed the DVD developed for the research.

Silverstein, N.M., Van Ranst, E., & Gottlieb, A. (May, 2004). Keep Moving Longer: Features for Safe Driving. Faculty presentation series. College of Public & Community Service, University of Massachusetts Boston.

 Silverstein, N.M. (April, 2004). Promoting Safe Mobility Among Older Drivers. Keynote address. Safe Driving Forum.sponsored by HESSCO Elder Services**,** Orchard Cove, Canton, MA.

Silverstein, N.M. Improving Hospital Care for Persons with Dementia. Alzheimer's Education Conference. Alzheimer's Association, Massachusetts Chapter, Western MA. Springfield, MA (Nov. 2003).

 Silverstein, N.M., Gnospelius, S., Butler, A., & Tylus, S. (June, 2003). “What Gerontology Alumni Do: 21 Years of Advocating, Volunteering, Employment, Education, & Caregiving.” UMass Boston Gerontology Alumni Association Annual Spring Luncheon.

 Silverstein, N.M. (Jan, 2003). Dementia and Wandering: Why Families and Professionals Should be Concerned. Presentation for the Boston Alzheimer's Partnership, Boston Alzheimer's Center, Jamaica Plain, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Sullivan, D. (Dec. 2002). What Gerontology Alumni Do: 21 Years of Advocacy, Volunteering, Employment, Education, and Caregiving. Presentation for the "Alumni College Event" of the College of Public & Community Service, University of Massachusetts Boston.

 Silverstein, N.M., Flaherty, G., & Tobin, T.S. (June, 2002). "Dementia and Wandering Behavior: Why Families and Professionals Should Be Concerned." 2001-2002 Series on Alzheimer's Disease. Boston Alzheimer's Center, Jamaica Plain, MA.*Series aired on cable T.V. in Massachusetts and in selected cities nationwide.*

 Silverstein, N.M., & Flaherty, G. (May, 2002). “Dementia and Wandering Behavior: A Deadly Mix.” Gerontology Speaker Series. University of Massachusetts Boston, Boston, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M. (January, 2002). “What Councils on Aging Directors are Saying About Transportation and Aging.” Invited lecture for the 81st Annual Meeting of the Transportation Research Board, Washington, DC.

 Silverstein, N.M. (September 2001). “Facing the Challenge of Dementia and Wandering Behavior in Long Term Care Settings.” workshop presented at Briarwood Health Care, Needham, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M. (January 2001). “Responding to the Needs of Community-Residing Elders.” Long range planning committee of the Shepherd’s Center of Cambridge-Somerville, Cambridge, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M. (September 2000). Moderator, Town Conference, “It Takes A Town.” Served as moderator for a panel of State legislators and town officials who focused on the topic of servicing elders in Needham, MA. Sponsored by the Wellness Collaborative, Needham, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Bruner-Canhoto, L., Goldberg, K., Greenan, K., Hogan, P., Kabba, U., Lojek, M., MacDonald, M., MacNeil, J., Pohotsky, D., Toomey, J., & Weistrop, J. (May 2000). “How Dementia-Friendly are Acute Care Hospital Stays in Massachusetts.” Poster presentation at the Massachusetts Alzheimer’s Association Annual Multidisciplinary Professionals’ Conference, Marlboro, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Choi, L. (April 2000). “Demographics of Kinship Care in Massachusetts.” Invited lecture for the Kinship Summit sponsored by the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, Boston, MA.

Silverstein, N.M., & Moorhead, J. (February 2000). “Raising Awareness About Aging Women

Veterans in Massachusetts.” Invited lecture to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Women Veterans’ Network, Boston, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M. (February 2000). Invited participant. National Alzheimer’s Association Metro Chapters Planning Meeting. San Francisco, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M. (December 1999). “Living with Alzheimer’s Disease or a Related Disorder.” Opening remarks. Sixteenth Annual Family Conference. Alzheimer’s Association, Massachusetts Chapter, Boston, MA.

Silverstein, N.M. (November 1999). “Grandparents Raising Grandchildren.” Invited Symposium

Discussant, 52nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.

 Silverstein, N.M. (September 1999). “Aging Women Veterans: Knowledge & Use of VA Benefits & Services.” Invited Plenary Session Lecture, National Women Veterans Coordinators Conference, Chicago, IL.

 Silverstein, N.M. (June 1998). “Design Criteria in Alzheimer’s Special Care Units.” Invited lecture, Shanghai Second Medical University, Shanghai, PR China.

 Silverstein, N.M. (March 1998). “Grandparents Raising Grandchildren in Massachusetts: Implications for Schools.” Paper presented to the Nee**dh**am School Committee, Needham, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M., & Salmons, T. (June 1997). "Community Assessment Tools for Program Directors." Workshop led at the Alzheimer's Association of Eastern Massachusetts Interdisciplinary Conference for Professionals, Marlborough, MA.

 Silverstein, N.M., Axelrod, D., & Silva, P. (May 1994). “85+ Outreach Study.” Planning study conducted for and presented to the Board of the Needham Council on Aging, Needham. MA.

**TESTIMONY/SELECTED MEDIA:**

June 1, 2022 Interviewed on the topic of Age Friendly Universities by Tori DeAngelis. *APA*

 *Monitor*. Vol. 53 (4): 32 [Embracing learners of all ages (apa.org)](https://www.apa.org/monitor/2022/06/news-learners-all-ages)

April 27, 2022 Interviewed on the topic of Age Friendly Universities by Richard Eisenberg for

MarketWatch. [Looking to learn something new in retirement? Find an age-friendly university - MarketWatch](https://www.marketwatch.com/story/looking-to-learn-something-new-in-retirement-find-an-age-friendly-university-11651072295)

March 20, 2017 Interviewed on the topic of transportation for the development of the Dementia

Innovation Readiness Index by representatives of the Alzheimer’s Disease International and Global Coalition on Aging that released the Index on April 25, 2017

<http://www.globalcoalitiononaging.com/data/uploads/documents/gcoa-adi-dementia-index.pdf>

June 4, 2009 Interviewed on the topic of older drivers by Latoya Edwards, reporter for New England Cable News.

June 2, 2009 Interviewed by WBZ Reporter, Jonathan Elias in response to an older driver incident.

September 22, 2005 Interviewed for Commonwealth Journal on WUMB Radio-91.9FM on the topic of safe mobility and older drivers. Boston, MA.

May 22, 2003 Expert panelist. “Government and Families: Working Together to Strengthen the Safety Net.” Legislative Caucus on Older Citizens’ Concerns & Alzheimer’s Association, Massachusetts Chapter Legislative Education Day (LEAD) at Massachusetts State House.

March 21, 2003 Interviewed for Older Americans Report (Volume 27 No. 12, p.91). Social marketing strategy might allay seniors’ fears of giving up driving.

July 15, 2001 Letter to the Editor, response to article on “GrandFamilies’ House.” Boston Sunday Globe Magazine. Boston, MA. page 3.

Sept. 7, 2000 Interviewed by Wellesley Public Access Cable T.V. in a moderated panel format on Alzheimer’s disease.

April 21, 2000 Interviewed for NBC Nightly News on “Alzheimer’s disease and Wandering Behavior.”

March, 2000 Interviewed by CBS Health Watch on “Home Adaptations for Alzheimer’s Disease.” Interview appears on website: [www.cbshealthwatch.com](file:///C%3A%5CMove%20Me%5Cback%20up%201006%5CLocal%20Settings%5Cnmsilverstein%5CLocal%20Settings%5CTemporary%20Internet%20Files%5COLK29%5Cwww.cbshealthwatch.com) under keyword: Alzheimer’s.

March 17, 1999 Interviewed by Needham Cable T.V. on the “Future of Needham’s Elderly” as part of a townwide facilities study that was presented to Town Meeting in May 1999.

March 31, 1999 Prepared written testimony for the Massachusetts State Legislature in support of S. 573, “An Act Relative to Assisting Relatives Who Care for Non-Custodial Children.”

March, 1997 Interviewed for Boston Public Access “Answer Channel” on the topic of kinship care.

**GRANT AWARDS**:

2022- Principal Investigator, Grant, Moving From Age-Friendly Principles to Practices in U.S. Higher

2023 Education: Strategies to Enhance Learning and Workplace Environments, RRF, $128,629.00

2020- Principal Investigator, Grant, Taking the Pulse of Age-Friendliness in Higher Education in the US 2021 Today.  RRF Foundation for Aging (formerly Retirement Research Foundation). Awarded May

28, 2020, $103,893.

2019- Co-Investigator, Tufts Healthy Aging multi-year research project on creating Community profiles

2021 of Healthy Aging in Massachusetts and in Connecticut (Beth Dugan, PI). Tufts Health Foundation sponsored.

2016-Co-Investigator, Grant, Enhancing the Participation of Older Adults in the Electoral Process in 2018 Liberia, Office of Global Programs, UMass Boston, Awarded October 31, 2016, $4,500.00,

2017- Co-Investigator, Tufts Healthy Aging multi-year research project on creating Community profiles

2019 of Healthy Aging in Massachusetts and in New Hampshire (Beth Dugan, PI). Tufts Health Foundation sponsored.

2015- Co-Investigator, Tufts Healthy Aging multi-year research project on creating Community profiles

2017 Present of Healthy Aging in Rhode Island (Beth Dugan, PI). Tufts Health Foundation sponsored.

2014- Principal Investigator, Dementia Care Coordination project. Subcontract through the Alzheimer’s

2015 Association from Tufts Health Plan.

2013- Co-Investigator, Tufts Healthy Aging multi-year research project on creating Community profiles

2015 of Healthy Aging in Massachusetts (Beth Dugan, PI). Tufts Health Foundation sponsored.

2012 Silverstein, N.M. (PI). *Strengthening Inclusive Transportation Partnerships to Promote Community Living.* Easter Seals. Washington, DC.

2011 Silverstein, N.M. (PI), & Gottlieb, A.G. (Co-PI). *Three State Evaluation of Lift Up Your Voice Elder Advocacy Training.* Community Catalyst. Boston, MA.

2010 Silverstein, N.M. (Consultant), & Gottlieb, A.G. *Chronic Disease Self Management Programs*

 *and Relevance to Persons with Dementia.* Alzheimer’s Association Public Policy Office,

 Washington, DC.

2010 Silverstein, N.M. (Consultant). *Florida Dementia Friendly Transportation Research Project.* Carlin Rogers Consulting LLC for the Florida Department of Elder Affairs, Tallahassee, FL.

2009 Silverstein, N.M. (Consultant). National Center for Senior Transportation. Washington,

 DC. Advise on Student Scholar Initiative and increasing University involvement in transportation

 and aging.

2008-2010 Silverstein, N.M. (Consultant). *Assessment of Driving Safety in Aging, MCI and Dementia.*

Stern, R.A. (PI). Alzheimer’s Association Investigator Initiated Research Program.

2008-2009 Silverstein, N.M. (Consultant). *ITN Lite Project : Software as a Service for Volunteer and*

 *Community Transport.* ITN America, Portland, ME.

2008 Silverstein, N.M. (Consultant). *Transportation Alternatives and Individuals with Dementia.* Carlin

 Rogers Consulting LLC for the Florida Department of Elder Affairs, Tallahassee, FL.

2008-2009 Materdey, T., Silverstein, N.M., and Adler, G. *Does Monitoring Naturalistic Driving through*

 *Vehicle Instrumentation Make a Difference in Decision-Making for Fitness to Drive in Early*

*Stage Dementia? An Intervention Study.* UMass Transportation Center Initiative. University of Massachusetts Transportation Center, Amherst, MA. Dr. Silverstein is a co-investigator.

2006-09 Eby, D., Silverstein, N.M., Adler, G., Molnar, L., & LeBlanc, D. *Fitness to Drive in Early Stage*

 *Dementia: An Instrumented Vehicle Study.* Project grant awarded to the University of Michigan

 Transportation Research Institute under the 2006 Investigator-Initiated Research Grant Program

 of the Alzheimer’s Association for the grant period of 9/2006-8/2009. Dr. Silverstein is a co-

 investigator.

2004-05 Silverstein, N.M. (Gerontology Research Fellow). Dementia and Driving. Cooperative

 Agreement with UMass Boston from the Department of Transportation,

 National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA/DOT).

2005 Silverstein, N.M. (Consultant) Strategic planning study. Beverly Foundation, Pasadena, California.

2004 Silverstein, N.M. (Evaluation Consultant). Driving and Dementia and also continued work on Acute Care and Dementia, National Alzheimer’s Association.

2003 Silverstein, N.M. (PI) and Elizabeth Van Ranst (co-PI). Promoting Safe Mobility among Elders by Increasing Awareness of Vehicle Modifications. Charles H. Farnsworth Trust of the Medical Foundation, State Street Bank.

2003 Silverstein, N.M. (PI). Seniors' Count Follow-up Study. Boston Commission on Affairs of

 the Elderly. Grant to the Gerontology Institute for action-research project.

2002 Silverstein, N.M. (Evaluation Consultant). Continuation grant. Improving Hospital Care for People with Dementia. An acute care initiative sponsored by the National Alzheimer’s Association. Consultation to the national Alzheimer’s Association related to the grant activities.

2001 Silverstein, N.M. (P.I.). Three-site Educational Interactive Video Conference on Alzheimer’s disease. Public Service Endowment Grant. University of Massachusetts Boston. This sum was matched by the *TADS* committee of the UMass President's Office in order to have sufficient resources to conduct an interactive video conference for Council on Aging directors on January 10, 2003.

2000 Silverstein, N.M. (Evaluation Consultant). Improving Hospital Care for People with Dementia. An acute care initiative sponsored by the National Alzheimer’s Association. Responsible for designing RFL and RFP and assisting in the selection of a hospital site for a grant award in year one of the initiative.

2000 Silverstein, N.M. (P.I.), & Gottlieb, A. (Co-P.I.). Gerontology Institute, University of Massachusetts Boston. “Stony Brook Housing Assessment.” Grant from private-non-profit housing board, Sharon, MA.

1999 Silverstein, N.M. (P.I.-UMass Boston), & Mulcare, D. (P.I.-UMass, Dartmouth). Professional development grant in Instructional Technology for Academic Development sponsored by the President’s office, the campuses and the Informational Technology “Social and Economic Implications of Aging, An Interactive, Video-Based Distance Education Course.”

1999 Silverstein, N.M. (P.I), & Gottlieb, A. (Co-P.I.) Gerontology Institute, University of Massachusetts Boston. Received a grant from Boston Aging Concerns Young and Old United Inc. “The Grandfamilies House Demonstration: Supportive Housing for Grandparents Raising Grandchildren.”

1998 Silverstein, N.M. (P.I.-UMass Boston), & Mulcare, D. (P.I.-UMass Dartmouth). Two Professional Development Grants in Instructional Technology for Academic Development sponsored by the President’s Office, the campuses and the Information Technology Council. “Introduction to Gerontology and the Two-Way Video Classroom” and “Training of UMass Faculty in the Use of the Two-Way Video Classroom Pedagogy and Technology.”

1995 Silverstein, N.M. (P.I.). “Community Assessment for Dementia Services.” Contracted to write a workbook for the National Alzheimer’s Association, Chicago, IL.

1995 Zeisel, J. (PI), Hyde, J. (Co-PI), & Silverstein, N.M., (Research Consultant). “Design Criteria for Alzheimer Special Care Units (Phase II).” NIA/SBIR three-year grant to Hearthstone Alzheimer's Care, Lexington, MA.

1993 Bruce, E. (P.I.), & Silverstein, N.M. (Project Director). "Linking Eligible Elders to SSI: A Follow-Up Study of Families USA ACCESS: SSI Project." a grant partially funded through the Boston Foundation, Action research project, University of Massachusetts Boston Gerontology Institute and Center, Boston, MA.

1990 Hyde, J. (P.I.), & Silverstein, N.M. (Co-P.I.). "Barriers to Home Adaptation for Alzheimer's Families,"Grant funded through the Medical Foundation of the Farnsworth Trust. University of Massachusetts Gerontology Institute and Center, Boston, MA.

1989 Gonyea, J. (P.I.), & Silverstein, N.M. (Co-P.I.). “The Role of Alzheimer’s Disease Support Groups in Families Utilization of Community Services.” Grant funded through the Medical Foundation of the Farnsworth Trust. Boston University School of Social Work, Boston, MA.

1985 Hyde, J. (P.I.), Silverstein, N.M. (Project Director), & Gonyea, J. (Evaluation consultant). “Partnerships for Community-Based Respite Care,” an evaluation conducted for the Alzheimer’s Association of Eastern Massachusetts of their three-year research and demonstration project funded through the Administration on Aging, Boston University, Boston, MA.

**HONORS:**

2020 Appointed to the Age-Friendly University Working Group, Gerontological Society of America, Washington, DC

2019 Appointed to Advisory Board for the GSA publication, *What’s Hot: Age-Friendly Universities.* Project is supported by AARP.

2018 Re-appointed to the Safe Mobility for Older Adults Committee (ANB60) of the Transportation Research Board of the National Academies, Washington, DC.

2014 Elected President, Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. Term is effective from President-Elect through President and then Past-President, March 2015-November 2020.

2014 Appointed to Board of Advisors, National Volunteer Transportation Center. Community Transportation Association of America, Washington, DC

2013 Hiram J. Friedsam Mentorship Award. Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. presented February, 2014, Denver, CO

2011 Appointed Visiting Scholar, AARP Office of Academic Affairs, Washington, DC

2010 Elected Chair-Elect, Social Research Planning and Practice Section (SRPP) of the Gerontological Society of America (GSA), Washington, DC. (3-year term).

2010 Winner of the 2009 David A. Peterson Award for the best article in Volume 29 of *Gerontology & Geriatrics Education* for the article titled, *Students Explore Livable Communities.* Awarded at the 2010 Annual Meeting and Educational Leadership Conference of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education (AGHE), March, 2010, Reno, NV

2010 Appointed to the Safe Mobility for Older Adults Committee (ANB60) of the Transportation Research Board of the National Academies, Washington, DC.

2009 Elected to the Heller Alumni Association Board, Brandeis University Effective Date: July 1, 2009.

2008 Silverstein, N.M. (Guest Coordinator). Special issue on older drivers. *Gerontology &*

 *Geriatrics Education.* 29 (4).

2008 Juror, Fairfax Intergenerational Design Competition, Fairfax Renaissance Development

 Corporation, December 5, 2008, Cleveland, Ohio.

2008 Joseph Foley Lecturer, Alzheimer's Association, Cleveland Chapter, November 6, 2008

2008 Visiting Professor Pro Tempore, Dept. of Geriatric Medicine, Cleveland Clinic Educational

 Foundation, Nov. 5-7, 2008.

2008 Louis Lowy Award, Annual Meeting of the Massachusetts Gerontology Association, April 15, 2008

2007 Person of the Year, Alzheimer’s Association, Massachusetts Chapter, Annual Meeting, November 15, 2007

2007 Elected Member-At-Large to the Executive Committee of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education.

2007 Bourestom Keynote Lecture, Minnesota Gerontological Society, Brooklyn Center, Minnesota (April 27, 2007)

2006 Program Chair, Annual Meeting of the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, Indianapolis, IN.

2004- Gerontology Research Fellow, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, U.S.

2005 Department of Transportation, Washington, DC.

2002 American Journal of Nursing chose Dementia and Wandering Behavior: Concern for the Lost Elder as a “Book of the Year” awardee.

2001 Volunteer appreciation honoree, Needham Council on Aging, Needham, MA.

2000 Faculty appreciation honoree, University of Massachusetts Boston

1999 Co-Chair, Brandeis University Heller Graduate School for Advanced Studies of Social Welfare 40th anniversary alumni event. Waltham, MA.

1999 Fellow, elected by the Social Research Planning and Practice Section of the Gerontological Society of America.

1996 "Master Teacher Certificate for Contributions to Gerontological Education." Presented at the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education (AGHE) annual meeting, Philadelphia, PA.

1990 "Allocations Service Award for Community Service" Presented by the United Way of Massachusetts Bay.

**REVIEW ACTIVITIES**:

. Journal article reviewer:

Journal of Aging and Social Policy (on Editorial Board since 2016)

Journal of the American Medical Directors’ Association

Gerontology and Geriatrics Education (on Editorial Board since 2000)

The Gerontologist (on Editorial Board since 2014)

Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences

Journal of Applied Gerontology

Accident Analysis & Prevention

American Nurse Today

Journal of Transport & Health (on Editorial Board since 2013, Associate Editor since 2019)

Research on Aging (on Editorial Board since 2016)

Preventive Medicine

Traffic Injury Prevention

Israel Journal of Psychiatry

BioMed Central Geriatrics

Guest reviewer, Journal of Mental Health and Aging 6 (4). Special Issue on the mental health of grandparent caregivers. (Winter, 2000).

Educational Module Reviewer— Reviewed 3 modules related to dementia for University of South Carolina Geriatric Education Center (2005).

Grant Reviewer—Alzheimer’s Association Medical and Scientific Grant awards program (since 1998).

Alzheimer’s and Related Disease Research Award Fund (ARDRAF), Commonwealth of Virginia (2007).

Michigan Center for Advancing Safe Transportation throughout the Lifespan (M-CASTL). Research Excellence Program. (2008). Beverly Foundation Star Awards for Excellence in Senior Transportation (2008-2010), National Center for Senior Transportation (NCST) Student Scholar Initiative (2009, 2010)

Abstract reviewer for professional meetings: Gerontological Society of America, Association for Gerontology in Higher Education, and the Transportation Research Board.

**ADVISORY COMMITTEES**

2020 Massachusetts Alzheimer’s Advisory Council Sub-Committee/Quality Care Workgroup

2016- 2017 Massachusetts Alzheimer's and Related Dementias Acute Care Advisory Committee, Dept.

of Public Health, Boston, MA, USA, State. (April 13, 2016 – Fall 2017). Participate in legislative-appointed committee charged with creating a strategy to address dementia capable care in the Commonwealth.

2015-present Massachusetts Strategic Highway Safety Plan Committee(s). Emphasis areas: Older Driver

 Safety and Impaired Driving

2014-2016 National Volunteer Transportation Center, Community Transportation Association of America. Star Awards Review Committee and Center Advisor. Washington, DC.

2010-2014 Beverly Foundation Star Awards for Senior Transportation Programs Review Committee

Aug. 2009 Rides Change Lives: The Future of Senior Transportation (Expert Forum) National Center on Senior Transportation (invited) City: Washington, DC

Feb. 2009 Taxonomy of Older Driver Behaviors and Crash Risk. Expert panel. National Highway

 Traffic Safety Administration, USDOT, Baltimore, MD.

Apr. 2008 Strategic Planning for Older Driver Safety. Invited by the National Highway Traffic Safety

 Administration, Office of Behavioral Safety Research, USDOT. Bethesda, MD.

Jan. 2008 Transportation Research Board Safe Mobility Committee, Subcommittee on Medical

Advisory Boards and Medical Review of Drivers. Also appointed to task force advising SHRP2.

Dec. 2007 North American License Policy Workshop, AAA Foundation for Traffic Safety,

 Washington, DC.

Jan. 2007 Alzheimer’s Association Foundations of Dementia Care curriculum. Expert member. Workgroup on Wandering Behavior in Long Term Care Facilities.

Jan. 2007 Expert Panel meeting-Jan. 25, 2007, Beverly Foundations Transportation Transitions,

 Washington, DC.

Oct. 2006 Expert Panel meeting--Oct. 5-6, 2006, University of Michigan Transportation Research

 Institute (UMTRI), Ann Arbor, MI Topic was operationalizing measureable behaviors

 related to driving impairments in early stage dementia.

Sept. 2006       Expert Panel meeting—Sept. 21-22, 2006, U.S. Department of Transportation,

 Washington, DC on “How to Hold the Line of Older Driver Fatalities 2005-2025”

June 2005- Senior Advisor, Beverly Foundation, Pasadena, CA. Current project as member of Expert

2013 Group working on “Older Adult Transitions to Transportation Options”

July 2005 Research Group, ITNAmerica, the Independent Transportation Network, Portland, ME

Oct. 2005 Invited Participant: Independent Transportation Network of America Summit (Oct. 20-21,

 Freeport, Maine).

Sept. 2005 Expert Panel meeting—Sept. 8-9, 2005, University of Michigan Transportation Research

 Institute (UMTRI)

Expert meeting for UMTRI project funded by NHTSA to develop and test a self-screening instrument for older drivers based on health concerns or symptoms that directly affect critical driving tasks.

January- Advisory member. Strategic Planning Committee. West Suburban Elder Services,

March 2002 Watertown, MA. WSES is an Aging Service Access Point (ASAP).

2001 Advisory council member, VIP project, an advocacy project for vulnerable and isolated elders. Boston University School of Medicine, Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Bedford, MA.

Winter/ Volunteer Consultant: Increased Housing Opportunities Committee (committee appointed

Spring 2000 by the Needham Board of Selectmen). Assisted this group in conducting a survey on housing preferences and concerns among Needham’s elders in Winter/Spring 2000. Funding was provided to a UMB doctoral student for data entry and analysis.

June 2000 Acute Care Demonstration Advisory Committee. National Alzheimer’s Association.

 Chicago, Il.

Dec. 2000- National Steering Committee for 2nd Grandparent Raising Grandchildren Satellite

Feb. 2001 Conference on Financial and Legal Issues Impacting Grandparents who are Raising their Grandchildren. Conference was held on February 27, 2001. University of Massachusetts Boston participated as a site.

Sept. 1999- Expert Panel member, “Quality of Care and Well-Being for Individuals with Early Stage

June 2000 Dementia.” The Picker Institute, Boston, MA.

Sept. 1999 Massachusetts Kinship Coalition. Planning Committee member, “Kinship Summit.” A full

 day conference directed toward legislators and state health and human service agencies to address the challenges of kinship care in Massachusetts. Summit was held April 11, 2000. Coalition is working on legislation to study and to support kinship caregivers in Massachusetts.

Spring 1999- Advisory Board member, “Caregiver Assessment Regarding End-of-Life Dementia.”

June 2000 National Alzheimer’s Association funded grant (Volicer, L. & Hurley, A., PI’s), E. N. Rogers Memorial Veteran’s Hospital, Bedford, MA.

Dec. 1998- Advisory Board member, “Alpha Software Assessment Tool for Assisted Living.” NIA Dec. 1999 SBIR funded study. (Hyde, P.I.) Hearthstone Alzheimer’s Care, Lexington, MA.

July, 1998- Advisory Board member, Boston Museum of Science travelling exhibit on the “Secrets of

April 2000 Aging” that began a five-city tour in April, 2000.

Jan. 1998- Advisory Board member, “Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Satellite Video

Feb. 1999 Conference for Professionals” University of Massachusetts Boston joined 283 sites across the nation for a conference held on January 12, 1999.

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**:

Transportation Research Board of the National Academies. **Joint Subcommittee on Medical Advisory**

 **Boards and Licensing Review. Member, Safe Mobility for Older Adults Committee (ANB60) (until**

 **2021 when TRB re-organized and committee was merged into ACH60)**

The Gerontological Society of America. Chair-Elect, Chair, Past-Chair, Social Research Planning and

 Practice Section (SRPP); Fellow since 1999. Representative, Joint GSA/AGHE

Committee on Research, Education, and Practice (2000). Fellowship Committee for the Social Research Planning and Practice section (2007-2009). Annual meeting program abstract reviewer; Reviewer and Editorial Board Member, *The Gerontologist*. Chair, Student Organization, 1977.

The Association for Gerontology in Higher Education (AGHE). Membership is institutional

 through UMB. Member, AGHE Faculty Development Committee since 1999. Elected “Member at

Large” to Executive Committee (2007) Annual meeting program abstract reviewer. Program Chair for 2006 Annual Meeting–Indianapolis. Executive Committee Member (2004-2006). Site Selection Chair, 2004-2005. Elected President-Elect, President, Past-President (term-2015-2019)

The American Society on Aging. (former member)Co-Chair, Transportation Track, Annual Meeting, 2004.

Annual meeting Program Committee member since 2004. Co-Chair, American Society on Aging Summer Series in New England, 1998, 1999, 2000.

The Massachusetts Gerontological Association

Alzheimer’s Association, Massachusetts/New Hampshire Chapter. Appointed to Advisory Council July 2001. Board Member 1994-2000. Vice Chairperson, 1997-1999. Chairperson of Administration Committee 1997-1999. Chairperson of the Board, 1999-2000.

Sigma Phi Omega, National Honor Society in Gerontology, Co-Faculty Advisor (1999-2017), Gamma Upsilon Chapter, University of Massachusetts Boston.

**CIVIC MEMBERSHIP:**

Needham Democratic Town Committee, Delegate to the State Democratic Convention 1997, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002

Town Meeting Member, Precinct A, Needham, MA

Jan. 1992- Board Member, Needham Council on Aging, Needham, MA. Chairperson of Long

June 2004 Range Planning since 1996. Needham was the 21st site in the nation and the first in

Massachusetts to undergo the national standards for senior center accreditation and was approved for senior center accreditation in 1999 and re-accredited in 2004.

Sept. 2006- Reappointed to Council on Aging Board, Needham, MA

June 2010