

## Asian American Center on Disparities Research (AACDR) Fact Sheet

### AACDR Trainee Demographics

<i>Ethnicity</i>	<i>2010</i>	<i>2011</i>	<i>2012</i>	<i>2013</i>	<i>2014</i>	<i>2015</i>
Asian Indian	1	1	1	1	1	1
Chinese	8	6	6	7	6	5
Filipino/a	-	1	1	2	1	-
Japanese	-	1	-	-	-	-
Korean	2	1	1	1	1	1
Vietnamese	1	1	1	1	1	1
Multi-ethnic/Other	3	3	2	1	2	2
<b>Total Enrollment</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>

### AACDR Faculty/Student Collaborations

<i>Research Topic/Area of Emphasis</i>	<i>Grant Submissions</i>	<i>Publications</i>
Cultural Issues in Stress & Psychopathology	5	17
Mental Health & Adjustment	4	10
Culture and Treatment Issues	10	15
Culture and Access Issues	1	8
Research Methods in Culture & Diversity	1	4
<b>Total (since 2010)</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>54</b>

<i>Conference/Convention</i>	<i>Presentations</i>	<i>Presentation/Poster Awards</i>
American Psychological Association (APA) Annual Convention	17	-
American Psychological Association Division 45 (APA Div 45) Research Conference	6	1
Asian American Psychological Association (AAPA) Annual Convention	27	2
Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD)/Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA)	10	-
University of California, Davis	13	-
Other (e.g., Western Psychological Association, American Public Health Association)	45	2
<b>Total (since 2010)</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>5</b>

### AACDR Recruitment and Retention

Retention has been extraordinarily successful. No graduate student admitted since 2010 has left the program prematurely. Graduate students and postdoctoral scholars at the center are regularly exposed to the following activities:

- **Personalized Mentoring:** Weekly meetings with AACDR faculty and staff
- **On-Going Training:** Methodological Issues in Social Science Research on Cultural Diversity Issues, AACDR Grant-Writing Workshop Series, AACDR Grant-Writing Boot-Camp, AACDR Research Stimulus Workshop, AACDR Working Conference
- **Specialized Career Development Workshops:** How to Develop Effective Working Relationships with Professors, Interviewing Skills

### AACDR Mentoring and Modeling

A major emphasis of AACDR centers on working with and mentoring ethnic minority students through involvement in research and other scholarly activities. On average, AACDR graduate students and postdoctoral scholars supervise 20 undergraduate Psychology and Asian American Studies students in independent research courses on diversity issues in each academic quarter and over 90% come from ethnic minority groups. Fourteen undergraduates have presented their research at the UC Davis Undergraduate Research Conference and 20 have presented at national conventions. AACDR undergraduates have won two "Best Poster" awards at national conventions and three student travel awards to present at national conventions. Thirty of the center's undergraduate students have been admitted to graduate programs in psychology and related fields at major research universities such as UC Berkeley, UC Davis, UC Riverside, UC San Diego, UC San Francisco, University of Arizona, Boston University, New York University, Rutgers University, University of Pennsylvania, University of Southern California, Teachers College Columbia University, and University of Washington.

### AACDR Trainee Awards

- Research = 26 (e.g., Asian American Psychological Association Dissertation Award – given to 3 AACDR graduate students)
- Leadership = 8 (e.g., UC Davis Chancellor's Achievement Award for Diversity & Community)
- Travel = 16 (e.g., APA Advanced Training Institute in Research Methods with Diverse Racial and Ethnic Groups)
- Presentation = 5 (e.g., Outstanding Graduate Poster Presentation Award – APA Division 45 Research Conference)
- Total (since 2010) = 55**

For more information about the Asian American Center on Disparities Research at UC Davis, please visit: <http://aacdr.faculty.ucdavis.edu/>