

MARÍA P. ARANDA

HONORS / AWARDS / APPOINTMENTS

2022	2022 James Jackson Outstanding Mentorship Award, The Gerontological Society of America
2022-present	Issue Expert, AARP Global Council on Brain Health (GCBH), Washington, DC
2012-present	Fellow, Gerontological Society of America, Social Research, Policy and Practice Section
2018-21	Appointed Member, National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, Committee on Care Interventions for Individuals with Dementia and Their Caregivers: Part I and Part II. Washington, DC
2019-20	Appointed Member, California Governor's Alzheimer's Prevention and Preparedness Task Force. Chairs: Governor Gavin Newsom and Maria Schriver
2018-20	Member, Steering Committee, National Institute on Aging, 2020 National Research Summit on Care, Services, and Supports for Persons with Dementia and their Caregivers; Co-Chair, Theme 1: Impacts of Dementia. Washington, DC
2017-19	Appointed Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine, Committee on Functional Assessment for Adults with Disabilities. Washington, DC
2017-18	Appointed Member, and Co-Lead, Data Evaluation Team, Age-Friendly Action Plan for the Los Angeles Region 2018-2021. Los Angeles, CA
2018	Pioneer Award, Latino Dementia Network, Alzheimer's Los Angeles. Los Angeles, CA
2015-17	Senior Scientist, USC Edward R. Roybal Institute on Aging
2015-16	Appointed Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine, Committee on Family Caregiving for Older Adults. Washington, DC
2015-16	Appointed Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies of the National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine, Committee to Evaluate the Social Security Administration's Capability Determination Process for Adult Beneficiaries. Washington, DC
2014	Civic Engagement Team Award, University of Southern California
2013 2012-16	Excellence in Teaching, Rainbow Alliance Student Caucus, USC School of Social Work Expert, Caregiving Advisory Panel, AARP
2012	Older Adult Advocacy Award, California Elder Mental Health and Aging Coalition
2011-12	Appointed Member, Institute of Medicine of the National Academies, Committee on the Mental Health Workforce for Geriatric Populations, Consensus Study, Washington, DC

- 2011 Mentoring Award, Council on Social Work Education, Council on the Role and Status of Women in Social Work Education. Arlington, VA
- 2011 Social Worker Award, AltaMed Health Services Corp., Los Angeles, CA
- 2010 Aging Achievement Award, National Association of Area Agencies on Aging, The State of Aging and Health among Latino Elders Initiative. Washington, DC
- 2009 Mellon Mentoring Award for Graduate Student Mentoring, University of Southern California
- 2008 Fellow, Summer Training Workshop on African American Aging Research, Program for Research on Black Americans, Michigan Center for Urban African American Aging Research, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
- 2004 Public Service Award, California Representative, National Puerto Rican Day Parade Association. New York, NY
- 2003-05 Scholar Award, The John A. Hartford Foundation Geriatric Social Work Faculty Scholars Program in conjunction with the Gerontological Society of America. Washington, DC
- 2000 SHARE Leadership Award, Community Leader, SmithKline Beecham and the University of Pennsylvania Institute on Aging. Washington, DC
- 2000 Hutto Patterson Foundation Distinguished Faculty Award. Los Angeles, CA