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**Career History**

**Current: (as of April 1, 2016)**

Independent consultant and specialist in women’s reproductive health and rights: policy analysis, advocacy, research and evaluation, program development, and strategic planning

**Ipas, Executive Vice President for Technical Leadership and Advocacy 2000-2016**

* Responsible for Technical Leadership and Advocacy at Ipas, an international nongovernmental organization whose mission is to promote women’s reproductive health and rights with a focus on reducing deaths and injuries caused by unsafe abortion; annual budget $65 million and total staff of 450; offices in 15 countries and activities with local partners in more than 25 additional countries.
* Provides strategic oversight and leadership of Ipas programs in policy, research and evaluation, including management of staff in these areas.
* Additional lead responsibility for relationships with European governments and multilateral donors and other external relations
* Serves on the Ipas Executive Team with responsibilities for Board liaison and participation in overall organizational strategic planning, program development, budgeting, and management; Corporate Officer 2000-2014.

**U.S. Agency for International Development, Office of Population, Senior**

**Policy Adviser (1/94-6/00) and Social Science Analyst (1/92-1/94) 1992-2000**

* Contributed to resumption of US leadership in international population and reproductive health policy under the Clinton Administration. From February-September 1993, seconded to the State Department Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration, and from 1992-1994, responsible for coordinating USAID participation in the International Conference on Population and Development (ICPD). Served on US government delegations to numerous international conferences, the United Nations Population Fund, the UN Commission on Population and Development, etc.
* Responsible for oversight of USAID’s central population and reproductive health policy contract (the POLICY Project) designed to improve the enabling environment for implementing the ICPD Program of Action. Previously directly responsible for oversight of an innovative program of research on women and family planning implemented by Family Health International, as well as population policy projects implemented by the Population Reference Bureau and the Futures Group.
* Responsible for legislative issues, working with the Office Director, including the campaign for the Congressional vote to release international family planning funding in 1997 and the ongoing issues with Congress in the 1990’s over the Mexico City Policy (also known as the “global gag rule.”)

Note: Work in the USAID Office of Population was under contracts with the Centre for Development and Population Activities TAACS Program, 8/96-6/00; Western Consortium for Public Health, Population Leadership Program, 1/94-8/96; and the University of Michigan, International Population Fellows Program, 1/92-1/94.

**World Bank, Consultant on Population Sector Training Needs;** and Non-Resident Lecturer, School of Public Health, the University of Michigan  **1990-1991**

**Harvard School of Public Health, Department of Population Sciences, Lecturer 1989-1990**

**Harvard University Center for International Affairs, Postdoctoral Fellow**

**(1984-1987), and Affiliate (1987-1990),** and concurrently, Associate,

Center for Population Planning, School of Public Health, the University of Michigan **1984-1990**

**The University of Michigan, School of Public Health, Center for Population**

**Planning, Research Associate and Senior Research Associate 1971-1983**

**Education and Selected Honors**

**1984 Ph.D. Department of Political Science, The University**

**of Michigan,** Ann Arbor, Michigan. (*Dorothy Danforth Compton*

*Dissertation Fellowship*; Concentrations in World Politics, Comparative

Politics, and Research Methods; taught course in International

Organization in the Department of Political Science)

Ph.D. Dissertation: Policy Coordination by Major Western Powers in Bargaining with the Third World: Debt Relief and the Common Fund, published as an article in the peer-reviewed journal, International Organization, Summer, 1984.

**1971 M.A. The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University**.

Interdisciplinary coursework in economic development, international law, and politics. (*Robert B. Stewart Prize - top-ranked student)*

**1970 B.A. Wellesley College** (Political Science - *Durant Scholar*)

**Selected Papers and Publications**

Barbara B. Crane and John F. May, “Population Policy,” in Joel Krieger et al, eds., *The Oxford Companion to International Relations*, London, UK: Oxford University Press, 2014.

John F. May and Barbara B. Crane, “Population Policy,” in Joel Krieger et al, eds., *The Oxford Companion to Comparative Politics*, London, UK: Oxford University Press, 2012.

Eunice Brookman-Amissah and Barbara B. Crane, ‘Integrating Family Planning and Abortion Services: A Neglected Approach in Reducing Maternal Mortality and Morbidity,” Presentation at the International Family Planning Conference, December 2, 2011.

Barbara B. Crane, Book Review of Jyoti Singh, *Creating a New Consensus on Population: The Politics of Reproductive Health, Reproductive Rights and Women’s Empowerment*, in Studies in Family Planning, Vol. 41, No. 4 (December 2010): 313-315.

Kelly Culwell, Marcel Vekemans, Upeka de Silva, Manuelle Hurwitz, Barbara B. Crane, “Critical gaps in universal access to reproductive health: Contraception and prevention of unsafe abortion,” *International Journal of Gynecology and Obstetrics*, No. 110 (2010), S13-S16.

Barbara B. Crane, “The Helms Amendment and Access to Safe Abortion for Women in the Developing World,” Statement for Congressional Briefing, Washington, D.C., May 25, 2010.

Barbara B. Crane, Participant in “An Ethical Approach to International Aid for Reproductive Health Services: A Roundtable Conversation,” Conscience, Vol XXIX, No. 3 (Winter 2008-2009): 12-20.

Barbara B. Crane, Book Review of Saul Halfon, *The Cairo Consensus: Demographic Surveys, Women’s Empowerment and Regime Change in Population Policy*, in Studies in Family Planning, Vol. 39, No. 1 (March 2008): 85-87.

Deborah L. Billings, Barbara B. Crane, Julie Solo, Janie Benson, and Tamara Fetters, “Scaling-up a public health innovation: a comparative study of post-abortion care in Bolivia and Mexico,” Social Science & Medicine 64 (2007): 2210-2222.

Leila Hessini, Eunice Brookman-Amissah and Barbara B. Crane, “Global policy change and women’s access to safe abortion:  The impact of the World Health Organization’s guidance in Africa,” African Journal of Reproductive Health, Vol. 10 No. 3 (December 2006): 14-27.

Nadine Gasman, Marta Maria Blandon, and Barbara B. Crane, “Abortion, social inequity, and women’s health: Obstetrician-gynecologists as agents of change,” International Journal of Gynecology and Obstetrics *World Report on Women’s Health 2006,* No. 94 (November 2006): 310-316.

Barbara B. Crane and Charlotte E. Hord Smith, Access to Safe Abortion: An Essential Strategy for Achieving the Millennium Development Goals to Improve Maternal Health, Promote Gender Equality, and Reduce Poverty. Background paper for the UN Millennium Project, published May 31, 2006. Available at [www.unmillenniumproject.org](http://www.unmillenniumproject.org).

Barbara B. Crane, “Safe Abortion and the Global Political Economy of Reproductive Rights,” Development, Vol 48, No. 4 (December 2005): 85-91.

Janie Benson and Barbara B. Crane, “Incorporating Health Outcomes into Cost Estimates of Unsafe Abortion,” Background paper prepared for the Workshop on Research on the Economic Impact of Abortion-Related Morbidity and Mortality, New York, April 26, 2005.

Barbara B. Crane and Jennifer Dusenberry, “Power and Politics in International Funding for Reproductive Health: the US Global Gag Rule,” Reproductive Health Matters, Vol. 12, No. 24 (November 2004): 128-137.

Richard P. Cincotta and Barbara B. Crane, “The Mexico City Policy and U.S. Family Planning Assistance,” Science, Vol. 294 (19 October 2001): 525-526.

Barbara B. Crane and Dianne Sherman, From Commitment to Action: Meeting the Challenge of ICPD, Report issued by USAID, 1999.

Barbara B. Crane, "USAID's Population and Reproductive Research Through a Cairo Lens," Paper prepared for the XXIIIrd General Population Conference of the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP), Beijing, China, October, 1997.

Barbara B. Crane, with the assistance of Karin Ringheim and Peter Belden, "The Role of Family Planning in Preventing Abortion," Briefing paper issued by the Office of Population, 1996.

Barbara B. Crane, Reproductive Health Programs Supported by USAID: A Progress Report on Implementing the Cairo Program of Action, Report issued by the Office of Population, 1996.

Barbara B. Crane and Stephen L. Isaacs, "The Cairo Programme of Action: A New Framework for International Cooperation on Population and Development Issues," Harvard International Law Journal, Vol. 36, No. 2 (Spring 1995): 295-306.

Barbara B. Crane, "The Transnational Politics of Abortion," in The New Politics of Population: Conflict and Consensus in Family Planning, eds. Jason L. Finkle and C. Alison McIntosh (New York: Oxford University Press, 1994), pp. 241-262. Earlier presented as a paper at Bellagio Conference on the Politics of Induced Fertility Change, February 1990.

Elizabeth S. Maguire, Sarah Harbison, Marjorie C. Horn, and Barbara B. Crane, "Improving the Effectiveness of Family Planning Programmes: The Contributions of Applied Research," in P.F.A. Van Look and G. Perez-Palacios, eds., Contraceptive Research and Development, 1984-1994 (Delhi, India: Oxford University Press, for the World Health Organization, 1994), pp. 343-362.

Barbara B. Crane, "International Population Institutions," in International Environmental Institutions, eds. Peter M. Haas, Robert O. Keohane, Marc A. Levy (Cambridge, Massachusetts: MIT Press, 1993), pp. 351-393.

Barbara B. Crane, "Population Policy," in Joel Krieger, et al., eds., The Oxford Companion to Politics of the World (New York: Oxford University Press, 1993; updated for revised edition, 2001).

Barbara B. Crane, Book Review of Jacquelin Kasun, *The War Against Population*, in Population and Development Review 15 (June 1989).

Barbara B. Crane and Jason L. Finkle, “The United States, China, and the UN Population Fund: Dynamics of US Decision-Making,” Population and Development Review 15 (March 1989): 23-59.

Jason L. Finkle and Barbara B. Crane, “The Politics of International Population Policy,” in United Nations Population Division, International Transmission of Population Policy Experience, Proceedings of the Expert Group Meeting June 1988 (New York: United Nations, 1990).

Barbara B. Crane and Jason L. Finkle, “The Conservative Transformation of Population Policy,” Governance (Winter/Spring 1987): 9-14.

C. Alison McIntosh and Barbara B. Crane, “Population Decline: A Threat to the West?” Family Planning Perspectives 18 (September/October 1986): 234-238.

Jason L. Finkle and Barbara B. Crane, “Ideology and Politics at Mexico City: The United States at the 1984 International Conference on Population,” Population and Development Review 11 (March 1985): 1-28.

Barbara B. Crane, “Policy Coordination by Major Western Powers in Bargaining with the Third World: Debt Relief and the Common Fund,” International Organization 38 (Summer 1984): 399-428.

Barbara B. Crane and Jason L. Finkle, “Organizational Impediments to Development Assistance: The World Bank’s Population Program,” World Politics XXXIII (July 1981): 516-553.

Jason L. Finkle and Barbara B. Crane, “The World Health Organization and the Population Issue: Organizational Values in the United Nations,” Population and Development Review 2 (September-December 1976): 367-393.

Jason L. Finkle and Barbara B. Crane, “The Politics of Bucharest: Population, Development, and the New International Economic Order,” Population and Development Review 1 (September 1975): 87-114.

Numerous papers, presentations, and panel moderating roles for professional meetings (Population Association of America, International Union for the Scientific Study of Population, Global Health Council, American Public Health Association, American Political Science Association, International Studies Association, etc.), university classes (Harvard University, University of Michigan, Georgetown University, University of California (Berkeley), Columbia University, Johns Hopkins University, University of North Carolina, etc.), and project-related meetings and conferences.

**Professional memberships**

Population Association of America

International Union for the Scientific Study of Population

Global Health Council

American Public Health Association

President, Triangle Area Population Society, 2005-2007

Attendance at other meetings and conferences as delegate or NGO, e.g., ICPD, ICPD+10, ICPD+20, Beijing+10, UN Commission on Population and Development (UNCPD) (multiple); UNFPA Executive Board (multiple); World Health Assembly (1992 and 2004); WHO Expert Meeting on Priorities and Needs in the Area of Unsafe Abortion (2000); Reproductive Health Priorities Conference in South Africa (2003); Colombo Safe Motherhood 10th anniversary (1997); Women Deliver (2007, 2010, 2013); New Delhi High-Level Meeting on Maternal, Newborn and Child Health (2005 and 2010); International Conference on Family Planning (2013); Leaders’ Symposium at Wye River on “Innovations in Supporting Local Health Systems for Global Women’s Health” (2005); and International Federation of Gynecology and Obstetrics (FIGO) triennial conferences (2000, 2006, 2009, 2012).

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