

CURRICULUM VITAE

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***PRESENT POSITION***

Research Professor of Social Work, University of Southern California  
Research Associate, Roybal Institute on Aging  
AARP/University Professor of Gerontology Emeritus  
Professor of Sociology Emeritus

***PREVIOUS POSITIONS***

University of Chicago: Research Coordinator, the Cross-National Study of Patterns of Aging (with Bernice Neugarten and Robert Havighurst, Principal Investigators), 1965-1967  
California Institute of Technology: Faculty Associate in Social Sciences, 1975-1976 (with Adam Davis-Horton)  
University of Stockholm (Sweden): Visiting Professor of Sociology, 1979 (with Carl-Gunnar Jansson)  
Max-Planck Institut fur Bildungsforschung (Berlin, West Germany): Visiting Scholar, 1989 (with Paul Baltes)  
University of Bristol (Bristol, UK): Benjamin Meaker Professor, 1997 (with Malcolm Johnson)  
Aging Research Institute and University of Stockholm (Sweden): Visiting Professor, 2006 (with Mats Thorslund)

***EDUCATION***

Ph.D. University of Chicago, 1967 (Human Development and Social Psychology)  
M.A. University of Chicago, 1965 (Human Development and Psychology)  
A.B. North Park College, 1963 (Philosophy and Biology, History)

***BOOKS PUBLISHED***

1. *Families and Faith: Transmitting Religion to the Next Generations* (with N. M. Putney & S. C. Harris) (in press). Oxford University Press.
2. *Handbook of theories of aging* (edited with D. Gans, N. M Putney & M. Silverstein). (2009). New York: Springer.
3. *The Cambridge handbook of age and ageing* (edited with M. L. Johnson & Peter G. Coleman, and Thomas B. L. Kirkwood) (2005). Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
4. *Sourcebook of family theory and research* (edited with A. C. Acock, K. R. Allen, Peggye Dilworth-Anderson & D. M. Klein) (2005). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
5. *Global aging* (edited with A. Lowenstein) (2003). Hawthorne, NY: Aldine de Gruyter.
6. *How families still matter: A longitudinal study of youth in two generations*. (Co-authored with T. J. Biblarz & R. E. L. Roberts. (2002). New York: Cambridge University Press.
7. *Aging east and west: Families, states and the elderly* (edited with Kim, K-D., Myers, G. C., & K-S. Eun (2000). New York: Springer.
8. *Handbook of theories of aging* (edited with K. W. Schaie) (1999). New York: Springer.
9. *Adulthood and aging: Research on continuities and discontinuities* (1996). New York: Springer.
10. *Adult intergenerational relations: Effects of societal change* (edited with K. W. Schaie & L. M. Burton). (1995). New York: Springer.
11. *Intergenerational linkages: Hidden connections in American society* (edited with R. J. Harootyan). (1994). New York: Springer.

12. *The changing contract across generations* (edited with W. A. Achenbaum). (1993). Hawthorne, NY: Aldine de Gruyter.
13. *The course of later life: Research and reflections* (edited with K. W. Schaie). (1989). New York: Springer.
14. *Emergent theories of aging* (edited with J. E. Birren). (1988). New York: Springer.
15. *The measurement of intergenerational relations* (edited with D. A. Mangen & P. Landry). (1988). Beverly Hills/Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
16. *Grandparenthood* (edited with J. A. Robertson). (1985). Beverly Hills, CA: Sage.
17. *Youth, generations, and social change* (edited with R. J. Laufer). (1974). Special two-part issue of *The Journal of Social Issues*, 39, (2, 3).
18. *The social psychology of aging*. (1973). Indianapolis, Indiana: Bobbs-Merrill.

### **HONORS**

- 2009 Distinguished Faculty Lifetime Achievement Award, University of Southern California
- 2005 Fulbright Senior Scholar Award to Sweden
- 2005 Distinguished Mentor Award, Gerontological Society of America
- 1999 Distinguished Teaching Award, General Education, University of Southern California: Sociology 150
- 1999 Distinguished Lectureship, Heidelberg University (Germany)
- 1998 Ernest W. Burgess Award for outstanding career achievements in family research, National Council on Family Relations
- 1998 The George Maddox Lectureship, Duke University
- 1996 The Robert W. Kleemeier Award for distinguished research in the field of gerontology, Gerontological Society of America.
- 1995 The Distinguished Scholar Award (now the Matilda White Riley Award) Section on Aging, American Sociological Association
- 1995 MERIT Award, National Institute on Aging (for Longitudinal Study of Generations and Mental Health).
- 1991 University Associates Award for Creativity in Research, University of Southern California.
- 1990 Elected President, Gerontological Society of America.
- 1989 MERIT Award, National Institute on Aging.
- 1988 The Reuben Hill Award, National Council on Family Relations for outstanding contribution to research and theory in the family (with Jennifer Glass and Charlotte Chorn Dunham).
- 1988 Elected Chair, American Sociological Association, Section on Aging
- 1986 The Sandoz Lecture Award in Gerontology, Basel, Switzerland.
- 1985 Distinguished Teaching Award, Letters, Arts, & Sciences, University of Southern California
- 1983 Wilson Abernathy Award and Lectureship, University of Toronto, Programme in Gerontology.
- 1982 Reuben Hill Award, National Council on Family Relations (with Alan Acock).
- 1967 National Science Foundation, American Postdoctoral Representative to NATO Program on Decision-Making and Age, Thessaloniki, Greece.
- 1964 John Danforth Foundation Fellow.
- 1959 National Merit Scholar

### **RESEARCH AND TRAINING GRANTS AS PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR**

1. "Transmission of Religion across Generations." 07/01/2006 – 06/30/2009. The John Templeton Foundation: \$1,040,000
2. "A Longitudinal Study of Generations and Mental Health." #RO1AG07977, 01/15/2004 - 12/31/2008, Direct Costs: \$2,181,560.
3. MacDonald Family Foundation, #040518, 01/01/2004-12/31/2005. \$25,000.
4. "A Longitudinal Study of Generations and Mental Health." #RO1AG07977, 07/01/98 - 06/30/03: \$1,950,870.
5. "Multidisciplinary Research Training in Gerontology." National Institute on Aging, #5-T32-AG00037-27, 05/01/03 - 04/30/08: \$1,487,733.

6. "Multidisciplinary Research Training in Gerontology." National Institute on Aging, #2-T32-AG00037, 05/01/97 - 04/30/02: \$1,487,733.
7. A Southern California Studies. Irvine Foundation, 07/01/98 - 06/30/99: \$100,000.
8. "Generation X and Their Elders: Intergenerational Influences on Educational and Occupational Attainment Over Four Generations." The Spencer Foundation, 07/01/95 - 6/30/98: \$257,900.
9. "Continuities and Discontinuities in Adulthood and Aging: Contributions in Honor of Bernice Neugarten." Retirement Research Foundation, 1995: \$24,200
10. "A Longitudinal Study of Generations and Mental Health." National Institute on Aging, #4R37AG07977, 03/01/93 - 02/28/98: \$1,909,289.
11. "Multidisciplinary Research Training in Gerontology." National Institute on Aging, #5T32AG00037, 09/01/92 - 5/31/97: \$2,344,677.
12. "A Longitudinal Study of Generations." National Institute on Aging, #9R37AG07977, 1988-1993: \$2,010,833.
13. "Research Training in Gerontology." National Institute on Aging, #2T32AG00037, 1987-1992: \$1,586,236.
14. "Longitudinal Study of Aging Parents." National Institute on Aging, #1R01AG04092, 1983-1988: \$682,572.
15. "Longitudinal Study of Generations and Mental Health." National Institute of Mental Health, #1R01MH38244, 1983-1988: \$762,042.
16. "Research Training in Gerontology." National Institute on Aging, #5T32AG00037, 1982-1987: \$782,040.
17. "Aging parents: Dimensions of inter-generational solidarity." National Institute on Aging, #1R01-AG-02823, 1981-1983: \$112,584.
18. "Mental health and inter-generational solidarity." National Institute of Mental Health, #MH-36290, 1981-1984: \$169,802.
19. "Socio-cultural contexts of aging: Implications for public policy." National Science Foundation, #G1-34953X and #APR 75-21178, 1972-1977: \$1,466,957.
20. "New roles for the aged." United Parcel Service's 1907 (now UPS) Foundation, 1972-1975: \$322,800.
21. "Generational differences: Correlate and consequences." National Institute of Mental Health, #MH-18101, 1970-1974: \$354,118.

**GOVERNMENT REVIEW AND CONSULTATION APPOINTMENTS:**

1. National Institute on Aging, National Advisory Committee, Behavioral and Social Research Section, 1990; Research Grants Review Panel, 1985-8, 1994-6
2. National Institute of Mental Health, Review Committee, Life Course Research Program (panel B), 1979-1981.
3. Social Security Administration, Research Grants Review Panel (Section 1110), 1980-1982
4. National Institute of Mental Health, Review Panel, Center for Mental Health and Aging, 1977-1979.
5. Administration on Aging research program, Peer Review Panel, 1975.
6. California State Department of Mental Hygiene, Commission on Aging, Consultant, 1968-1972.

**EDITORIAL POSITIONS:**

1. *Aldine Series in the Life Course and Aging*, Aldine de Gruyter Publishing. Series Editor (with Victor Marshall), 1997-2004 (5 volumes published)
2. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*; Editorial Board, 1972-1982, 1986-1990.
3. *Journal of Gerontology*; Editorial Board, Behavioral and Social Sciences, since 1977.
4. *Comprehensive Gerontology*; American Section Editor for Social Sciences, 1986-1989.
5. *Sociology of Education*; Associate Editor, 1979-1982.
6. *Sociology and Social Research*; Executive Board, 1967-1982.
7. *Sage Family Studies Abstracts*; Editorial Board, 1979-1992.
8. *Research on Aging*; Editorial Board, 1979-1985.

9. NCFR Monographs, publication of the National Council of Family Relations; Editorial Board, 1980-1984.
10. *Brooks-Cole Series in Social Gerontology*, Brooks-Cole Publishing Company; Series Editor, seven volumes published since 1980.
11. *Handbook of the Psychology of Aging* (J. Birren and K. W. Schaie, Senior Editors); Associate Editor, 1983.
12. *Handbook of Aging and the Social Sciences* (R. Binstock and E. Shanas, Senior Editors); Associate Editor, 1976.
13. *The Gerontologist*; Editorial Board, 1969-1972.

#### **OFFICES IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:**

Gerontological Society of America

President, 1989-1990; Chair, Behavioral and Social Sciences Section, 1982

American Sociological Association

Section on Aging: Chair, 1986-1987; Member of Council, 1980-1983

Section on Family: Nominated for President, 1976, 2004

Section on Social Psychology: Nominating Committee, 1981

American Psychological Association

Division 20, Adult Development and Aging: Elected Fellow, 1975; Member of Council, 1975-78;

Division 8, Society for the Psychological Study of Social Problems: Elected Fellow, 1980; Nominating Committee, 1977

National Council on Family Relations

Section on Research and Theory: President, 1974

International Association for Gerontology

Program Committee, Psychological and Social Sciences:

9th International Congress, Kiev, Russia, 1972

12th International Congress, Hamburg, Germany, 1981

14th International Congress, Mexico, 1989

International Sociological Association

Member of Council, Research Group II, 1982-1986

#### **CHRONOLOGICAL LIST OF SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS**

##### **1966**

1. Bengtson, V.L., & Neugarten, B.L. (1966). Some problems of method in the cross-national study of adjustment to aging. In *Proceedings of the Seventh International Congress of Gerontology, Vol. 6* (pp. 103-105). Vienna, Austria: Wien. Med. Akad.

##### **1968**

2. Neugarten, B.L., & Bengtson, V.L. (1968). Cross-national studies of adulthood and aging. In E. Shanas & J. Madge (Eds.), *Interdisciplinary topics in gerontology, Vol. 2: Methodological problems* (pp. 18-36). New York: S. Karger.

##### **1969**

3. Bengtson, V.L. (1969). Cultural and occupational differences in level of present role activity in retirement. In R.J. Havighurst, J.M.A. Munnichs, B.L. Neugarten, & H. Thomae (Eds.), *Adjustment to retirement: A cross-national study* (pp. 35-53). Assen, Netherlands: Van Gorkum.
4. Bengtson, V.L., Chiriboga, D.C., & Keller, A.B. (1969). Occupational differences in retirement: Patterns of role activity and life-outlook among Chicago teachers and steelworkers. In R.J.

- Havighurst, J.M.A. Munnichs, B.L. Neugarten, & H. Thomaе (Eds.), *Adjustment to retirement: A cross-national study* (pp. 53-70). Assen, Netherlands: Van Gorkum.
5. Fröhlich, W.D., Becker, J., Bengtson, V.L., & Bigot, A. (1969). The problems of cross-national reliability in ratings: Some tentative approaches and findings. In R.J. Havighurst, J.M.A. Munnichs, B.L. Neugarten, & H. Thomaе (Eds.), *Adjustment to retirement: A cross-national study* (pp. 18-34). Assen, Netherlands: Van Gorkum.



## 1970

6. Bengtson, V.L. (1970). The 'generation gap': A review and typology of social-psychological perspectives. *Youth and Society*, 2(2), 7-32.
7. Arnott, C., & Bengtson, V.L. (1970). Only a homemaker: Distributive justice and role choice among married women. *Sociology and Social Research*, 54(4), 495-507.
8. Bengtson, V. L. (1970). A conceptual framework for the analysis of the behavior of aging individuals in society. In A. Feldman (Ed.), *Delivery and administration of services for the elderly* (pp. 1-18). Los Angeles: Andrus Gerontology Center, University of Southern California.

## 1971

9. Bengtson, V.L., & Kuypers, J.A. (1971). Generational difference and the "developmental stake." *Aging and Human Development*, 2(1), 249-260.
10. Bengtson, V.L. (1971). Inter-age perceptions and the generation gap. *The Gerontologist*, 11(4), 85-90.

## 1972

11. Lemon, B.L., Bengtson, V.L., & Peterson, J.A. (1972). An exploration of activity theory of aging: Activity types and life satisfaction among in-movers to a retirement community. *Journal of Gerontology*, 27(4), 511-523.

## 1973

12. Bengtson, V.L. (1973). *The social psychology of aging*. Indianapolis, IN: Bobbs-Merrill Publishing Co.
13. Bengtson, V.L. (1973). Self-determination: A social-psychological perspective on helping the aged. *Geriatrics*, 28(December), 118-172.
14. Luebeck, S., & Bengtson, V.L. (1973). Measures for relational propositions. *Sociology and Social Research*, 58(1), 45-56.
15. Bengtson, V.L., & Black, K.D. (1973). Inter-generation relations and continuities in socialization. In P. Baltes & K.W. Schaie (Eds.), *Life-span developmental psychology: Personality and socialization* (pp. 207-234). New York: Academic Press.
16. Bengtson, V.L., & Lovejoy, M.C. (1973). Values, personality, and social structure: An intergenerational analysis. *American Behavioral Scientist*, 16(6), 880-912.
17. Bengtson, V.L. (1973). The institutionalized aged and their social needs. In R. H. Davis (Ed.), *The psychological needs of the aged: selected papers* (pp. 25-28). Los Angeles, CA: Andrus Gerontology Center, University of Southern California.
18. Bengtson, V.L. (1973). The sociology of aging: Implications for the helping professions. In R.H. Davis & M. Neiswender (Eds.), *Aging: Prospects and issues* (pp. 57-67). Los Angeles, CA: Andrus Gerontology Center, University of Southern California.
19. Kuypers, J.A., & Bengtson, V.L. (1973). Social breakdown and competence: A model of normal aging. *Human Development*, 16(3), 181-201.

## 1974

20. Bengtson, V.L., & Laufer, R.S. (Eds.) (1974). *Youth, generations, and social change*. Special 2-volume number of *Journal of Social Issues*, 30(2, 3).
21. Bengtson, V.L., Furlong, M.J., & Laufer, R.S. (1974). Time, aging, and the continuity of the social structure: Themes and issues in generational analysis. *Journal of Social Issues*, 30(2), 1-30.

22. Kasschau, P.K., Ransford, E.A., & Bengtson, V.L. (1974). Generational consciousness and youth movement participation: Contrasts in blue-collar and white-collar youth. *Journal of Social Issues*, 30(3), 69-94.
23. Laufer, R.S., & Bengtson, V.L. (1974). Generations, aging and social stratification: On the development of generational units. *Journal of Social Issues*, 30(3), 181-205.
24. Martin, W.C., Bengtson, V.L., & Acock, A.C. (1974). Alienation and age: A context-specific approach. *Social Forces*, 53(2), 266-274.
25. Cutler, N.E., & Bengtson, V.L. (1974). Age and political alienation: Maturation, generation, and period effects. *Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, 415(September), 160-175.

### 1975

26. Bengtson, V.L. (1975). Generation and family effects in value socialization. *American Sociological Review*, 40(3), 358-371.
27. Bengtson, V.L. (1975). Perceptions of inter-generational solidarity: Attitudes of elderly parents and middle-aged children. In *Proceedings of the 10th International Congress of Gerontology, Vol. I* (pp. 218-220). Jerusalem, Israel, June 22-27.
28. Bengtson, V.L., Dowd, J.J., Smith, D.H., & Inkeles, A. (1975). Modernization, modernity, and perceptions of aging: A cross-cultural study. *Journal of Gerontology*, 30(6), 688-695.
29. Bengtson, V.L., Edwards, K., & Baffa, G.A. (1975). *Technical bibliographies on aging. Intergenerational relations and aging: A selected bibliography*. Los Angeles, CA: Andrus Gerontology Center, University of Southern California.
30. Bengtson, V.L., & Haber, D. (1975). Sociological approaches to aging. In D.S. Woodruff & J. Birren (Eds.), *Aging: Scientific perspectives and social issues* (pp. 70-91). NY: Van Nostrand.
31. Bengtson, V.L., & Starr, J.A. (1975). Contrast and consensus: Generational analysis of youth in the 1970s. In R.J. Havighurst (Ed.), *Youth: NSSE Yearbook* (pp. 224-266). Chicago, IL: University of Chicago Press.

### 1976

32. Bengtson, V.L., & Cutler, N.E. (1976). Generations and inter-generational relations: Perspectives on age groups and social change. In R. Binstock & E. Shanas (Eds.), *The handbook of aging and the social sciences* (pp. 130-159). New York: Van Nostrand Reinhold Company.
33. Bengtson, V.L., & Haber, D. (1976). Social forces and aging individuals: An overview. In I. M. Burnside (Ed.), *Nursing and the aged* (pp. 520-530). New York: McGraw Hill, Inc.
34. Bengtson, V.L., & Manuel, R.C. (1976). The sociology of aging: Implications for the helping professions. In R.H. Davis (Ed.), *Aging: Prospects and issues* (pp. 41-57). Lexington, MA: Lexington Books.
35. Bengtson, V.L., Olander, E.B., & Haddad, A.A. (1976). The "generation gap" and aging family members: Toward a conceptual model. In J.E. Gubrium (Ed.), *Time, roles and self in old age* (pp. 237-263). New York: Human Sciences Press.
36. Cutler, N.E., & Bengtson, V.L. (1976). Age, generations, and political alienation. *Society*, 13(July/August), 43-47.

### 1977

37. Bengtson, V.L. (1977). Generations and intergenerational relations. In B. Wolman (Ed.), *International encyclopedia of neurology, psychiatry, psychoanalysis, and psychology*, Vol. 5 (pp. 121-123). New York: Human Sciences Press.
38. Bengtson, V.L. (1977). Reply to McConaghy. *American Sociological Review*, 42(2), 372-373.



39. Bengtson, V.L. (1977). Comparative perspectives on the micro sociology of politics and aging. In M.A.Y. Rifai (Ed.), *Justice and the older Americans* (pp. 177-186). Lexington, MA: D.C. Heath & Co.
40. Bengtson, V.L., Cuellar, J., & Ragan, P.K. (1977). Stratum contrasts and similarities in attitudes toward death. *Journal of Gerontology*, 32(1), 76-88.
41. Bengtson, V.L., Kasschau, P.L., & Ragan, P.K. (1977). The impact of social structure on aging individual. In J.E. Birren & K.W. Schaie (Eds.), *Handbook of the psychology of aging* (pp.327-354). New York: Van Nostrand Reinhold Company.
42. Bengtson, V. L., Grigsby, E., Corry, E.M., & Hruby, M. (1977). Relating academic research to community concerns: A case study in collaborative effort. *Journal of Social Issues*, 33(4), 75-92.
43. Black, K.D., & Bengtson, V.L. (1977). Implications of telecommunications technology for old people, families, and bureaucracies. In E. Shanas & M.B. Sussman (Eds.), *Family, bureaucracy, and the elderly* (pp. 174-195). Durham, NC: Duke University Press.
44. Ragan, P.K., & Bengtson, V.L. (1977). *Aging among Blacks, Mexican-Americans and Whites: Development, procedures and results of the community survey*. A final report to the National Science Foundation. Los Angeles, CA: Andrus Gerontology Center, University of Southern California, 122 pp. & index.
45. Kasschau, P.L., & Bengtson, V.L. (1977). *The new American dilemma: Decision-makers view aging and social policy*. A final report to the National Science Foundation. Los Angeles, CA: Andrus Gerontology Center, University of Southern California, 694 pp. & appendix.

#### 1978

46. Bengtson, V.L. (1978). You, your children, and their children. In B. O'Brien (Ed.), *Aging: Today's research and you: A lecture series* (pp. 19-34). Los Angeles: Andrus Gerontology Center, University of Southern California.
47. Bengtson, V.L., & Troll, L. (1978). Youth and their parents: Feedback and intergenerational influence in socialization. In R.M. Lerner & G.B. Spanier (Eds.), *Child influences on marital and family interaction: A life-span perspective* (pp. 215-240). New York: Academic Press.
48. Acock, A.C., & Bengtson, V.L. (1978). On the relative influence of mothers and fathers: A covariance analysis of political and religious socialization. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 40(3), 519-530.
49. Dowd, J.J., & Bengtson, V.L. (1978). Aging in minority populations: An examination of the double jeopardy hypothesis. *Journal of Gerontology*, 33(3), 427-436.

#### 1979

50. Bengtson, V.L. (1979). You and your aging parent: Research perspectives on inter-generational interaction. In P.K. Ragan (Ed.), *Aging parents* (pp. 37-57). Los Angeles, CA: University of Southern California Press.
51. Bengtson, V.L. (1979). Ethnicity and aging: Problems and issues in current social science inquiry. In D.E. Gelfand & A.J. Kutzik (Eds.), *Ethnicity and aging*. New York: Springer Publishing Company.
52. Bengtson, V.L. (1979). The aged and their families: Constructs and their measurements of intergenerational relationships. In H. Orimo, K. Shimada, M. Kriki, & D. Maeda (Eds.), *Recent advances in gerontology* (pp. 333-343). Amsterdam: Excerpta Medica.
53. Gilford, R., & Bengtson, V.L. (1979). Marital satisfaction in three generations: Positive and negative dimensions. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 41(2), 387-398.
54. Smith, K.F., & Bengtson, V.L. (1979). Positive consequences of institutionalization: Solidarity between elderly parents and their middle-aged children. *The Gerontologist*, 19(5), 438-447.
55. Troll, L., & Bengtson, V.L. (1979). Generation in the family. In W. Burr, R. Hill, I. Reiss & I. Nye (Eds.), *Theories about the family*, Vol. 1 (pp. 127-161). New York: The Free Press.

## 1980

56. Bengtson, V.L. (1980). "Forward" to seven volumes in the Brooks-Cole Series in Social Gerontology (V.L. Bengtson, Series Editor). Monterey, CA: Brooks-Cole.
- a. V. Marshall, *Last chapters: sociology of aging and dying*.
  - b. J. Dowd, *Stratification and aging*.
  - c. L.K. George, *Role transitions in later life*.
  - d. M.P. Lawton, *Environment and aging*.
  - e. T. Hickey, *Health and aging*.
  - f. A. Foner and K. Schwab, *Aging and retirement*.
  - g. N.E. Anderson and J. Bgeenberg, *Long-term care and the aged*.
57. Bengtson, V.L., & DeTerre, E. (1980). Aging and family relations. *Marriage and Family Review*, 3(2), 51-76.
58. Bengtson, V.L., & Treas, J. (1980). The changing family context of mental health and aging. In R.B. Sloane & J.E. Birren (Eds.), *Handbook of mental health and aging* (pp. 400-428). Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice-Hall, Inc.
59. Acock, A.C., & Bengtson, V.L. (1980). Socialization and attribution processes: Actual versus perceived similarity among parents and youth. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 42(3), 501-515.
- \*\*Reprinted in: D.H. Olson & B.C. Miller (Eds.) (1984). *Family studies review book, Vol. 2* (pp. 305-322). Beverly Hills, CA: Sage Publications.
- \*\*Reprinted in: B.N. Adams & J. Campbell (Eds.) (1984). *Framing the family: Contemporary portraits*. Chicago, IL: Waveland Press, Inc.
60. Bengtson, V.L. (1980). Family dynamics and the negotiation of change. In R. Bayne & B. Widger (Eds.), *Research issues in aging* (pp. 65-88). Hamilton, Ontario, Canada: Gerontology Research Council of Ontario.

## 1981

61. Bengtson, V.L. (1981). Research across the generation gap. In J. Rosenfeld (Ed.), *Relationships: The marriage and family reader* (pp. 82-99). Chicago: Scott Foreman.
62. Bengtson, V.L., & Dowd, J.J. (1981). Sociological functionalism, exchange theory and life-cycle analysis: A call for more explicit theoretical bridges. *International Journal of Aging and Human Development*, 12(2), 55-73.
63. Bengtson, V.L., & Haber, D.A. (1981). Social forces and aging individuals: An overview. In I.M. Burnside (Ed.), *Nursing and the aged*, Second Edition (pp. 592-601). New York: McGraw-Hill, Inc.
64. Bengtson, V.L., Manuel, R.C., & Burton, L.M. (1981). Competence and loss: Perspectives on the sociology of aging. In R.H. Davis (Ed.), *Aging: Prospects and issues* (pp. 22-39). Los Angeles: University of Southern California Press.

## 1982

65. Bengtson, V.L., & Schrader, S.S. (1982). Parent-child relations. In D. Mangen & W. Peterson (Eds.), *Handbook of research instruments in social gerontology*, Vol. 2 (pp. 115-185). Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press.
66. Bengtson, V.L. (1982). Ethnicity and perceptions of aging. In F. Marois, J. Birren, H. Thomae, & J.M.A. Munnichs (Eds.), *Aging: A challenge to science and social policy* (pp. 125-133). Oxford University Press.
67. Troll, L., & Bengtson, V.L. (1982). Intergenerational relations throughout the life span. In B.B. Wolman (Ed.), *Handbook of developmental psychology* (pp. 890-911). Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice Hall, Inc.

68. Acock, A.C., Barker, D., & Bengtson, V.L. (1982). Mother's employment and parent-youth similarity. *Journal of Marriage and the Family*, 44, 441-455.
69. Burton, L.M., & Bengtson, V.L. (1982). Research in elderly minority communities: Problems and potentials. In R. C. Manuel (Ed.), *Minority Aging* (pp. 215-222). CN: Greenwood Press.
70. Bengtson, V.L., & Burton, L.M. (1982). Mental health and the black elderly: Competence, susceptibility, quality of life. In J.J. Jackson (Ed.), *Journal of Minority Aging*, Vol. 7 (pp. 25-31). Durham, NC: National Council on Black Aging, Inc.
71. Kuypers, J.A., & Bengtson, V.L. (1982). Problemes psycho-sociaux dans la famille vieillissant. In M. Caheir (Ed.), *Gerontologie et societie* (pp. 92-105). Paris: Montieux.
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7. Melbourne Henry (1975) (co-chaired with Barbara Solomon, School of Social Work): Social policy and aging: The implications of general revenue sharing and the elderly.
8. John Olson (1976): The impact of developmental events upon the perception of intergenerational family solidarity.
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