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Abbreviated Curriculum Vitae
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Education

Ph.D., Anthropology and Behavioral Science, University of Kentucky, Lexington, 1985

Dissertation: The Role of Freestanding Emergency Centers in the Delivery of Health Care: Perspectives on Change in American Medicine.

M.A. in Cultural Anthropology, University of Kentucky, Lexington, 1980. Thesis: Rethinking

Ethnicity: A Study of Ethnic Change and Variation Among Polish-Americans of Metropolitan Detroit

B.S. in Microbiology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, 1971

Areas of Specialization or Interest

Medical anthropology, applied anthropology, health inequities, structural violence, political violence, narrative analysis, slave labor and the Holocaust.

Awards and Recognition

Shortlisted for the 2016 William Saroyan International Prize for Writing

2015 Gold Medal in Biography, Independent Publisher Book (IPPY) Awards

2015 Next Generation Indie Book Awards, Finalist in Autobiography/Biography

2015 Michigan Notable Book, for *A Polish Doctor in the Nazi Camps*.

2014 Gold Medal in Biography, Foreword Reviews' IndieFab Book of the Year Award

2003 Rudolf Virchow Professional Award, Society for Medical Anthropology

Books

A Polish Doctor in the Nazi Camps: My Mother's Memories of Imprisonment, Immigration, and a Life Remade. University of Oklahoma Press (2014).

Global Health in Times of Violence. School of Advanced Research Press (2009). Co-edited with Linda Whiteford and Paul Farmer.

Making Our Research Useful: Case Studies in the Utilization of Anthropological Knowledge. Westview Press (1989). Co-edited with John van Willigen and Ann McElroy.

Articles and Book Chapters

Rylko-Bauer, Barbara. *In press*. The Medical Anthropology of Political Violence and War. In *A Companion to Medical Anthropology*, 2nd edition, edited by Merrill Singer, Pamela I. Erickson, and César Agadia-Barrero. Wiley-Blackwell.

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Rylko-Bauer, Barbara and John van Willigen. 2016. Regional Commitments and an Engaged Academic Program: An Interview with Stanley E. Hyland for the SfAA Oral History Project. *Society for Applied Anthropology News* 27(2). https://www.appliedanthro.org/application/files/3315/6157/1352/Stan_Hyland.pdf

Willging, Cathleen E., Louise Lamphere, and Barbara Rylko-Bauer. 2014. The Transformation of Behavioral Health Care in New Mexico. *Administration and Policy in Mental Health online*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10488-014-0574-0>

Rylko-Bauer, Barbara, and John van Willigen. 2014. The Impact of Disciplinary Leadership in Applied and Practicing Anthropology: An Interview with Linda A. Bennett for the SfAA Oral History Project. *Society for Applied Anthropology News* 25(4). https://www.appliedanthro.org/application/files/9915/6156/2398/An_SfAA_Oral_History_Interview_with_Linda_A.pdf

Rylko-Bauer, Barbara. 2013. Looking Back on Fieldwork, Collaborations, and Applied Anthropology: An Interview with Linda M. Whiteford for the SfAA Oral History Project. *Society for Applied Anthropology News* 24(4). https://www.appliedanthro.org/application/files/5715/6165/2749/Linda_Whiteford.pdf

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Rylko-Bauer, Barbara, Linda Whiteford, and Paul Farmer. 2009. Prologue: Coming to Terms with Global Violence and Health. In *Global Health in Times of Violence*, edited by Barbara Rylko-Bauer, Linda Whiteford, and Paul Farmer. Santa Fe, NM: School of Advanced Research Press.

Linda Whiteford, Barbara Rylko-Bauer, and Paul Farmer. 2009. Epilogue: Global Health in Times of Violence—Finding Hope. In *Global Health in Times of Violence*, edited by Barbara Rylko-Bauer, Linda Whiteford, and Paul Farmer. Santa Fe, NM: School of Advanced Research Press.

Waterston, Alisse and Barbara Rylko-Bauer. 2006. Out of the Shadows of History and Memory: Personal Family Narratives in Ethnographies of Rediscovery. *American Ethnologist* 33(3):397-412.

Rylko-Bauer, Barbara, Merrill Singer, and John van Willigen. 2006. Reclaiming Applied Anthropology: Its Past, Present, and Future. *American Anthropologist* 108(1):178-190.

Rylko-Bauer, Barbara. 2005. Introduction: Bringing the Past into the Present: Family Narratives of Holocaust, Exile, and Diaspora. *Anthropological Quarterly* 78(1):7-10.

Rylko-Bauer, Barbara. 2005. Lessons About Humanity and Survival from My Mother and from the Holocaust. *Anthropological Quarterly* 78(1):11-41.

Rylko-Bauer, Barbara, and Paul Farmer. 2002. Managed Care or Managed Inequality? A Call for Critiques of Market-Based Medicine. *Medical Anthropology Quarterly* 16(4):476-502.

Professional Activities

Member, CoPAPIA, American Anthropological Association, 2012 to 2015.

Contributing Editor, CoPAPIA column, "Anthropology Works" in *Anthropology News*, 2013-2014.

Co-organizer, Anthropology and Health Conference: The Convergence of Anthropological Subfields in Research on Health and Illness. Dubrovnik, Croatia, August 4-9, 2014.

Member, Society for Applied Anthropology Oral History Project Committee, 2008 to present.

Member, 2008 National Program Committee, Society for Applied Anthropology.

Organizer and co-chair, Advanced Seminar, School for American Research, *Global Health in the Time of Violence*, October 4-6, 2006, Santa Fe, NM.

Member, 2005 Executive Program Committee, American Anthropological Association.

Member, Publications Committee, Society for Applied Anthropology, 2000-2006.
Book Review Editor, *Medical Anthropology Quarterly*, 1994 to 2000.