# Michael B. Fabricant

#### **EDUCATION**

**B.A.**, History

University of Pittsburgh

**Ph.D.**, Social Welfare - Research and Policy The Florence Heller School, Brandeis University

### **EMPLOYMENT**

#### **Professor**

Hunter College Silberman School of Social Work./Graduate Center (1979-Present) City University of New York, 129 East 79th Street, New York, NY 10021

Teaching Responsibilities

Doctoral courses: Qualitative Research Methods, Social Policy Masters courses: Homelessness, Social Policy, Community Building, Research, Public Education policy

• Administrative Responsibilities

Chair: Social Policy Sequence (1993-1999) Chair: Curricula Committee (1995-1997)

Member: Promotion and Budget Committee (1992 - 1994, 1997 -

1999)

Executive Officer: Doctoral Program in Social Welfare (1999-2012) The Professional Staff Congress of the CUNY

- Vice President for Senior Colleges (2000-2006)
- Treasurer (2006-2015)
- First Vice President (2015-2017)

### **Consultant**

The Community Collaborative to Improve School District 9- CC9 (2003-2006)

• Developed an evaluation of an innovative parent/CBO organizing project

American Red Cross of Greater New York Homeless Services: (1992 - 2001)

• Assisted in the design and development of residential and non residential programs for homeless families

National Network of Veterans Hospitals (1997-1998)

- Developed a training protocol on research utilization and design for patient advocates
- Trained patient advocates in research utilization and design

Services for the Under Served (1995-1997)

• Evaluated a community support program for the chronically mentally ill, (the evaluation design included both qualitative and quantitative methods)

John Jay Substance Abuse and Prevention Program (1992-1996)

- Evaluated the Parents Leadership Training Program- a program intended to develop indigenous parent leadership in the public schools (the evaluation design included both qualitative and quantitative methodology)
- Provided the program administrators with technical assistance regarding the next stages of program development

## **Assistant Director**

Vacation Camp for the Blind (Summers 1982 - 1986) VISIONS/ Services for the Blind and Visually Impaired, 500 Greenwich St., New York, NY 10013

- Assisted Camp Director to oversee daily operations of 35 acre camp serving over 500 blind and multiply disabled adults and their families.
- Assisted with supervision of 80 staff members.

# **Research Associate**

Community Service Society, New York,

- Principal Investigator of two studies:
  - 1. Evaluation of a social service integration program
  - 2. Evaluation of the New York City Family Courts

# **AWARDS**

Papers delivered at the Bielefeld University (Bielefeld, Germany) International Conferences on the Welfare State and Social Citizenship. (Oct. 1995, March 1997, Sept. 2000 November 2002 and December of 2005)

Editorial Board of the Following Journals

- Progressive Human Services (1989- 2000)
- Community Practice (1995- 2003)
- Multicultural Social Work (1990-1996)

Research Grant Awarded by the Dewitt Wallace Foundation (1992-1996)
Approximately \$800,000 to evaluate the Settlement House Human Resource
Development Project (Co-principal with Dr. Irwin Epstein)

Volunteer of the Year: Leadership Award, Community Access United, Elizabeth NJ (2006)

Volunteer of the Year, *Community Service Award*, American Red Cross of Greater New York (2001)

The Grace Boskey Volunteer of the Year Award, Association for the Children of New Jersey 1987)

Volunteer of the Year Hispanic Political Action Committee of Elizabeth, New Jersey (1987)

#### **BOOKS**

Resisting Disposability: A Meditation on Race and Class in the Twilight of Empire (University of California Press) 2018

Austerity Blues: Fighting for the Soul of Public Higher Education (Johns Hopkins University Press) 2016 with Steve Brier

The Changing Politics of Education: Privatization and the Dispossessed Lives Left Behind (Paradigm Publishers 2013) (Republished by Routledge Kagen and Paul, 2015) with Michelle Fine

Charter Schools and the Corporate Makeover of Public Education: What's at Stake? (Teachers College Press, 2012) with Michelle Fine

Organizing for Educational Justice: The Campaign to Reform Public Schools in the South Bronx: (The University of Minnesota Press 2010)

Settlement Houses Under Siege: The Struggle to Sustain Community
Organizations in New York City: Columbia University Press NYC (February, 2002)
with Robert Fisher

The Crisis of the Welfare State and the Transformation of Social Service Work M. E. Sharpe, Armonk, NY (1992) with Steve Burghardt

Working under the Safety Net: Policy and Practice with the New American Poor Sage: Beverly Hills, CA (1987) with Steve Burghardt

Juveniles in the Family Court: Lexington D.C. Heath, Lexington: Mass. (1983)

Deinstitutionalizing Delinquent Youth: The Illusion of Reform: Schenkman Publishing, Cambridge, MA (1980)

# **ARTICLES**

"Building a Multi-Faceted Campaign for Public Higher Education: The Professional Staff Congress Struggle at the City University of New York": Metropolitics,4 October 2016 URL: <a href="http://www.metropolitiques.eu/Building-a-MultifacetedCampaignhtml">http://www.metropolitiques.eu/Building-a-MultifacetedCampaignhtml</a> with Steve Brier

"Solidarity at Last": The Nation October 13, 2014 with Michelle Fine

"Evidence Based Practice and the Politics of Public Higher Education": The Journal of Public Administration, (Spring 2014)

"The Twenty-First Century Gold Rush: The Plunder of Public Assets and the Radically Restructured Teaching Labor Force: *The Journal of Labor and Society*. 16 (3) September, 2013 reprinted in On Campus Spring 2014

"Reimagining Labor: The Lessons of Wisconsin: *The Journal of Labor and Society* 15(1) 235-242 (2012)

"Organizing for Equity" American Educator 35 (1): 36-41 (2012)

"The CC9 Campaign for Educational Justice: Building Parent Power to Reform Public Education" Community Practice, (2010)

"The Settlement House Movement: From Henry Street to Cost Containment Community Building *The Journal of Sociology and Social Welfare*, 2010)

"Understanding Contemporary University-Community Connections: Context, Practice and Challenge:" *Community Practice* (2010 Vol. 12 Numbers 3)

"Agency Based Community Building in Low -Income Neighborhoods: A Praxis Framework" *Community Practice* (2010 Vol. 10, Number 2)

Community Building as a Template for Rebuilding the Welfare State" *Community Practice,* (Fall1998)

"Funktioneirende gemeinschaften oder zunehmende ghettoisierung: Mythos und r realitatdes konservativen angriffs auf den wohlfarhtsstatt. <u>Widerspruche</u>, <u>June</u>, 1997 27-40.

"Work Without End" Readings in Mental Health, Vol. 7 #4, (Dec. 1992)

"Counting the Homeless" Readings in Mental Health, Vol. 5 #1, (March 1990)

"Beyond Bed and Board: Teaching About Homelessness" *Teaching in Social Work* Volume 2 No 2 (1988)

"Empowering the Homeless" Social Policy, Spring, 1988

"The Political Economy of Homelessness" Catalyst, (Fall 1987)

"No Haven for the Homeless in a Heartless Economy" *Radical America,* (Winter 1986)

Reprinted in *Resist* (Winter 1987)

"Creating Survival Services" Administration and Social Work, (Fall 1986)

"Radical Social Work" Encyclopedia of Social Work, (1986)

"The Industrialization of Social Work Practice" Social Work, (Sept. 1985)

"Legal and Welfare Advocacy: Complementary Approaches in Organizing on Behalf of the Homeless" *Urban and Social Change Review,* (Winter 1984)

"Reindustrialization and the Future of the Welfare State" Sociology and Social

## **CHAPTERS IN BOOKS**

"Settlement Houses, An Historic and Contemporary View" In the Encyclopedia of Social Work, Terry Mizrahi and Larry Davis (Editors) USA, Spring 2008

"Settlement Houses, Neokorporatismus und die Praxis des Community Building" In Soziale Arbeit und Soziales Kapital. Fabian Kessel and Hans Uwe Otto (Editors) Verlag. Weisbaden, Germany October, 2004.

"Which Side are You On?: Social Work, Community Organizing and the Labor Movement", In Community Organizing and Social Work in the Twenty First Century." Marie Weil (Editor) Sage Publishers. Thousand Oaks California. (September, 2004)

"Homelessness in New York State." *The Encylopedia of New York.* Peter Eisenstadt (Editor) Syracuse University Press. Syracuse NY. 2004))

"The Decline of Citizenship: Welfare State Cost Containment and the Erosion of Social Rights." *Social Citizenship and the Welfare State.* Hans Uwe Otto (Editor) Pearson Publishing, Great Britain (2004)

"Strategic Considerations for Community Building: An Essay on Social Democratic Dilemmas to Globalization and Income Inequality "Soziale Arbeit. Siegfried Muller, Heinz Sunker, Thomas Olkand Karin Bollert (Editors) Luterhand, Germany, 2000.

"Rising from the Ashes of Cutback, Political Warfare and Degraded Services: Community Building as a Template for Rebuilding the Welfare State." In *Towards Democracy in Social Services* 'Gaby Flosser and Hans-Uwe Otto (Editors) de Gruyter, Berlin, Germany 1998.

"Commitment, Perseverance and Social Innovation: The Sheltering Movement," In *Serious Play: Creativity and Innovation in Social Work*, Harold Weissman (Editor) NASW Press, Washington D.C., 1990.

"The Political Economy of Homelessness" in *Crisis in the Public Sector*. (Michelle Naples et. al. Editorial Collective) Monthly Review Press/1URPE 1989.

## **Book Reviews**

Christopher Lubienski C and Sarah Theule Lubienski, "The Public School Advantage" *Teachers College Record*, (Winter 2014)

Mark Warren, "A Match on Dry Grass" Social Service Review, (Spring of 2013)

Nicole Marlaw, 'Bargaining for Brooklyn, British Journal of Sociology, (Summer of

2009

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William Whyte, "Learning From the Field" Social Service Review (Spring 1988)

Waln Brown," The Other Side of Delinquency" Social Work, (July-August, 1985)

Steven Wineman, "The Politics of Human Services" Catalyst, (Vol 19,1985)

Paula Dressel, The Service Trap: From Altruism to Dirty Work" *Social Service Review*, (June 1985)

Paul Lerman "Deinstitutionalization and the Welfare State." *Social Service Review,* (June 1984)

Ralph Kramer, "Voluntary Agencies in the Welfare State." Annals of the Academy of Political and Social Science, (Fall 1982)

Joe Hudson and Burt Galaway, "Victims, Offenders and Alternative Sanctions" Social Work, (1982)

### **SERVICE TO COMMUNITY**

First Vice President, Treasurer and Vice President of Senior Colleges *Professional Staff Congress of the City University of New York* (from 2000-2016)

Board Member-Community Access – agency for the disabled: Elizabeth, N.J. (2000-2011)

Advisory Committee *-American Red Cross* Greater New York City Homeless Services (1995-2003).

Founding Member, President (20 years 1988-2003, 2011- present) *Coalition to House the Homeless* - advocacy, service agency in Elizabeth, NJ (1981 - Present)

Founding Member and Board Member of *Brand New Day—(*low -income housing creation agency) in Elizabeth, New Jersey (1985 - 1995)

Founding Member and Board Member of St. Joseph's Social Service Center - multi-service center in Elizabeth, N.J. (1985 - 1999)

Board Member, Union County Legal Services, (1985 - 2000)

Board Member and Treasurer, National Coalition to House the Homeless, (1987 - 1995)

# **ADDRESS**

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