

# Announcing the 2023 Incoming Committee Members and SECC Representatives to SRCD Committees

## Newly Elected SECC Representatives to SRCD Committees

The Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD) is pleased to announce the newly elected [Student and Early Career Council \(SECC\)](#) Representatives to SRCD Committees. Representatives serve in SECC for a four-year term with the first two years serving in their respective committees. Get to know your SECC Representatives [here](#).

- **Michelle Brown**, Co-Chair and Incoming SECC Representative to the Governing Council
- **Meg Bishop**, Equity and Justice Committee
- **Melissa Lucas**, Ethnic and Racial Issues Committee
- **Ekjyot Saini**, Interdisciplinary Committee
- **Nazlı Akay**, International Affairs Committee
- **Vanessa Bermudez**, Program Committee
- **Claudia Kruzik**, Publications Committee
- **Qingyang Liu**, Science and Social Policy Committee
- **Ashleigh Aviles**, Teaching Committee

## Newly Appointed SRCD Committee Members

SRCD has 15 operational and standing committees, eight with newly appointed members, each with their own mission aimed to help the Society move forward as a leader in child development research. The Society

congratulates the newly appointed committee members listed below.

### **Equity & Justice Committee**

- **Erika Hernandez** (New Co-Chair) , Penn State University
- **Eva E. Chen**, National Tsing Hua University
- **Michael Alan Medina**, Boston University
- **Soojin Oh Park**, University of Washington
- **Jihee Im**, Penn State University
- **Norma J. Perez-Brena**, University of Arizona

### **Ethnic & Racial Issues Committee**

- **Mona Abo-Zena** (Promoted to Co-Chair), University of Massachusetts, Boston
- **Yijie Wang** (Promoted to Co-Chair), Michigan State University
- **Mellissa Gordon**, University of Delaware
- **Alan Meca**, University of Texas at San Antonio
- **Jacqueline Nguyen**, University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee
- **Melissa Delgado**, University of Arizona

### **Finance & Audit Committee**

- **James Bray**, University of Texas at San Antonio
- **Yuyan Luo**, University of Missouri

### **Interdisciplinary Committee**

- **Samantha Brown** (Promoted to Co-Chair), Colorado State University
- **Pilyoung Kim** (New Co-Chair), Denver University
- **Erinn B. Duprey**, Children’s Institute and Mount Hope Family Center at the University of Rochester
- **Jennifer LoCasale-Crouch**, Virginia Commonwealth University
- **Sonya Negriff**, Kaiser Permanente, Southern California

### **International Affairs Committee**

- **Kathryn Modecki** (Promoted to Co-Chair), Griffith University

- **Vaishali Raval** (Promoted to Co-Chair), University of Miami Ohio
- **Abraham Sagi-Schwartz**, University of Haifa/Tel-Hai College
- **Stella Christie**, Tsinghua University
- **Shuang Lu**, University of Central Florida

### **Publications Committee**

- **Wei Quin Yow** (New Co-Chair), Singapore University of Technology and Design
- **Qing Zhou** (Co-Chair), University of California – Berkeley
- **Stacey N. Doan**, Claremont McKenna College
- **Natalia Palacios**, University of Virginia
- **Kristine Marceau**, Purdue University, West Lafayette
- **Matthew E. Foster**, University of South Florida
- **Lauren Bader**, Institute for Advanced Study in Toulouse University
- **Yixun Li**, The Education University of Hong Kong
- **Florrie Fei-Yin Ng**, Chinese University of Hong Kong

### **Science & Social Policy Committee**

- **Sara Vecchiotti** (Promoted to Co-Chair), Foundation for Child Development
- **Steven John Holochwost**, Lehman College City University of New York
- **Guadalupe Diaz-Lara**, California State University – Fullerton
- **Dara Blachman-Demner**, National Institute of Health
- **Dalal Katsiaficas**, University of Illinois at Chicago

### **Teaching Committee**

- **Aya Shigeto** (Promoted to Co-Chair), Nova Southeastern University
- **Rebecca Martin**, South Dakota State University
- **Eva Chen**, Benedict College
- **Helena Mawdsley**, University of Florida
- **Soo-Young Hong**, University of Nebraska – Lincoln