

# **UCLA Division of Infectious Diseases**

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#### **EDUCATION**

- PhD, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health, 2008
- MHS, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health, 2004
- BA, Harvard College, Sociology and Hispanic Studies, 1999

#### **BIO**

Angela Bayer is an Adjunct Assistant Professor in the UCLA Department of Medicine's Division of Infectious Diseases. She is based in Lima, Peru. Dr. Bayer's research focuses on the prevention of HIV and other sexually transmitted infections (STIs) among populations in situations of vulnerability in Peru. She received a K01 grant from the Fogarty International Center to carry out research with male sex workers (MSWs) in Lima, including the ethnographic mapping of MSW venues and enumeration of MSWs and the implementation and evaluation of a pilot skill-building intervention to prevent HIV/STIs among MSWs.

In addition to her work on HIV prevention, Dr. Bayer is interested in the application of innovative social science methods to study and address public health issues that are relevant to global health, Latin America and Peru. Issues have included maternal and child health, adolescent development and sexuality, cervical cancer prevention, Chagas disease, tuberculosis and influenza. Dr. Bayer is also an Associate Researcher at the Universidad Peruana Cayetano Heredia School of Public Health, where she collaborates on research studies and teaches at the postgraduate level.

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

- HIV/STIs among populations in situations of vulnerability in Peru
- Application of innovative social science methods to global health issues

#### **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS**

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