“No More Larking Around! Why We Need Long-Acting, Reversible Male Contraceptives.” *Hasting Center Report* 41.5 (September/October 2011).

Abstract: Not only is there a large discrepancy between the number of female contraceptives and male contraceptives, there are no long-acting, reversible contraceptives (LARCs) for men. My goal in this paper is to examine why this is the case and why we need male LARCs. In particular, I analyze how the alignment of contraceptive responsibility with women and the distancing of men from reproduction have shaped the research and development of contraceptives and vice versa. I argue that male LARCs are necessary in order both to alleviate the burdens women face by typically being the ones responsible for contraception and to enhance men’s ability to control their reproduction.