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### ACADEMIC POSITIONS

#### **Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr PA**

Assistant Professor of Psychology, Department of Psychology, Aug 2014 - present  
Affiliated with Health Studies Minor and Postbaccalaureate Premedical Program

### EDUCATION AND TRAINING

#### **University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh PA**

Postdoctoral Fellow in Cardiovascular Behavioral Medicine, 2012 - 2014

Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (via National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, PI: Karen Matthews, PhD)

Mentors: Dr. Thomas Kamarck, Behavioral Medicine Research Group and Dr. Rebecca Thurston, Women's Biobehavioral Health Laboratory

#### **The George Washington University, Washington DC**

Doctorate in Applied Social Psychology, 2007 - 2012

Advisor: Dr. Michelle Stock

Dissertation: Impact of Television Media Depicting Sex Under the Influence of Alcohol on Cognitions Derived From the Prototype Willingness Model

Master's Thesis: Influence of Masculinity, Peer Norms, and Location of Healthcare Delivery on College Men's Seasonal Influenza Vaccination Cognitions

#### **Dickinson College, Carlisle PA**

BA in Psychology, Creative Writing Poetry Minor; summa cum laude with honors in Psychology, 2002 - 2006

Study Abroad: Dickinson College Program for the Sciences at University of Queensland, Brisbane AU

Advisor: Dr. Marie Helweg-Larsen

Honors Thesis: Self-efficacy and Risk Perception: Psychological Variables of Women's Adherence Over a 6-Week Weight Loss Program

### PUBLICATIONS / MANUSCRIPTS IN PRESS

**Peterson, L.M.**, <sup>BMC</sup>Campbell, M.A., & <sup>BMC</sup>Laky, Z.E. (2018). The next frontier for men's contraceptive choice: College men's willingness to pursue male hormonal contraception. *Psychology of Men and Masculinity, Special Issue: Physical Health of Men and Boys*, 20, 226-237. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/men0000174>

Hamner, J., Yu, L., Li, J., Kavalieratos, D., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Hess, R. (2018). The diagnosis and treatment of asymptomatic disease is associated with a decrease in health-related quality of life: A cross sectional analysis from the National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey. *British Journal of Health Psychology*, 24, 88-101. <https://doi.org/10.1111/bjhp.12341>

Cook-Sather, A., Schlosser, J.A., <sup>BMC</sup>Sweeney, A., **Peterson, L.M.**, Cassidy, K., & <sup>HC</sup>Colon-Garcia, A. (2018). Affirmation and support in higher education faculty development: A case of positive psychology principles in practice. *International Journal for Academic Development*, 23, 123-134.

**Peterson, L.M.**, Miller, K.M., Wong, P.M., Anderson, B.A., Kamarck, T.K., Matthews, K.A., Kirschbaum, C. & Manuck, S.B. (2017). Sleep duration partially accounts for race differences in diurnal cortisol dynamics. *Health Psychology, 36*, 502-511. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/hea0000468>

Stock, M.L., **Peterson, L.M.**, Molloy, B., & Lambert, S. (2016). Past racial discrimination exacerbates the effects of racial exclusion on negative affect, perceived control, and alcohol-risk cognitions among Black young adults. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine, 40*, 377-391. doi: 10.1007/s10865-016-9793-z

**Peterson, L.M.**, Matthews, K.A., Derby, C.A., Bromberger, J.T., & Thurston, R.C. (2016). The relationship between cumulative unfair treatment and intima media thickness and adventitial diameter: The moderating role of race in The Study of Women's Health Across the Nation. *Health Psychology, Special Issue in Cardiovascular Health Disparities 35*, 313-321. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/hea0000288>

Miller, K.G., Wright, A.C.G., **Peterson, L.M.**, Kamarck, T.W., Anderson, B.A., Kirschbaum, C., Marsland, A.L., Muldoon, M.F., & Manuck, S.B. (2016). Trait positive and negative emotionality differentially associate with diurnal cortisol activity. *Psychoneuroendocrinology, 68*, 177-185. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.psyneuen.2016.03.004>

Waters, E.A., Janssen, E., Kaufman, A.R., **Peterson, L.M.**, Muscanell, N.L., Guadagno, R.E., & Stock, M.L. (2015). The relationship between young adult smokers' beliefs about nicotine addiction and smoking-related affect and cognitions. *Journal of Cancer Education, 31*, 338-347. doi: 10.1007/s13187-015-0819-y

Walsh, L.A., Stock, M.L., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Gerrard, M. (2014). Women's sun protection cognitions in response to UV photography: The role of age, cognition, and affect. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine, 37*, 553-563. doi: 10.1007/s10865-013-9512-y

Waters, E.A., Kincaid, C., Kaufman, A.R., Stock, M.L., **Peterson, L.M.**, Muscanell, N.L., & Guadagno, R.E. (2014). Concerns about unintended negative consequences of informing the public about multifactorial risks may be premature for young adult smokers. *British Journal of Health Psychology, 19*, 720-736. doi: 10.1111/bjhp.12069.

Stock, M.L., Gibbons, F.X., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Gerrard, M. (2013). The effects of racial discrimination on the HIV-risk cognitions and behaviors of Black adolescents and young adults. *Health Psychology, Special Issue in Theoretical Innovations in Social and Personality Psychology and Implications for Health, 32*, 543-550. doi: 10.1037/a0028815

**Peterson, L.M.**, Helweg-Larsen, M., Kimmel, S., & Volpp, K. (2012). Heart attack risk perception biases among hypertension patients: The role of educational level and worry. *Psychology & Health, 27*, 737-751. doi: 10.1080/08870446.2011.626856

Stock, M.L., **Peterson, L.M.**, Houlihan, A.E., & Walsh, L.A. (2012). Influence of oral sex and oral cancer information on young adults' oral sexual-risk cognitions and likelihood of HPV vaccination. *Journal of Sex Research, 50*, 95-102. doi: 10.1080/00224499.2011.642904

Stock, M.L., Litt, D.M., \*Arlt, V., & **Peterson, L.M.**, & \*Sommerville J. (2012). Impact of academic versus health-risk information on risk cognitions associated with nonmedical prescription stimulant use among college students. *British Journal of Health Psychology, 18*, 490-507. doi: 10.1111/j.2044-8287.2012.02087.x

## MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

**Peterson, L.M.**, Joseph, N.T. (co-first authors), \*Gordon, H., & Kamarck, T. (under review). The double burden of racial discrimination in daily-life moments: Increases in negative emotions and depletion of psychosocial resources among emerging-adult African Americans.

**Peterson, L.M.**, Stock, M.L., <sup>BMC</sup>Monroe, J., Molloy, B.K., & Lambert, S. (under review). Racial exclusion causes acute cortisol release among emerging-adult African Americans: The role of reduced perceived control.

## MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION

**Peterson, L.M.**, et al. Social-contextual factors surrounding unvaccinated college men's intentions to receive the HPV vaccine: Masculinity, norms, prototypes, and the role of physician gender.

**Peterson, L.M.** & Joseph, N.T. Daily strains and stressors that influence diurnal salivary cortisol among emerging-adult African Americans.

## CONFERENCE TALKS

**Peterson, L.M.**, Joseph, N.T. (co-first authors), \*Gordon, H., & Kamarck, T.K. (2019, June). *The double burden of racial discrimination in lived moments*. Presentation accepted for The Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues 2019 Conference, San Diego, CA.

Kamarck, T.W., **Peterson, L.M.**, Miller, K., Anderson, B.A., Kirschbaum, C., Cohen, S. & Manuck, S.B. (2016, March). *Social integration is associated with steeper diurnal cortisol decline: Evidence from a sample of healthy working adults*. [Abstract]. *Psychosomatic Medicine*, 78(3), A-51. Presentation in Social Factors, Inflammation, and Health, at the 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society, Denver, CO.

**Peterson, L.M.**, Kamarck, T.W., Miller, K., Wong, P., Anderson, B.A., Muldoon, M.F., Matthews, K.A., & Manuck, S.B. (2015, March). *Race differences in diurnal cortisol functioning: Sleep as a mediator*. [Abstract]. *Psychosomatic Medicine*, 76(3), A-121. Presentation in A. Prather (Chair), Sleep and Cardiovascular Disease, at the 73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society, Savannah, GA.

→abstract selected to be included as a press release in conference press kit

Miller, K.G., Wright, A.C.G., **Peterson, L.M.**, Kamarck, T.W., Anderson, B.M., & Manuck, S.B. (2015, March). *Positive emotionality is associated with a steeper diurnal cortisol slope*. [Abstract]. *Psychosomatic Medicine*, 76(3), A-82. Presentation in S. Lutgendorf (Chair), Genetic, Mitochondrial, and Psychosocial Influences on Cortisol, at the 73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society, Savannah, GA.

Thomas, M.C, Kamarck, T.W., Anderson, B., Miller, K., **Peterson, L.M.**, Kirschbaum, C., & Manuck, S. (2015, March). *Daytime salivary cortisol secretion is associated with quality of daily life marital interactions as measured by ecological momentary assessment*. Presentation in M. Cribbet (Chair), Social Relationships and Health, at the 73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society, Savannah, GA.

Waters, E.A., Janssen, E., Kaufman, A.R., **Peterson, L.M.**, Muscanell, N.L., Guadagno, R.E., & Stock, M.L. (2013, March). *Beliefs about nicotine addiction and perceptions of delayed harm of cigarette smoking: Implications for feelings of risk and intentions to quit*. In A. Kaufman (Chair), Approaches to Studying and Understanding Tobacco Risk Perceptions. Presentation at the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Francisco, CA.

Graham, M., Forssell, S.L., Rima, B.A., & **Peterson, L.M.** (2009, August). *Reducing LGBT and other stigma in HIV/AIDS care settings*. Presented at the American Psychological Association Conference, Toronto, ON.

**Peterson, L.M.** (2006, May). *Self-efficacy and risk perception: Psychological variables of women's adherence over a 6-week weight loss program*. Presented at Research on Women Symposium, Carlisle, PA.

## COLLOQUIUM / INVITED TALKS

- Peterson, L.M.** (2018, November). *Biopsychosocial forces contributing to health disparities: The role of applied social psychology*. Invited presentation to Research Discussion Series Colloquia on Applied Social Psychology, The George Washington University, Washington, DC.
- Peterson, L.M.** (2018, March). *Understanding the impact of racial discrimination on health: What methodological diversification can contribute*. Invited presentation through Juniata College Psychology Club Colloquium, Huntingdon, PA.
- Peterson, L.M.** (2017, March). *Racial discrimination as a part of health studies*. Invited presentation to Introduction to Health Studies, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA.
- Peterson, L.M.** (2016, March). *Understanding the impact of racial discrimination on health: What methodological diversification can contribute*. Invited presentation through Dickinson College Psychology Club Colloquium, Carlisle, PA.
- Peterson, L.M.** (2015, October). *Racial discrimination and insights for substance use prevention*. Invited presentation through the Psychiatry/Neurology Fall Focus Group of the Post Baccalaureate Premedical Program, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA.
- Peterson, L.M.** (2015, February). *Discrimination and health*. Invited presentation for Bryn Mawr College Board of Trustees, Annual Meeting, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, PA.
- Peterson, L.M.** (2013, October). *Understanding the impact of racial discrimination on health: What methodological diversification can contribute*. Invited presentation through Center on Race and Social Problems Speaker Series, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA.

## CONFERENCE POSTERS

- <sup>BMC</sup>Rogelberg, S.D., **Peterson, L.M.**, & <sup>BMC</sup>Orr, J.A. (2019, March). *College men's Human Papillomavirus (HPV) vaccination intention: The role of norms, prototypes, and masculinity*. Poster presented at the 40<sup>th</sup> Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.  
→student recipient of Dean's Office Conference Funding Travel
- Dickman, K., Kamarck, T.W., Anderson, B., Li, X., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Cohen, S. (2019, March). *Sleep as a mediator of racial differences in diurnal cortisol slope*. Poster presented at the 77<sup>th</sup> American Psychosomatic Society Conference, Vancouver, Canada.
- <sup>BMC</sup>Laky, Z.E., <sup>BMC</sup>Glantzman-Leib, L., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Joseph, N.T. (2019, February). *Exploring discrimination and vigilance: Subclinical health outcomes for Black emerging adults*. Poster presented at the 90<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association, New York, NY.  
→student recipients of Dean's Office Conference Funding Travel
- <sup>BMC</sup>Orr, J., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Olsen, N. (2018, April). *Does physician gender play a role in college students' Human Papillomavirus (HPV) vaccination decisions?* Poster presented at the 39<sup>th</sup> Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.  
→student recipient of Dean's Office Conference Funding Travel Grant
- <sup>BMC</sup>Monroe, J., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Joseph, N. (2017, May). *Perceived discrimination is associated with greater stress and negative affect in African American emerging adults*. Poster presented at the 29<sup>th</sup> Association for Psychological Science Annual Convention, Boston, MA.  
→student recipient of Dean's Office Conference Funding Travel Grant

- Joseph, N.T., **Peterson, L.M.**, Kamarck, T.K., & Thurston, R.C. (2017, March). *Ecological momentary-assessed positive racial identification and ambulatory blood pressure in African American young adults*. Poster presented at the 75<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society, Seville, Spain.  
→abstract selected to be included as a press release in conference press kit
- <sup>BMC</sup>Campbell, M.A., & **Peterson, L.M.** (2016, March). *Men should be in (birth) control for once: College men's perceptions about male hormonal birth control*. Poster presented at the 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.  
→student recipient of Dean's Office Conference Funding Travel Grant
- <sup>BMC</sup>Kaufmann, C.S., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Joseph, N. (2015, October). *Perceived discrimination and blood pressure in African American young adults: Exploring the influence of social support*. Poster presented at the Fifth Diversity Forum, La Salle University, Philadelphia, PA.
- Peterson, L.M.**, Stock, M.L, Zucker, A., & Fitz, C.C. (2014, February). *The independent contribution of racial discrimination to African American women's depression and sexual behavior: Investigating intersectional gender and racial discrimination*. Poster presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX.
- \*Khurana, A., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Stock, M.L. (2013, March). *Gender moderates the relationship between perceived racial discrimination and African Americans' hopelessness and risky health behavior*. Poster presented at the Eastern Psychological Association, New York, NY.
- Peterson, L.M.**, & Stock, M.L. (2013, January). *Media exposure and past sexual experience: College students' willingness to engage in sex under the influence of alcohol*. Poster presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- Stock, M.L., & Gibbons, F.X., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Gerrard, M. (2012, July). *Racial discrimination and HIV-risk cognitions and behaviors among African American adolescents and young adults*. Poster presented at the XIX International AIDS Conference, Washington, DC.
- Olsen, N., & **Peterson, L.M.** (2012, May). *Physician-attractiveness, gender, need-for-cognition, and masculinity: A dynamic approach to HPV prevention*. Poster presented at the Association for Psychological Sciences Conference, Chicago, IL.
- Waters, E.A., Kincaid, C.S., Stock, M.L., **Peterson, L.M.**, Kaufman, A., Muscanell, N.L., & Guadagno, R.E. (2012, April). *Limitations of using multifactorial genetic risk information to educate smokers about the risk of tobacco use*. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- Peterson, L.M.**, Stock, M.L., & Gibbons, F.X. (2012, January). *The effects of racial discrimination on the HIV-risk behaviors of African-American young adults*. Poster presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, San Diego, CA.
- Stock, M.L., Walsh, L., & **Peterson, L.M.** (2011, April). *Sun protective reactions to UV photography among women: Emotional versus cognitive thinking*. [Abstract]. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 41, s158. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Conference, Washington, DC.
- \*Sommerville, J., **Peterson, L.M.**, & Stock, M.L. (2011, March). *Illicit prescription stimulant use cognitions: Differences between academic and social motivations*. Poster presented at the Eastern Psychological Association Conference, Cambridge, MA.
- Peterson, L.M.** & Stock, M.L. (2011, January). *Influence of gender and perceived vaccination norms on seasonal and H1N1 influenza cognitions*. Poster presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, San Antonio, TX.

**Peterson, L.M.**, & Stock, M.L. (2010, April). *Impact of masculinity, norms, and location context on college men's influenza vaccination cognitions*. [Abstract]. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 39, s179. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Conference, Seattle, WA.

Walsh, L.W., Stock, M.L., & **Peterson, L.M.** (2010, April). *The impact of sexual risk and informational interventions on women's likelihood of engaging in HPV vaccination, STD testing, and risky sex behaviors*. [Abstract]. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 39, s34. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Conference, Seattle, WA.

**Peterson, L.M.**, Stock, M.L., & Gerrard, M. (2009, April). *Influence of sexual risk, masculinity, and oral sex information on men's likelihood to receive the HPV vaccine*. [Abstract]. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 37, s228. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Conference, Montreal, QC.

**Peterson, L.M.** (2007, May). *Self-efficacy and risk perception: Psychological variables of women's adherence over a 6-week weight loss program*. Poster presented at the Association for Psychological Science Conference, Washington, DC.

Helweg-Larsen, M., **Peterson, L.M.**, Bettencourt, A., Kimmel, S., & Volpp, K. (2005, March). *Socio-economic status and race difference in optimistic bias among hypertensive patients*. Poster presented at the Eastern Psychological Association Conference, Boston, MA.

Helweg-Larsen, M., Gurmankin, A., DiDominick, K., Meloni, A., **Peterson, L.M.**, Kimmel, S., Armstrong, K., & Volpp, K. (2004, April). *Comparative and absolute risk biases of heart attack and stroke among hypertensive patients*. Poster presented at the Eastern Psychological Association Conference, Washington, DC.

Bettencourt, A., Bushner, S., **Peterson, L.M.** (co-first authors), & Barber, T. (2004, April). *Increasing classroom recycling behavior: The effects of prompts, placement, and cues*. Poster presented at the Eastern Psychological Association Conference, Washington, DC.

## **GRANTS, AWARDS, AND HONORS**

Consultant (PI: Nataria Joseph, PhD), Academic Research Enhancement Award, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (\$419,662), "A New Approach to Understanding Daily Life Mechanisms Explaining the Role of Social Status Stressors in Blood Pressure Disparities," 2018 - 2021

Collaborator (Project lead: Reggie Jones, LCSW, MSS, MLSP), Truth Initiative Grant (\$19,872), Bryn Mawr College, 2018 - 2020

Museum Studies Teaching Grant, Bryn Mawr College (\$600, 2x), "Enriching Health Psychology through Critical Museum Studies Scholarship: Health, Society, and the Self – Stories at the Mütter Museum," 2018, 2016

Co-PI (w/ Nataria Joseph, PhD) Pilot Proposal from the Center on Race and Social Problems, University of Pittsburgh (\$10,000), "Investigating the Impact of African Americans' Experiences of Racial Discrimination on Ambulatory Blood Pressure and Health Risk Behaviors Using Ecological Momentary Assessment," 2013

Best Poster, Postdoctoral Category, Health Disparities Poster Competition, University of Pittsburgh, School of Health Sciences for: Khurana, A., Peterson, L.M., & Stock, M.L. (2013, April). "Gender Moderates the Relationship Between Perceived Racial Discrimination and African Americans' Hopelessness and Risky Health Behavior."

Columbian Women Scholarship, The George Washington University, 2011-2012 Academic Year

National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship, honorable mention for "The Differences Between Theory of Planned Behavior and Prototype/Willingness Model in Predicting Sexual Risk Taking Behavior, Understanding the Role of Race and Masculinity," 2009 and 2008

Stephen Benson Endowed Fellowship for Excellence in the Psychological Sciences, 2006

Psi Chi Guilford Award for "Self-Efficacy and Risk Perception: Psychological Variables of Women's Adherence Over a 6-Week Weight Loss Program," 2006

Phi Beta Kappa, inducted 2006

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Instructor

#### Health Psychology

Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2018, Fall 2016, Fall 2015, Fall 2014 (participated in Teaching and Learning Institute with Student Consultant, Ana Colon-Garcia)

The George Washington University, Summer 2011, Summer 2010

#### Health Psychology Laboratory

Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2018, Spring 2017, Fall 2015, Spring 2015

#### Health Behavior and Context

Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2019, Fall 2016, Spring 2016

#### Introductory Psychology

Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2019, Spring 2017, Spring 2016 (participated in Teaching and Learning Institute with Student Consultant, Khadijah Seay), Spring 2015

### Teaching Assistant

Principles and Methods, The George Washington University, 2009

Social Psychology, The George Washington University, 2009, 2007; guest lectured Fall 2011

Health Psychology, The George Washington University, 2009

General Psychology, The George Washington University, 2008; guest lectured Fall 2011

Research Methods, The George Washington University, 2007, Dickinson College, 2006

## MENTORED PROJECTS

### Dissertations/Graduate Projects

Jacoba Johnson Zaring, "The Contribution of Stereotype Threat to Speech Comprehension in Normal Aging: 'What did you say?'" Dissertation Committee Member, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2017

Megan McCoy, "Do Senior Centers Create Welcoming Environments for LGBT Older Adults?" chair of the Supervising Committee for Oral Preliminary Examination, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences of Bryn Mawr College, Graduate School of Social Work and Social Research, April 2017

Mary McManaman, "Changing Perspectives: Can a Short-Term Intervention Promote Relationship Satisfaction?" Dissertation Data Review, Acting Committee Member, Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2015

### Undergraduate Projects

Esther Kim, "Cultural Identity as a Protective Mechanism for Vulnerability to Substance Use associated with Racial Discrimination," Summer Science Fellow, Bryn Mawr College, Summer 2019

Lila Glantzman-Leib, "Stress and Discrimination: How these Impact Marijuana Use Cognitions and Behaviors among African American Emerging Adults," Psychology Senior Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2018-19

Zoë Laky, "Racial Discrimination and Vigilance: Subclinical Indicators of Cardiovascular Disease among Black Emerging Adults," Psychology Senior Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2018-19

Sasha Rogelberg, "College Men's Human Papillomavirus Vaccination Intention: The Role of Norms, Prototypes, and Masculinity," Psychology Senior Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2018-19

Esther Kim, "The Use of Repeated Measures in Social and Health Psychology," independent study, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2019

Milan Frederick, "Social Factors associated with HPA-Axis Dysregulation among Emerging-adult African Americans," Goldwater Scholarship Application, Fall 2018

Zoë Laky, "The Role of Discrimination and Racism Vigilance on Stress Processes," Summer Science Fellow, Bryn Mawr College, Summer 2018

Jennifer Orr, "Does Physician Gender Play a Role in College Students' Human Papillomavirus Vaccination Decisions?," Psychology Senior Thesis, Awarded Honors, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2017-18

Zoë Laky, "Exploring Masculinity and the Prototype Willingness Model as Contributors to College Men's Willingness to Pursue Male Hormonal Contraception," independent study, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2018

Maira Karan, "Sleep Malleability Attitudes and Cultural Orientation as Predictors of Sleep Quality in Asian College Students in the United States," second reader, Psychology Honors Thesis, Bryn Mawr College,

\* indicates student mentee <sup>BMC/HC</sup> indicates BMC/HC student

Spring 2017

- Sam Kolavitch, "How Great are the Golden Years? Investigating Age Differences in Valence Effects," second reader, Psychology Honors Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2017
- Jennifer Orr, "Physician-Patient Communication: Gender Effects for HPV Vaccination," independent study, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2017
- Deanna Zaro, "An Exploration of Objectification Theory and the Benefits of Feminism," independent study, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2017
- Marea Newell, "Racial Discrimination and Substance Use Among Emerging Adult African Americans," Psychology Senior Thesis, Awarded Honors, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2016-17
- Janet Monroe, "Does Racial Discrimination Associate with Diurnal Cortisol Rhythm Among Black Emerging Adults? Exploring an Old Question in a New Sample," Psychology Senior Thesis, Awarded Honors, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2016-17
- Maeve Malloy, "Home is Where the Heart Is: Neighborhood Socioeconomic Status and Cardiovascular Health Among African American Emerging Adults," Psychology Senior Thesis, Awarded Honors, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2016-17
- Marea Newell, "Substance Use Cognitions and Discrimination Among African American Emerging Adults," Summer Science Fellow, Bryn Mawr College, Summer 2016
- Janet Monroe, "The Role of Perceived Discrimination in Stress and Affect," Summer Science Fellow, Bryn Mawr College, Summer 2016
- Clara Kaufmann, "Racial Discrimination and Ambulatory Blood Pressure in African American Emerging Adults: Exploring the Influence of Social Support," Psychology Senior Thesis, Awarded Honors, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2015-16
- Caitlin Homstad, "Associations of Discrimination and HIV-Transmission Risk Behavior Cognitions Among Young Adult African Americans," Psychology Senior Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2015-16
- Meriel Campbell, "Why Men Should Be In (Birth) Control For Once: College Men's Perceptions of Male Hormonal Birth Control," Psychology Senior Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2015-16
- Sherry Yueyi Jiang, "Model Comparison and Parameter Recovery of Two Diffusion Models: Fast-dm and HDDM," second reader, Psychology Honors Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2016
- Anne Claire Grammar, "Addressing America's Weight Problem: A Discovery of Effective Obesity Treatment," Praxis III at the University of Pennsylvania's Center for Weight and Eating Disorders (site supervisor Thomas Wadden, PhD), Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2015
- Blair Broad, "Does Socioeconomic Status Moderate the Effect of Race on Sleep Quality?" independent study, Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2015
- Clara Kaufmann, "Exploring the Relation Between Perceived Racial Discrimination and Cardiovascular Health of African American Young Adults: Analyzing the Influence of Social Support," Summer Science Fellow, Bryn Mawr College, Summer 2015
- Alexis De La Rosa, "Racial Discrimination in Higher Education: How Racism Impacts Psychological Outcomes Among Young Adult African Americans," Senior Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2014-15
- Yige Zhu, "The Association Between Lifetime Racial Discrimination and Obesity in Young Adult African Americans," Senior Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, AY 2014-15
- Marta Chmielowicz, "The Effects of Material and Psychosocial Factors on Health in Segregated Communities," independent study, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2015
- Blair Broad, "Disparities in Nocturnal Blood Pressure Non-Dipping Among Youth and Adolescents," independent study, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2015
- Huong Giang Le, "Vocabulary Size, Lexical Composition, and Late Talking in Vietnamese Children: Cross-linguistic and Language-specific Properties," second reader, Psychology Honors Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2015
- Jessica Shum, "The Role of Personality Traits in Emotional Biases in Memory," second reader, Psychology Honors Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2015
- Joanna Kosmaoglou, "The Effects of Comfort Food Intake on the Stress Response," second reader, Biology Thesis, Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2014
- Katherine Willie, "A Literature Review on the Relationship Between Racial Discrimination and the Cardiovascular Health of African American Women," independent study co-supervised with Nataria Joseph, PhD, University of Pittsburgh, Spring 2014



→ sponsored and selected as a finalist in the Center on Race and Social Problems, Student Paper Award competition

Levi Markel, "Exploring Discrimination and Discrimination Health Outcomes Within Military and Veteran Populations: An Opportune Study Sample," independent study, University of Pittsburgh, Spring 2014

Bianna Crayton, "The Impact of Racial Discrimination on the Mental Health of African American Youth," independent study, University of Pittsburgh, Spring 2014

Jhanelle DeLisser, "Health Disparities Within the Black Diaspora: African Americans and Afro-Caribbeans," independent study, University of Pittsburgh, Fall 2013

Hannah During, "Media Exposure as a Predictor of Risky Sexual Behavior and Alcohol Use Among African American and White Adolescents," independent study, The George Washington University, Spring 2012

## SERVICE

### Institutional and Departmental

Member, Butcher-Jackson Postdoctoral Search Committee, Spring 2019

Faculty Participant, POSSE PLUS Retreat 2019 "*The State of Our Union*," Desmond Hotel, Malvern PA, February 2019

Faculty Participant, Race Matters Institute Workshop on Increasing Equity in Student Advising, February 2019

Faculty Participant, Stir-Fry Seminar on Creating Community in a Diverse School Environment, November 2018

Faculty Partner (with Teaching and Learning Institute Student Consultant Partner, Cindy Chen), reflective pedagogy research, anonymous grading to enhance grading equity in large lab science courses, culminated in an Open Pedagogy Conversation *Anonymous Grading as a Potential Tool to Reduce Grading Bias* (December 6, 2018), Fall 2018

Participant, Gearing-Up Cycle-a-thon (faculty member of student/faculty team The Wheel Deal), to benefit women in transition from abuse, addiction, and/or incarceration, April 2018

Member (*participated from talks on while on leave*), Behavioral Neuroscientist Search Committee, Spring 2018

Member, Institutional Review Board, Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2018 - present

Faculty Participant, POSSE PLUS Retreat 2017 "*Us versus Them*," Desmond Hotel, Malvern PA, February 2017

Member, Interim Social Psychologist Search Committee, Bryn Mawr College, Spring 2017

Coordinator, *Last Friday Night... Pictures of Last Night Ended Up Online: Social Media and Alcohol Use* Presented by Dr. Dana Litt of University of Washington, Psychology Department Speaker Series, Bryn Mawr College, Sept. 28 2016

Panel Presenter, Teaching and Learning Institute, Aligning Assessment with Course Goals, Bryn Mawr College, Feb 2016, Oct 2016

Member, Committee on Endowed Lectures, Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2016 - Spring 2019  
Reviewer Flexner Lecture Candidates, January 2019

Panel Presenter, Students as Teachers and Learners at Bryn Mawr College: Using Student Consultants to Improve Your Teaching (chair: Alison Cook-Sather, PhD), Lafayette College, November 2015

Departmental Reviewer for the Institutional Review Board, Bryn Mawr College Psychology Department, Spring 2017, Fall 2016, Fall 2015, Fall 2014

Journal Club Founder and Coordinator, Psychology Department Summer Journal Club, Summer 2016, 2015

Member, Developmental Psychologist Search Committee, Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2015

Member, Sherman Fairchild Grant Brainstorming Group, Bryn Mawr College, Fall 2015

Faculty Partner, "Flipping the Library Classroom at Bryn Mawr College: A Pilot Project for Humanities and Social Science Information Literacy Instruction," awarded to Bryn Mawr College Information Services (project leads: Christine Boyland, Olivia Castello, Alex Pfundt, and Arleen Zimmerle), implementation and assessment conducted in Health Psychology, Fall 2014

→ Publication Castello, O., & Pfundt, A. (2017, May 4). Engaging learners through self-guided tutorials: Implementing and assessing a flipped classroom model for information literacy instruction. *The Journal of Creative Library Practice*. Retrieved from <http://creativelibrarypractice.org/2017/05/04/engaging-learners-through-self-guided-tutorials/>

Journal Club Coordinator, Cardiovascular Behavioral Medicine Journal Club, University of Pittsburgh, 2013 - 2014

Reviewer and Judge, University of Pittsburgh Department of Psychology Diversity Committee, Day of Diversity Poster Session, April 2014

## **Discipline**

Reviewer: *Health Psychology (2x)*, *Journal of Psychosomatic Research (2x)*, *Women and Health*, *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*, *Children*, *PLOS ONE*

Participant, Health Psychology for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, an Inaugural Meeting of Health Psychologists Teaching and Researching at Liberal Arts Colleges, an Alliance for the Advancement of Liberal Arts Colleges-funded meeting, Smith College, Northampton MA, June 2016

Graduate/Post-Doctoral Committee Representative, Social Personality and Health Network, 2012-2014  
Chaired committee of graduate and trainee representatives, served on SPHN leadership committee as liaison, lead SPHN organization's social media presence, organized and coordinated volunteers for SPHN scientific preconference at annual SPSP conference

Mentor and Discussant, The Liberal Arts Academic Job Search for Health Psychologists, Social Personality and Health Network Lunchtime Mentoring Session, February 2014

## **MEMBERSHIPS** (current and past)

Association for Psychological Sciences  
Society for the Teaching of Psychology  
Social Personality and Health Network  
Society of Personality and Social Psychology  
Society for the Scientific Study of Sexuality  
Society of Behavioral Medicine  
Eastern Psychological Association

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### **Research Assistant, Walter R. McDonald and Associates, 2008, Rockville MD**

Assessed and developed plans to improve a stigma-reduction program funded by a Department of Health grant using a variety of data analysis tools

Authored literature review analyzing evidence-based stigma-reduction interventions on HIV/AIDS epidemic, for use by National Minority AIDS Council

Presented scientific assessment of programs to contractors, project officers at HIV/AIDS Bureau of Department of Health, and stakeholders at Ryan White conference

### **Program Coordinator/Policy Analyst, Mental Health America/National Association of Mental Health Planning and Advisory Councils, 2005-2007, Alexandria VA**

Presented scientific standards of mental health interventions to diverse stakeholders (i.e., state government, business, citizens, and community members living with a mental health diagnosis)

Co-authored reports various mental health topics (e.g., rural mental health policy and evidence-based treatment) for system planning and implementation by state councils

Managed day-to-day operations including contracts (bidding, management and reporting), finances, meeting planning and facilitation, coalition campaigns, product orders, listserv, website, and intern supervision

Tracked and analyzed mental health legislation, assisted in on-site action planning for state advocates

## **COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERING**

Host and transitional support/companionship for an Iraqi family of 4 resettled in Philadelphia, HIAS, Spring 2017 - present

Volunteer Tutor for student pursuing a Diploma in Guidance and Counseling at the Kenya Institute of Professional Counseling, provided guidance on the student's master's thesis examining counselling interventions for police forces, Nairobi, Kenya, 2017 - 2018

Block litter reduction captain, Not In Philly, Fall 2018 - present