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Associate Professor, Department of Psychology: 2020 – present

Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology: 2012 – 2020

Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology: 2006 – 2012

DEGREES AWARDED**University of Minnesota**, Minneapolis, MN (Christopher J. Patrick, Adviser)

Ph.D. in Clinical Science and Psychopathology Research

Dissertation title: Embedding the postauricular reflex in a psychophysiological nomological network:

Construct validation of a putative measure of appetitive processing

Degree awarded: 2006/08/31

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (Christopher J. Patrick, Adviser)

M.A. in Psychology

Master's thesis: Fearlessness and underarousal in psychopathy: Startle blink modulation and electrodermal reactivity in a young adult male community sample

Degree awarded: 2004/03/31

Rice University, Houston, TX

B.A. in Psychology, Biology, and Religious Studies

Senior thesis: Effects of a novel mood priming tool on clinical measures of negative affect*Honors:* Graduated *cum laude*; Honors in Psychology

Degree awarded: 2000/05/13

EXTRAMURAL RESEARCH FUNDING**ONGOING****Misophonia Research Fund**

Grant title: "Misophonia and High-Level Auditory and Affective Processing in Adults and Children"

Project period: 2020/10/01 – 2023/09/30

Total costs: \$392,163

Role: Co-investigator

COMPLETED**American Physical Therapy Association, Acute Care Section Research Grant**

Grant title: "Patient Non-Treatment by Physical Therapy in the Acute Hospital Setting"

Project period: 2016/03/01 – 2016/12/31

Total costs: \$1,500

Role: Consultant

NIMH R21 Exploratory/Developmental Research Grant Award

Grant #: 1 R21 MH093692, "Modeling Hedonic Processing and Anhedonia in Depression"

Project period: 2012/02/01 – 2015/08/31

Direct costs: \$275,000

Role: Principal investigator

NIMH R21 Exploratory/Developmental Research Grant Award

Grant #: 1 R21 MH085254, "Emotion-Modulated Psychophysiology of Autism Spectrum Disorders"

Project period: 2009/08/01 – 2012/06/30

Total direct costs: \$275,000

Role: Principal investigator (with Gabriel Dichter)

NIMH F31 National Research Service Award

Grant #: 1 F31 MH070104-01, "Emotional Modulation of the Post-Auricular Reflex"

Project period: 2004/09/01 – 2005/08/31

Direct costs: \$31,411

Role: Principal investigator

NIMH T32 Institutional Training Grant

Grant #: MH17069-21

Project period: 2002/09/01 – 2003/08/31

Direct costs: \$18,250

Role: Trainee

NIMH T32 Institutional Training Grant

Grant #: MH17069-19

Project period: 2001/09/01 – 2002/08/31

Direct costs: \$16,500

Role: Trainee

INTRAMURAL RESEARCH FUNDING**COMPLETED****University of Nevada, Las Vegas**

Faculty Opportunity Award, "Effects of Psychopathic Traits on Social Networks and on Social Support during Stress"

Project period: 2016/07/01 – 2018/12/01

Total costs: \$19,800

Role: Principal investigator

Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

University Central Discovery Grant, "The Interpersonal Emotional Reactivity of Individuals with Psychopathic

Traits and Their Observers”

Project period: 2008/05/01 – 2011/06/30

Total costs: \$25,000/year (\$50,000 total)

Role: Principal investigator

Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

University Central Research Scholars Grant, “The Link between Perspective Taking and Deficient Empathy in Psychopathy”

Project period: 2009/06/01 – 2009/08/10

Total costs: \$5,000

Role: Faculty supervisor of Michael A. Bradshaw

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

College of Liberal Arts: Graduate Research Partnership Program award, “Phenotypic and Biometric Analysis of Relations between Personality Indices of Psychopathy and Emotion-Modulated Startle”

Project period: 2002/05/15 – 2002/08/15

Role: Principal investigator

Direct costs: \$5,460

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

Graduate School Block Grant Fellowship

Project period: 2000/09/01 – 2001/05/31

Role: Trainee

Total costs: \$8,250

AWARDS

Walk-In Counseling Center, Minneapolis, MN

Volunteer Service Award, 2004/05

Society for Psychophysiological Research, Chicago, IL

Student Poster Award, 2003/11

Poster title: “Emotion-modulated startle in community males with psychopathic traits”

Rice University, Houston, TX

Howell Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Research, 2000/05

Rice University, Houston, TX

National Merit Scholar, 1996 Fall – 2000 Spring

ARTICLES IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

(underline = supervised student author)

1. Baggio, M. C., & **Benning, S. D.** (2022). The influence of psychopathic traits and strategic harshness on point gain and cooperation rate in the Prisoner’s Dilemma. *Personality and Individual Differences.*, 186(B), 111344. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.paid.2021.111344> Available at <https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/gahxj>
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6. Patrick, C. J., ..., **Benning, S. D.**, ... & Krueger, R. F. (2021). Latent variable modeling of item-based factor scales. *Personality Disorders: Theory, Research, and Treatment*, 12(1), 16-23. <https://doi.org/10.1037/per0000424> PMID: 33001671
7. Racine, S. E., Suissa-Rochelleau, L., Martin, S. J., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021). Implicit and explicit motivational responses to high- and low-calorie food in women with disordered eating. *International Journal of Psychophysiology*, 159, 37-46. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijpsycho.2020.11.012> PMID: 33245920
8. Donohue, B., Gavrilova, Y., Galante, M., Burnstein, B., Aubertin, P., Gavrilova, E., Funk, A., Light, A., & **Benning, S. D.** (2020). Empirical development of a screening method for mental, social, and physical wellness in amateur and professional circus artists. *Psychology of Aesthetics, Creativity, and the Arts*, 14(3), 313-324. <https://doi.org/10.1037/aca0000199>
9. **Benning, S. D.**, & **Smith, E. A.** (2019). Forms, importance, and ineffability of factor interactions to define personality disorders. *Journal of Personality Disorders*, 33(5), 623-632. <https://doi.org/10.1521/pedi.2019.33.5.623> PMID: 31621540 Available at <https://psyarxiv.com/v8t7q/>
10. **Rozalski, V.**, & **Benning, S. D.** (2019). Divergences among three higher-order self-report psychopathology factors in normal-range personality and emotional late positive potential reactivity. *Journal of Research in Personality*, 82, 103861. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jrp.2019.103861> PMCID: PMC7449373 Available at <https://psyarxiv.com/muqz6/>
11. Suissa-Rochelleau, L., **Benning, S. D.**, & Racine, S. E. (2019). Associations between self-report and physiological measures of emotional reactions to food among women with disordered eating. *International Journal of Psychophysiology*, 143, 40-46. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijpsycho.2019.08.004> PMID: 31415796
12. **Benning, S. D.**, Bachrach, R. L., **Smith, E. A.**, Freeman, A. J., & Wright, A. G. C. (2019). The registration continuum in clinical science: A guide toward transparent practices. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, 128(6), 528-540. <https://doi.org/10.1037/abn0000451> PMCID: PMC6677163 Available at <https://psyarxiv.com/an8h3/>
13. Howard, T., Poston, B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2019). The neurocognitive process of deradicalization: A theoretical model and analytical framework. *Journal for Deradicalization*, 19, 122-148. <http://journals.sfu.ca/jd/index.php/jd/article/view/217>
14. Patrick, C. J., Kramer, M. D., Vaidyanathan, U., **Benning, S. D.**, Hicks, B. M., & Lilienfeld, S. O. (2019). Formulation of a measurement model for the boldness construct of psychopathy. *Psychological Assessment*, 31(5), 643-659. <https://doi.org/10.1037/pas0000690> PMID: 30730192
15. Racine, S. E., Horvath, S. A., Brassard, S. L., & **Benning, S. D.** (2019). Effort Expenditure for Rewards Task modified for food: A novel behavioral measure of willingness to work for food and associations with binge eating. *International Journal of Eating Disorders*, 52(1), 71-78. <https://doi.org/10.1002/eat.22999> PMID: 30597585
16. **Benning, S. D.**, **Molina, S. M.**, **Dowgwillo, E. A.**, Patrick, C. J., Miller, K. F., & Storrow, A. B. (2018). Psychopathy in the medical emergency department. *Journal of Personality Disorders*, 32(4), 482-496. https://doi.org/10.1521/pedi_2017_31_308 PMID: 28910216
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- 2(3), 168-171. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41562-018-0311-x>
18. Racine, S. E.,* Hebert, K. R.,* & **Benning, S. D.** (2018). Emotional reactivity and appraisal of food in relation to eating disorder cognitions and behaviours: Evidence to support the motivational conflict hypothesis. *European Eating Disorders Review*, 26(1), 3-10. <https://doi.org/10.1002/erv.2567> PMID: [29105204](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/29105204/) * = co-first author
 19. **Benning, S. D.**, & Freeman, A. J. (2017). The Multidimensional Personality Questionnaire's inconsistency scales identify invalid profiles through internal statistics and external correlates. *Psychological Assessment*, 26(12), 1531-1536. <https://doi.org/10.1037/pas0000452> PMID: [28263643](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/28263643/)
 20. **Benning, S. D.**, & Ait Oumeziane, B. (2017). Reduced positive emotionality and underarousal are uniquely associated with subclinical depression symptoms: Evidence from psychophysiology, self-report, and symptom clusters. *Psychophysiology*, 54(7), 1010-1030. <https://doi.org/10.1111/psyp.12853> PMID: [PMC5493475](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/PMC5493475/)
 21. **Aaron, R. V.**, & **Benning, S. D.** (2016). Postauricular reflexes elicited by soft acoustic clicks and loud noise probes: Reliability, prepulse facilitation, and sensitivity to picture contents. *Psychophysiology*, 53(12), 1900-1908. <https://doi.org/10.1111/psyp.12757> PMID: [27596354](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/27596354/)
 22. Wagenmakers, E.-J., Beek, T., Dijkhoff, L., Gronau, Q. F., Acosta, A., Adams, R. B., Jr., Albohn, D. N., Allard, E. S., **Benning, S. D.**, ... **Carfagno, N. S.**, ... **Nance, C. N.**, ... , Zwaan, R. A. (2016). Registered Replication Report: Strack, Martin, & Stepper (1988). *Perspectives on Psychological Science*, 11(6), 917-928. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1745691616674458> PMID: [27784749](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/27784749/)
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 24. Donohue, B., Pitts, M., Chow, G. M., **Benning, S. D.**, Soto-Nevarez, A., Plant, C. P., & Allen, D. N. (2016). Development and initial psychometric examination of the Home Safety and Beautification Assessment in mothers identified to neglect their children and abuse illicit drugs. *Psychological Assessment*, 28(5), 523-538. <https://doi.org/10.1037/pas0000197> PMID: [PMC4775469](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/PMC4775469/)
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 26. **Heritage, A. J.**, & **Benning, S. D.** (2013). Impulsivity and response modulation deficits in psychopathy: Evidence from the ERN and N1. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, 122(1), 215-222. <https://doi.org/10.1037/a0030039> PMID: [22985014](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/22985014/)
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 30. Buckholtz, J. W., Treadway, M. T., Cowan, R., Woodward, N. D., **Benning, S. D.**, Li, R., Ansari, M. S., Baldwin, R. M., Schwartzman, A. N., Shelby, E. S., Smith, C. E., Cole, D., Kessler, R. M., & Zald, D. H. (2010). Mesolimbic dopamine reward system hypersensitivity in individuals with psychopathic traits. *Nature Neuroscience*, 13(4), 429-431. <https://doi.org/10.1038/nn.2510> PMID: [PMC2916168](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/PMC2916168/)
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TESTS

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COMPUTER PROGRAMS

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MANUSCRIPTS IN PROGRESS

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- Becker Wright, M. L., Ahmed, A. O., Barchard, K. A., **Benning, S. D.**, John, S. E., & Allen, D. N. (2021). *Latent structure of cognitive tests is invariant in men and women with schizophrenia*. [Manuscript submitted for publication]. Department of Psychology, University of Nevada, Las Vegas.
- Oliver, T. L., Lanti, A., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021). *Why college women and men refrain from sex despite desire*. PsyArxiv. <https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/gyxs2>
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Preprints

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INVITED COLLOQUIA AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Ohio University, Athens, OH (February 5, 2016). Title: The psychopathic circumplex: Cognitive, affective, behavioral, and interpersonal correlates of fearless dominance and impulsive antisociality.

Rice University, Houston, TX (March 23, 2007). Title: Development of a two-factor model of psychopathy in the community.

1. **Benning, S. D.**, & Molina, S. M. (2021, May). A friendly touch supports, a cold touch frightens: Social support during instructed fear of shock. *Psychophysiology*, *58*, S30.
2. **Benning, S. D.**, & Molina, S. M. (2021, May). A friendly touch relieves, a cold touch frightens: Social support during instructed fear of shock. Blitz talk presentation at the 2021 virtual convention of the Association for Psychological Science.
3. **Benning, S. D.**, Ait Oumeziane, B., & Molina, S. M. (2019). The postauricular reflex diagnoses anhedonia (but not depression) comparably to self-reported consummatory pleasure. *Psychophysiology*, *56*, S19.
4. **Benning, S. D.**, Molina, S. M., Wrenn, K. H., & Mraz, A. L. (2019). Mean feats: Construct validities of the Meanness in Psychopathy – Self-Report factors. Oral paper presentation at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
5. **Benning, S. D.**, Barchard, K. A., Westfall, R. S., Molina, S. M., & Brouwers, V. P. (2017). What does it mean to be mean? Malice, Coldness, and Imperviousness in the Inventory of Psychopathic Meanness. Oral paper presentation at the 7th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Antwerp, Belgium.
6. **Benning, S. D.** (2015). Psychopathy and physiological responses to risk-taking. Oral paper presentation at the 6th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Chicago, IL.
7. **Benning, S. D.** (2015). Psychopathy and physiological responses to risk-taking. Symposium presentation at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
8. **Benning, S. D.**, & Dowgwillo, E. A. (2013). Speech characteristics mediate the relationships of psychopathic traits with interpersonal presentation and observer emotion. Oral paper presentation at the 5th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Washington, DC.
9. **Benning, S. D.**, Benson, T. L., Aaron, R. V., Nichols, H. S., & Park, S. (2012). Blunted emotional processing in patients with negative symptoms of schizophrenia. *Psychophysiology*, *49*, S13.
10. **Benning, S. D.** (2011). The postauricular reflex as a measure of anhedonia in depression within internalizing psychopathology. Symposium presentation at the 25th biennial meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology: Boston, MA.
11. **Benning, S. D.** (2011). Clinical utility of the postauricular reflex as a measure of positive emotion in psychopathology. *Psychophysiology*, *48*, S11.
12. **Benning, S. D.**, & Wilson, G. H. (2011, May). Reduced processing of fearful and angry faces in fearless dominance. Symposium presentation at the 4th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Montreal, Quebec.
13. **Benning, S. D.**, & Quevedo, K. M. (2009, April). Fearless dominance and impulsive antisociality in adolescents. Symposium presentation at the 3rd biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: New Orleans, LA.
14. **Benning, S. D.**, & Patrick, C. J. (2007, April). The psychophysiology of fearless dominance: Effects of stimulus modality and participant gender. Symposium presentation at the 2nd biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: St. Pete Beach, FL.
15. **Benning, S. D.**, Ross, S. R., & Patrick, C. J. (2005, July). Bridging psychopathic and normal-range personality dimensions. Symposium presentation at the 1st biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Vancouver, BC.
16. **Benning, S. D.**, Bernat, E. M., Starr, M. J., Gewirtz, J. C., & Patrick, C. J. (2004). Post-auricular reflex potentiation during relief stimuli in differential aversive conditioning: A construct validation study. *Psychophysiology*, *41*, S3-S4.

17. **Benning, S. D.**, Patrick, C. J., Malone, S. M., Bernat, E. M., & Iacono, W. G. (2002). Psychopathy and emotion-modulated startle in a young adult community sample. *Psychophysiology*, *39*, S5.

CONFERENCE SYMPOSIA

1. **Benning, S. D.** (2011). Clinical psychophysiology of positive emotionality. *Psychophysiology*, *48*, S11.
2. **Benning, S. D.** (2011). Reduced emotionality in fearless and unemotional facets of psychopathy: Evidence from behavior, psychophysiology, and neuroimaging. Symposium presented at the 4th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Montreal, Quebec.
3. Patrick, C. J., & **Benning, S. D.** (2004). Emotional modulation of the post-auricular reflex. *Psychophysiology*, *41*, S3-S4.

CONFERENCE POSTERS

1. Fisher, A., Phillips, E., Carfagno, N. C., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021, May). *Individuals high in psychopathic meanness do not lack ability emotional intelligence*. Poster presented at the 2021 virtual convention of the Association for Psychological Science.
2. Islas, B. S., Baggio, M. C., Wrenn, K. H., Paul, N. B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021, May). *Utilitarianism relates positively to willingness to sacrifice others; disgust sensitivity and absorption relate negatively*. Poster presented at the 2021 virtual convention of the Association for Psychological Science.
3. Dennis, S. J., Poston, A. M., Fobian, K., Wrenn, K. H., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021, May). *The complex relationship between meanness in psychopathy and emotional intelligence*. Poster presented at the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy's virtual Early Career Event.
4. Fisher, A. F., Phillips, E., Carfagno, N. C., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021, May). *Meanness and sacrificial moral decision making*. Poster presented at the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy's virtual Early Career Event.
5. Odrunia, K. S., Wrenn, K. H., Paul, N. B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021, May). *Meanness in psychopathy and its relationship to theory of mind*. Poster presented at the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy's virtual Early Career Event.
6. Phillips, E., Carfagno, N. C., Kourtesi, D., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021, May). *Psychopathy and emotional intelligence: Can we understand what we cannot feel?* Poster presented at the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy's virtual Early Career Event.
7. Smith, E. J., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021, May). *Validation of the Meanness in Psychopathy – Super-Short Form (MiP-SSF)*. Poster presented at the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy's virtual Early Career Event.
8. Wrenn, K. H., & **Benning, S. D.** (2021, May). *Romantic attachment of the Dark Tetrad*. Poster presented at the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy's virtual Early Career Event.
9. Dennis, S. J., Kourtesi, D., Carfagno, N. C., & **Benning, S. D.** (2020, November). *Examining relationships between normal-range personality traits and meanness in psychopathy*. Poster presented at the Nevada Psychological Association 29th Annual Conference, in Las Vegas, NV.
10. Odrunia, K. S., Wrenn, K. H., Paul, N. B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2020, November). *The role of first-order cognitive theory of mind in moral decision making*. Poster presented at the Nevada Psychological Association 29th Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV. **Third place poster award.**
11. Phillips, E., Carfagno, N. C., Kourtesi, D., & **Benning, S. D.** (2020, November). *Examining relationships between trait emotional intelligence and factors of psychopathy*. Poster presented at the Nevada Psychological Association 29th Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
12. Wrenn, K. H., Paul, N. B., Favela, S., Odrunia, K. S., & **Benning, S. D.** (2020, October). *Dark Tetrad responses to Moral Dilemmas*. Poster presented at the centennial meeting of the Western Psychological Association, in San Francisco, CA.
13. Baggio, M. C., Poston, A. M., Vazquez, R. K., & **Benning, S. D.** (2019). *Interpersonally-measured and self-reported psychopathy factors' effects on event-related potentials during face processing*. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
14. Baggio, M. C., Vazquez, R. K., Poston, A. M., & **Benning, S. D.** (2019). *Interpersonal factors of psychopathy and vocal characteristics during speeches*. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV. **Finalist for Cheryl Wynne Hare student award.**
15. Bergquist, B., Sodipe, D., **Benning, S. D.**, & Schmidt, A. T. (2019). *Convergent and divergent validity of the Meanness in Psychopathy – Self Report with prosociality*. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
16. Fisher, A., Melgarejo, E. O., & **Benning, S. D.** (2019). *Empathy and early maladaptive schemas partially mediate the relationship between psychopathy and attitudes toward others*. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
17. Fisher, A., Smith, E. J., Poston, A. M., & **Benning, S. D.** (2019). *Psychopathic meanness and interpersonal perception in friendships*. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
18. Islas, B. S., Mann, B. A., Baggio, M. C., & **Benning, S. D.** (2019). *Psychopathy traits and interpersonally rated traits in friend*

- dyads. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
19. Molina, S. M., & Benning, S. D. (2019). The relationship between psychopathic meanness and forms of behavioral aggression. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
 20. Mraz, A. L., Favela, S., & Benning, S. D. (2019). Malice in meanness is negatively associated with real-world generosity after a mass shooting. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
 21. Poston, A. M., Baggio, M. C., & Benning, S. D. (2019). Interpersonal perceptions of psychopathy during social speeches and the effect on emotional reactivity. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
 22. Smith, E. J., Baggio, M. C., Pedregon, C., & Benning, S. D. (2019). A cold, fearful touch: Social support and psychopathic meanness. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
 23. Smith, E. J., & Benning, S. D. (2019). The Assessment of Physical Risk Taking: Associations with risk perception and psychopathy. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
 24. Wrenn, K. H., Mann, B. A., Islas, B. S., & Benning, S. D. (2019). Correlations between Dark Tetrad traits and factors of meanness in psychopathy. Poster presented at the 8th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Las Vegas, NV.
 25. Benning, S. D., & Molina, S. M. (2018). The postauricular reflex measures positive emotion, not (angry) approach. *Psychophysiology*, 55, S54.
 26. Racine, S., Suissa-Rochelleau, L., & Benning, S. D. (2018). Implicit and explicit motivational responses to high- and low-calorie food in women with disordered eating. *Psychophysiology*, 55, S50.
 27. Carfagno, N. C., McIntyre, G. R., & Benning, S. D. (2018). A case for depressive realism: Nonmonotonicity in absolute and relative reward preferences. Poster presented at the Nevada Psychological Association 27th Annual Convention, Las Vegas, NV.
 28. Mann, B. A., Joy, K., Mraz, A. L., & Benning, S. D. (2018, May). Association of post-traumatic stress and conspiratorial beliefs in the aftermath of Route 91. Poster presented at the Nevada Psychological Association 27th Annual Convention, Las Vegas, NV.
 29. Mraz, A. L., McIntire, G. R., Urquilla, E. C., & Benning, S. D. (2018, May). Impacts of the Route 91 mass shooting on post-traumatic stress, depression, and well-being. Poster presented at the Nevada Psychological Association 27th Annual Convention, Las Vegas, NV. Received third place.
 30. Benning, S. D., Pierce, M. E., & Molina, S. M. (2017). Postauricular reflex potentiation during tonic social support and phasic relief from shock. *Psychophysiology*, 54, S116.
 31. Molina, S. M., Pierce, M. E., & Benning, S. D. (2017). Psychopathic meanness and emotional processing deficits within the context of a social support task. *Psychophysiology*, 54, S97.
 32. Baggio, M. C., & Benning, S. D. (2017). The influence of psychopathic traits on scores and behavior in the prisoner's dilemma. Poster presented at the 7th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Antwerp, Belgium.
 33. Baggio, M. C., & Benning, S. D. (2016). Event-related potentials during face processing of interpersonal psychopathy factors. *Psychophysiology*, 53, S46.
 34. Benning, S. D., & Aaron, R. V. (2016). Click-elicited postauricular reflexes are sensitive to picture content but not individual differences. Poster presented at the 56th annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research: Minneapolis, MN.
 35. Molina, S. M., & Benning, S. D. (2016). Postauricular and startle blink reflexes capture anticipatory and consummatory emotional deficits in psychopathy. *Psychophysiology*, 53, S70.
 36. Benning, S. D., & Mercado, K. (2015). Consummatory and anticipatory emotional deficits in depression. *Psychophysiology*, 52, S101.
 37. Lapping-Carr, L., Oliver, T. L., Duckro, A., & Benning, S. D. (2015). Central and reflexive measures of reactivity to human and primate erotica. *Psychophysiology*, 52, S40.
 38. Molina, S. M., & Benning, S. D. (2015). Psychopathy factors, postauricular and startle blink reflexes during emotional pictures and sounds. *Psychophysiology*, 52, S40.
 39. Benning, S. D., Barchard, K. A., Westfall, R. S., & Brouwers, V. (2015). Factor structure of the Inventory of Psychopathic Meanness. Poster presented at the 6th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Chicago, IL.
 40. Molina, S. M., Barchard, K. A., Brouwers, V., Westfall, R. S., & Benning, S. D. (2015). Convergent validity of the Inventory of Psychopathic Meanness. Poster presented at the 6th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Chicago, IL.
 41. Molina, S. M., Pierce, M. E., & Benning, S. D. (2015). Relationships between psychopathy and friendships, personality, education, and health behaviors. Poster presented at the 6th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Chicago, IL.
 42. Benning, S. D., Westfall, R. S., Barchard, K. A., & Brouwers, V. (2015). The Intermediate Psychopathy Measure: Factor structure and criterion-related validity. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
 43. Carfagno, N., & Benning, S. D. (2015). Overvaluation of relative and absolute rewards involving decimals. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
 44. Duckro, A. P., & Benning, S. D. (2015). Psychopathic traits and the ultimatum game: Asymmetries in proposing and deciding. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
 45. Greenman, M. O., & Benning, S. D. (2015). Effects of loss, gain, and delay on simulated physical risk taking. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.

46. Isom, J., & **Benning, S. D.** (2015). Orthogonal internalizing and externalizing factors of psychopathology in self-reports. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
47. Mercado, K., Ait Oumeziane, B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2015). State-level personality profiles and financial outcomes, health, and education. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
48. Mercado, K., & **Benning, S. D.** (2015). Modeling hedonic processing and anhedonia in depression. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
49. Molina, S. M., Pierce, M. E., & **Benning, S. D.** (2015). Relationships between psychopathy and friendships, personality, education, and health behaviors. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
50. Molina, S. M., Ait Oumeziane, B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2015). Postauricular and startle blink reflexes assess consummatory but not anticipatory emotional processing. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
51. Schubert, K. N., Molina, S. M., & **Benning, S. D.** (2015). Associations between factors of psychopathy, demographics, externalizing, impulsivity, and sensation seeking. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
52. Schubert, K. N., Molina, S. M., & **Benning, S. D.** (2015). The association between factors of psychopathy and risk taking and risk perception. Poster presented at the 95th annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
53. Ait Oumeziane, B., Molina, S. M., & **Benning, S. D.** (2014). ERPs assess consummatory but not anticipatory emotional visual attention. *Psychophysiology*, 51, S15.
54. **Benning, S. D.**, & Powell, G. (2014). Effects of harm, probability, numeracy, and psychopathy on arousal during risk judgments. *Psychophysiology*, 51, S15.
55. Molina, S. M., Ait Oumeziane, B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2014). Postauricular and startle blink reflexes assess consummatory but not anticipatory emotional processing. *Psychophysiology*, 51, S15.
56. Ait Oumeziane, B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2013). Reduced positive emotionality underpins subclinical depression: Evidence from psychophysiology, self-report, and symptom clusters. *Psychophysiology*, 50, S100.
57. **Benning, S. D.**, Heritage, A. J., & Kelly, L. A. (2013). I don't care if I die: Psychopathic traits and ERP measures of risk taking. *Psychophysiology*, 50, S100.
58. Heritage, A. J., & **Benning, S. D.** (2013, June). Stimulus processing and stop signal performance in fearless dominance and impulsive antisociality. Poster presented at the 5th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Washington, DC.
59. Heritage, A. J., Kelly, L. E., & **Benning, S. D.** (2013, June). Preferential relationships among fearless dominance, impulsive antisociality, and risky behavior. Poster presented at the 5th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Washington, DC.
60. Mikulich, S. E., Dowgwillo, E. A., Miller, K. F., Storrow, A. B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2013, June). Psychopathy in the emergency room: Reasons for admission, demographics, medication, and comparisons with incarcerated samples. Poster presented at the 5th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Washington, DC.
61. Mercado, K., Ait Oumeziane, B., & **Benning, S. D.** (2013, May). State-level links among Big Five personality dimensions, financial outcomes, and health coverage. Poster presented at the annual meeting of Nevada Psychological Association: Las Vegas, NV.
62. **Benning, S. D.**, Sabatino, A., Franklin, J. C., Sasson, N. J., Bodfish, J. W., & Dichter, G. S. (2012). Startle blink modulation during circumscribed interest and face stimuli in autism spectrum disorder. *Psychophysiology*, 49, S50.
63. Heritage, A. J., & **Benning, S. D.** (2012). Differential stimulus processing and stop signal task performance in fearless dominance & impulsive antisociality. *Psychophysiology*, 49, S50.
64. Aaron, R. V., Marks, L. A., & **Benning, S. D.** (2011). Emotion modulation of the postauricular and blink reflexes in response to noise probes and low intensity clicks. *Psychophysiology*, 48, S45.
65. **Benning, S. D.**, Marks, L. A., & McClure, E. W. (2011). Fearless dominance, impulsive antisociality, and ERPs to emotional pictures and sounds. *Psychophysiology*, 48, S46.
66. Heritage, A. J., & **Benning, S. D.** (2011). Response modulation deficits in impulsive antisociality: Evidence from the ERN and N1. *Psychophysiology*, 48, S45.
67. Aaron, R. V., Dowgwillo, E. A., & **Benning, S. D.** (2011, May). Interpersonal deficits associated with psychopathic traits in the ultimatum game. Poster presented at the 4th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Montreal, Quebec.
68. **Benning, S. D.**, Bradshaw, M. A., Wilson, G. H., Thakkar, K. N., & Park, S. (2011, May). Psychopathy and deficits in empathy and social processing. Poster presented at the 4th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Montreal, Quebec.
69. Heritage, A. J., & **Benning, S. D.** (2011, May). Impulsive antisociality and a lexical decision stop signal task: ERN and N1 indicate deficits in response modulation and error processing. Poster presented at the 4th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Montreal, Quebec.
70. Wilson, G. H., & **Benning, S. D.** (2011, May). Facial emotion recognition and processing in fearless dominance and impulsive antisociality. Poster presented at the 4th biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Montreal, Quebec.
71. **Benning, S. D.**, & Malone, M. M. (2010). The limits of fear in fearless dominance: Evidence from the emotional dot probe. *Psychophysiology*, 47, S80.

72. **Benning, S. D.**, Ray, R. D., Armstrong, T. A., & Zald, D. H. (2010). Neural correlates of appetitive postauricular reflex potentiation. *Psychophysiology*, *42*, S104.
73. **Benning, S. D.** (2009). Reduced appetitive postauricular reflex potentiation in depressed undergraduates. *Psychophysiology*, *46*, S103.
74. Malone, M. M., & **Benning, S. D.** (2009). The influence of trait absorption on emotional picture and acoustic startle processing: Evidence from ERPs. *Psychophysiology*, *46*, S103.
75. Thompson, V. R., Stevens, S., & **Benning, S. D.** (2009). Testing basic assumptions of the concealed information test. *Psychophysiology*, *46*, S102.
76. Buckholtz, J. W., Treadway, M. T., McHugo, M., **Benning, S. D.**, & Zald, D. H. (2008, November). Trait psychopathy is associated with alterations in mesolimbic dopamine circuitry for reward and motivation. Poster presented at the 38th annual meeting of the Society for Neuroscience: Washington, DC.
77. **Benning, S. D.**, Quevedo, K. M., Dahl, R. E., & Gunnar, M. R. (2007). Effects of personality traits on startle blink and postauricular reflex modulation in adolescents. *Psychophysiology*, *44*, S23.
78. Quevedo, K. M., **Benning, S. D.**, Dahl, R. E., & Gunnar, M. R., (2007). The onset of puberty: Effects on the psychophysiology of emotion processing and motivation. *Psychophysiology*, *44*, S22.
79. **Benning, S. D.**, & Patrick, C. J. (2006). Embedding the postauricular reflex in a nomological network of emotion. *Psychophysiology*, *43*, S23.
80. **Benning, S. D.**, & Patrick, C. J. (2006). Emotional modulation of the anterior, superior, and postauricular reflexes. *Psychophysiology*, *43*, S23.
81. **Benning, S. D.**, Larson, B. M., & Patrick, C. J. (2005, July). Criterion validity of the four-factor structure of the Psychopathy Checklist - Revised. Poster presented at the 1st biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Vancouver, BC.
82. **Benning, S. D.**, Patrick, C. J., Salekin, R. T., & Leistico, A.-M. R. (2005, July). Convergent and discriminant validity of psychopathy factors assessed via self-report. Poster presented at the 1st biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy: Vancouver, BC.
83. Vizueta, N., Bernat, E. M., Hirai, R., **Benning, S. D.**, He, S., & Patrick, C. J. (2005). Examining the effects of emotion on attention using binocular rivalry. *Journal of Cognitive Neuroscience*, *17*, S154-S155.
84. Bernat, E. M., Patrick, C. J., Hall, J. R., Steffen, B. V., Venables, N. C., & **Benning, S. D.** (2004). Emotional post-auricular reflex modulation in community and incarcerated males. *Psychophysiology*, *41*, S3.
85. Patrick, C. J., **Benning, S. D.**, & Bradley, M. M. (2004). Psychopathy, trait fearlessness, and startle potentiation. *Psychophysiology*, *41*, S24.
86. Ward, M. R., **Benning, S. D.**, & Patrick, C. J. (2004, March). Estimating psychopathy facets from normal personality in female offenders: Criterion related validity. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology and Law Society: Scottsdale, AZ.
87. **Benning, S. D.**, Patrick, C. J., Malone, S. M., Bernat, E. M., & Iacono, W. G. (2003). Emotion-modulated startle in community males with psychopathic traits. *Psychophysiology*, *40*, S25.
88. Starr, M. J., Bernat, E. M., **Benning, S. D.**, Steffen, B. J., Patrick, C. J., & Gewirtz, J. C. (2003). Facilitory effects of awareness on differential delay fear conditioning. *Psychophysiology*, *40*, S83.
89. **Benning, S. D.**, Patrick, C. J., Blonigen, D. M., Hicks, B. M., & Iacono, W. G. (2003, July). Estimating facets of psychopathy from normal personality traits: Validation in community and incarcerated samples. Poster presented at the Developmental and Neuroscience Perspectives on Psychopathy conference, University of Wisconsin: Madison, WI.
90. **Benning, S. D.**, Patrick, C. J., Malone, S. M., Bernat, E. M., & Iacono, W. G. (2003, July). Facets of psychopathy, startle blink modulation, and skin conductance magnitudes in young adult community males. Poster presented at the Developmental and Neuroscience Perspectives on Psychopathy conference, University of Wisconsin: Madison, WI.
91. Hall, J. R., **Benning, S. D.**, & Patrick, C. J. (2003, July). Three's company: Evidence for the validity of a three-factor model of psychopathy. Poster presented at the Developmental and Neuroscience Perspectives on Psychopathy conference, University of Wisconsin: Madison, WI.
92. **Benning, S. D.**, Patrick, C. J., Hicks, B. M., Blonigen, D. M., & Krueger, R. F. (2003, May). Two-factor structure of the Psychopathic Personality Inventory: Development and criterion validation. Poster presented at the 15th annual meeting of the American Psychological Society: Atlanta, GA.
93. Ward, M. R., **Benning, S. D.**, & Patrick, C. J. (2003, May). Estimating facets of psychopathy from normal personality traits: A validation study with female offenders. Poster presented at the 15th annual meeting of the American Psychological Society: Atlanta, GA.
94. Bernat, E. M., Patrick, C. J., Cadwallader, M., van Mersbergen, M., & **Benning, S. D.** (2003, April). Affective orienting responses: A novelty P3 study with emotional pictures. Poster presented at the 10th annual meeting of the Cognitive Neuroscience Society: New York, NY.
95. Bernat, E. M., Patrick, C. J., **Benning, S. D.**, Hicks, B. M., & Blonigen, D. M. (2002). Parsing effects of affective stimulus content on startle reflex modulation in men. *Psychophysiology*, *39*, S21.
96. **Benning, S. D.**, Hicks, B., Blonigen, D., Lang, A. R., & Patrick, C. J. (2001). Affective modulation of blink startle and post-auricular reflexes to noise probes. *Psychophysiology*, *38*, S24.
97. Bernat, E. M., Patrick, C. J., **Benning, S. D.**, & Amrhein, C. J. (2001). ERP concomitants of startle blink responses. *Psychophysiology*, *38*, S26.
98. **Benning, S. D.**, Patrick, C. J., Hicks, B., & Blonigen, D. (2001, May). Modulation of acoustic blink and post-auricular startle

amplitude by slide valence and content. Poster presented at the Mind and Emotion conference, University of Minnesota: Minneapolis, MN.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

FACULTY INSTRUCTOR EXPERIENCE

University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Psy 435: Personality (2012 Fall – 2017 Fall; 2013 Spring)
 Psy 716: Assessment of Adults (2013 Spring – 2019 Spring)
 Psy 724: Assessment II: Personality and Psychopathology (2020 Spring)
 Psy 736: Psychopathology (2018 Fall – 2021 Fall)

Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

Psy 360: Clinical Science Seminar (2007 Spring, 2012 Spring)
 Psy 312: Psychological Assessment (2008 Fall – 2010 Fall, 2012 Spring)
 Psy 209: Quantitative Methods (2008 Spring, 2008 Fall, 2009 Fall, 2011 Spring, 2011 Fall)
 Psy 115F-10: Consciousness and the Unconscious (2007 Fall)

GRADUATE AND UNDERGRADUATE EXPERIENCE

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

Instructor: Psy 3960, The Psychology of Consciousness and the Unconscious (Summer 2004)
Teaching Assistant: Psy 3604, Abnormal Psychology (William M. Grove, Fall 2000; James N. Butcher, Spring 2001)
Guest Lecturer: Psy 1910W, Psychopaths and Serial Killers (Christopher J. Patrick, 2003 Fall); Psy 3617, Introduction to Clinical Psychology (Jan Kamphuis; 2003 Fall); Psy 8112, Psychopathology II (Christopher J. Patrick, 2005 Spring)

Rice University, Houston, TX

Teaching Assistant: Psyc 332, Abnormal Behavior (Sarah A. Burnett, 2000 Spring)

MENTORING

Awards in support of student research

Research Training Fellowship, Society for Psychophysiological Research (2017-2018)
 Provided \$1924 for Ann Haynos to visit my lab to train on the postauricular reflex and for me to visit her lab to troubleshoot her psychophysiological setup at the University of Minnesota – Twin Cities.
 Doctoral Graduate Research Assistantship, University of Nevada, Las Vegas (2014-2017)
 Provided 3 years of support for doctoral student education.

Doctoral committees

1. Arianne Fisher (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
 Proposed: 2021/09/30. Role: Chair
 Title: The Relationship between Psychopathy and Sexism across Self-Report, Vignette, and Novel Dialogue Tree Tasks
2. Edward A. Smith (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
 Proposed: 2020/11/02. Role: Chair
 Title: The Cyliandroplex of Psychopathology
3. Megan M. Shope (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
 Proposed: 2020/09/25. Role: Chair
 Title: An In-Depth Examination of the Literature on Early Pubertal Timing and Disordered Eating in Women and Girls: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis

4. Kayli H. Wrenn (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2020/09/18. Role: Chair.
Title: Romantic Attachment of the Dark Tetrad
5. Nicholas S. Carfagno (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2018/09/28. Defended: 2020/07/17. Role: Chair
Title: The Factor Structures of Ability and Trait Emotional Intelligences Relative to General Intelligence and Personality
6. Mary Baggio (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2019/09/20. Defended: 2020/07/15. Role: Chair
Title: What They Say and How They Say It: The Effects of Linguistic and Acoustic Speech Characteristics on Persuasion and Interpersonal Perception of Psychopathic Traits
7. Kimberly N. Schubert (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2015/12/03. Defended: 2018/05/29. Role: Chair
Title: Evaluation of a Brief “Surf the Urge” Intervention
8. Stephany M. Molina (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2017/04/17. Defended: 2018/05/15. Role: Chair
Title: Validating Empathy as Captured by the Inventory of Psychopathic Meanness
9. Vincent Rozalski (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2016/09/30. Defended: 2018/03/22. Role: Chair
Title: The Structure of Psychopathology and Its Relationship to Personality and EEG
10. Meghan E. Pierce (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2016/09/16. Defended 2017/04/07. Role: Chair
Title: The Psychophysiological Correlates of Personality, Trauma, Posttraumatic Stress Disorder, and Social Support
11. Sarah Zvonar (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2019/12/10. Role: Graduate college representative
Title: Fear of Future Cardiac Events After an Acute Myocardial Infarction and Self-Regulation
12. Megan Becker (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2019/10/03. Role: Committee member
Title: Stability of Neurocognitive Abilities in Heterogeneous Groups of Schizophrenia
13. Breanna Garcia (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2019/09/30. Role: Committee member
Title: Attention Bias in Irritability: A Social Information Processing Perspective
14. Liya Akoury (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2016/09/16. Defended: 2019/04/08. Role: Committee member
Title: Disordered Eating in Asian American Women: Sociocultural and Culture-Specific Predictors
15. Shane Westfall (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2016/11/16. Defended: 2018/03/23. Role: Committee member
Title: The Effects of Physical Attractiveness in the Health Care Industry
16. Kathleen Larson (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2016/05/04. Defended: 2017/03/31. Role: Committee member
Title: The Relationship between Mood and Implicit Learning
17. Kara Klingspon (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2015/09/21. Defended: 2017/03/27. Role: Committee member
Title: Development and Psychometric Validation of the Unfinished Business in Bereavement Scale
18. Michelle Pitts (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2015/09/10. Defended: 2016/05/11. Role: Committee member
Title: Alcohol Use and Alcohol-Related Consequences among Collegiate Softball Athletes: The Role of Drinking Motives
19. Dio Turner (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2013/09/24. Defended: 2015/11/18. Role: Committee member
Title: Does Exploring Inner Experience Affect Participants?
20. Chelcie Heaney (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2014/05/23. Defended: 2015/03/27. Role: Committee member
Title: A Comparison of the Effects of Different Doses of GABA_B Receptor Ligands on Spatial Learning and Memory And Memory Flexibility
21. Stephen Killingsworth (Vanderbilt University)
Proposed: 2011/09/29. Defended: 2012/06/18. Role: Committee member
Title: Object-Relevant Kinematics Influence Imitative Compatibility
22. Brian G. Essex (Vanderbilt University)
Proposed: 2010/01/26. Defended: 2011/08/22. Role: Committee member
Title: The Neural Mechanisms of Intertemporal and Risky Choice

Qualifying examination committees

1. Meghan E. Pierce (University of Nevada, Las Vegas): 2016/04/06. Role: Committee chair
2. Stephen Killingsworth (Vanderbilt University): 2011/09/29. Role: Committee member
Title: Representing Kinematics and Directionality in Object Concepts
3. Thomas R. Armstrong (Vanderbilt University): 2010/12/13. Role: Committee member
Title: The Eyes Have It! An Empirical and Methodological Review of Eye Tracking Studies of Attentional Biases in the Anxiety Disorders
4. Brian G. Essex (Vanderbilt University): 2008/10/13. Role: Committee member
Title: The Neural Coding of Utility

Master's thesis committees

1. A. Michelle Poston (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2021/08/27. Role: Chair
Title: Disentangling the Emotional and Behavioral Correlates of Instrumental and Reactive Aggression in the Competitive Reaction Time Game
2. Kayla Fobian (University of Nevada, Las Vegas).
Proposed: 2020/09/18. Defended: 2021/11/05. Role: Chair
Title: Family Functioning in Youth with Bipolar Disorder
3. Kayli H. Wrenn (University of Nevada, Las Vegas).
Proposed: 2019/10/22. Defended: 2020/01/17. Role: Chair
Title: Dark Tetrad Responses to Moral Dilemmas
4. Edward A. Smith (University of Nevada, Las Vegas).
Proposed: 2018/11/05. Defended: 2019/04/12. Role: Chair
Title: Assessing Factors of Physical Risk-Taking in a Novel Behavioral Measure
5. Mary C. Baggio (University of Nevada, Las Vegas).
Proposed: 2018/02/2018. Defended: 2018/06/04. Role: Chair
Title: The Influence of Opponent Strategy and Psychopathic Traits on Point Gains and Cooperation in the Iterated Prisoner's Dilemma
6. Nicholas S. Carfagno (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2016/09/12. Defended: 2017/04/07. Role: Chair
Title: Nonmonotonicity in Absolute and Relative Preferences for Real and Imagined Rewards
7. Stephany M. Molina (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2015/05/13. Defended: 2015/11/16. Role: Chair
Title: The Effects of Psychopathic Traits on Social Support Networks
8. Allan J. Heritage (Vanderbilt University)
Defended: 2012/05/24. Role: Chair
Title: Response Modulation Deficits in Psychopathy: Evidence from Stimulus and Response Processing
9. Rachel V. Aaron (Vanderbilt University)
Defended: 2012/05/17. Role: Chair
Title: Postauricular and Blink Reflexes to Startle Probes and Auditory Clicks
10. Melville M. Malone (Vanderbilt University)
Defended: 2010/03/30. Role: Chair
Title: Visual Attention Mechanisms Underlying the Emotional Dot Probe
11. Jessica H. Habashy (University of Nevada, Las Vegas).
Proposed: 2021/11/05. Role: Committee member
Title: Psychometric Properties of the Eating Disorder Examination Questionnaire (EDE-Q): Factor Analysis and Measurement Invariance by the Intersection of Race and Sex
12. Grace Wilson (University of Nevada, Las Vegas).
Proposed: 2021/10/08. Role: Committee member
Title: Examining the Effect of Individual Musicality and Psychopathology on Musical Groove Perception
13. Anna Trujillo (University of Nevada, Las Vegas).
Proposed: 2019/02/25. Role: Graduate college representative
Title: Emotional Intelligence, Resilience, and Couple Satisfaction
14. Erick Rogers (University of Nevada, Las Vegas).
Proposed: 2019/11/19. Defended: 2020/04/22. Role: Committee member
Title: Depressive Symptoms as a Moderator of Diurnal Trends in Reward Seeking
15. Alek Krumm (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2017/09/18. Defended: 2019/01/19. Role: Committee member
Title: Exploring the Pristine Inner Experience of Individuals in Psychotherapy
16. Farhad Fallahlalehzari (Electrical engineering; University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Defended: 2016/12/01. Role: Graduate college representative

17. Title: EMG-Based Patient Monitoring System Using Zynq SoC Device
Bern Lee (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2014/03/10. Defended: 2015/11/16. Role: Committee member
Title: Integration of Audio-Visual Emotional Information in Schizophrenia
18. Vincent Brouwers (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2014/04/11. Defended: 2015/06/08. Role: Committee member
Title: Inner Experience While Reading Fiction: A Descriptive Experience Sampling Exploration
19. Vincent Rozalski (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2014/04/22. Defended: 2014/12/01. Role: Committee member
Title: Objective Circumstances of the Death and Complicated Grief: Examining Indirect Associations through Meaning Made of Loss
20. Liya Rakhkovskaya (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2014/05/08. Defended: 2014/09/29. Role: Committee member
Title: Ethnic and American Identity as Correlates of Eating Pathology in College Women
21. Caroline Maykut (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2013/04/15. Defended: 2014/08/27. Role: Committee member
Title: Who or What Should I Be Like? Self-Assessment of Sexual Desire
22. Kara Klingspon (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2013/12/06. Defended: 2014/07/24. Role: Committee member
Title: Unfinished Business in Bereavement: A Mixed Methods Study
23. Michelle Pitts (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Proposed: 2013/12/10. Defended: 2014/05/08. Role: Committee member
Title: A Checklist of Child Safety Hazards in the Home: Development and Initial Psychometric Support in Neglectful and Substance-Abusing Mothers
24. Alessandra Lanti (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)
Defended: 2012/11/08. Role: Committee member
Title: Exploring Reasons Why Men and Women Refrain from Sex Despite Desire
25. Taylor L. Benson (Vanderbilt University)
Defended: 2012/05/22. Role: Committee member
Title: Enhanced Visuospatial Imagery Manipulation in Schizophrenia
26. Thomas R. Armstrong (Vanderbilt University)
Defended: 2009/05/26. Role: Committee member
Title: Orienting and Maintenance of Gaze in Contamination-based OCD: Biases for Disgust and Fear Cues

Undergraduate honors theses advised

1. Amanda Mraz: 2018/11/15. *Psychological Impacts of the Route 91 Shooting*
2. Andrea Flores: 2016/11/30. *Validation of the Assessment of Physical Risk Task (APRT)*
3. Kevin Mercado: 2014/10/30. *Modeling Anhedonia and Hedonic Processing in Depression*
4. George H. Wilson III: 2011/04/11. *Factors of Psychopathy and Facial Emotional Processing*
5. William M. Schumacher: 2010/04/21. *Poor Stop-Signal Task Performance: Mechanisms Revealed through Event-related Brain Potentials*
6. Marika C. Coffman: 2009/04/14. *Emotional Psychophysiological Responses during Self-Referential and Persuasive Talks*

Other significant research projects advised

1. Stephany M. Molina: 2018/08/01 (Summer Doctoral Research Fellowships)
Title: Social Ecology of Psychopathic Traits
2. Shane Westfall: 2016/08/01 (COLA Student Summer Faculty Research Award)
Title: Development of the Inventory of Psychopathic Meanness
3. Kevin Mercado: 2014/08/08 (UROP poster session)
Title: Modeling Anhedonia and Hedonic Processing in Depression
4. Geoff Powell: 2013/08/01 (UROP poster session)
Title: Reduced Positive Emotionality Underpins Subclinical Depression
5. Evan W. McClure: 2011/09/07 (VUSRP poster session)
Title: Assessment of Physical Risk Taking: Associations with Psychopathy and Measures of Risky Behavior
6. Michael A. Bradshaw: 2009/09/02 (VUSRP poster session)
Title: Empathy Is Related to Social but Not Perceptual Perspective Taking

Undergraduate/post-baccalaureate students mentored in lab research

University of Nevada, Las Vegas: Belel Ait Oumeziane (2012-2014), Travis Albert (2016-2017), Rebecca Bergquist (2014-2016), Hector Chaidez (2016), Tianchang (Allen) Chen (2015-2016), Sadie

Christiansen (2021-present), Cristina Ciobanu (2014), Stephanie Cohen (2014-2015), Victoria Copeland (2016-2017), Lisha Davis (2018-2020), Shakur Dennis (2019-present), Rosa Diaz (2019), Charyss Dolor (2016-2017), Adam Duckro (2014-2015), Susette Favela (2018-2021), Andrea Flores (2015-2017), Miles Greenman (2013-2014), Sydnee Halsey (2017-2018), Jordan Hayes (2020-present), Stephanie Hernandez (2019-2020), Madison Hurley (2016-2017), Scarlett Iglesias-Hoyos (2020-present), Bianca Islas (2018-2020), Jessica Isom (2014-2015), Ashley Jarrett (2015-2016), Kymberlie Joy (2017-2018), Brittney Lehtinen (2016-2017), Brianna Mann (2017-2020), Brianna Maxim (2015-2017), Gregory McIntyre (2017-2018), Edwing Melgarejo (2018), Kevin Mercado (2013-2015), Sarah Mikulich (2013), Amanda Cordero Moncayo (2018-2019), Tiffanie Moore-Quinn (2017), Amanda Mraz (2017-2018), Christin Nance (2015-2016), Karisa Odrunia (2019-2021), Sarah Oettinger (2015-2016), Daisy Parra-Venegas (2018), Jennifer Paytas (2013-2014), Corrina Pedregon (2017-2019), Mirna Pelemis (2013-2014), Emma Phillips (2019-present), Geoff Powell (2013), Duncan Poe (2020-present), Nathaly Quinteros (2013), Ana Reyes (2014), Erick Rogers (2016-2017), Yana Ryjova (2016-2017), Emma Sevoian (2019-2021), Elsy Urquilla (2017-2019), Roxana Vazquez (2017-2019), Kayli Wrenn (2014-2017), Fernanda Zettel (2014)

Vanderbilt University: Josh Altonji (2011); Tristan Barsky (2009-2010), Alexandra Bennett (2009), Joseph Blum (2007-2010), Michael Bradshaw (2008-2011), Brian Collura (2008-2009), Stephanie Cordel (2009-2010), Sasha Daddeh (2011-2012), Emily Dowgwillo (2009-2012), Nick Dunbar (2008-2010), Mary-Madison Eagle (2009-2010), Ann Ekechukwu (2007-2008), Surosree Ganguli (2010-2012), Elleena Grove (2011), Al Hardaway (2011-2012), Aneel Henry (2011-2012), Collette Jackson (2008-2010), Lauren Johnson (2009-2010), Nicole Krellenstein (2007), Lauren Marks (2009-2011), Evan McClure (2009-2011), Jamie Michael (2011-2012), Diana Minevski (2011-2012), Hayley Pionk (2011-2012), Sarah Stevens (2007-2008), Ashley Thomas (2008-2010), Vanessa Thompson (2007-2009), Jessica Tribble (2007)

Additional significant mentoring projects

Britz, J. (2014, April 11). My OCD Diary: An imperfect story. <http://tedxtalks.ted.com/video/Julia-Britz-My-OCD-Diary-An-Impe>

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

EXTRAMURAL SERVICE

External grant reviewer

National Science Foundation (2017)
Guggenheim Foundation (2016)
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (2009)

Editorial board member

Assessment (2007 – present)

Ad-hoc reviewer: profile at <https://publons.com/author/1205382/>

Top 1% of peer reviewers in psychiatry/psychology: 2018; psychology and at UNLV: 2017
Advances in Methods and Practices in Psychological Science; Aggressive Behavior; Assessment; Biological Psychiatry; Biological Psychology; Clinical Psychological Science; Cognition and Emotion; Cognitive, Affective, and Behavioral Neuroscience; Communication Measures and Methods; Criminal Behavior and Mental Health; Current Directions in Psychological Science; Emotion; Emotion Review; European Journal of Personality; Evolution and Human Behavior; Human Brain Mapping; International Journal of Psychophysiology; Journal of Abnormal Psychology; Journal of Autism and Developmental Disorders; Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry; Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology; Journal of Clinical and Experimental Neuropsychology; Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology; Journal of

Individual Differences; Journal of Nonverbal Behavior; Journal of Personality; Journal of Personality Assessment; Journal of Personality and Social Psychology; Journal of Personality Disorders; Journal of Psychophysiology; Journal of Research in Personality; Neuropsychologia; Personality Disorders: Theory, Research, and Treatment; Psychiatry Research; Psychological Assessment; Psychological Medicine; Psychological Science; Psychophysiology

Clinical reviewer

Structured Clinical Interview for DSM-5 field trials (2013)

Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy

Local Host of 8th biennial meeting (2015–2019)

Program Committee member (2006–2007, 2011–2013)

Program Committee Chair (2010–2011)

Historian (2007–present)

Executive Board member (inaugural student: 2003–2007; 2019–present)

Society for Psychophysiological Research

Program Committee member (2018–2019)

Student poster judge (2015, 2019, 2021)

Western Psychological Association

Faculty mentorship panel (2021)

Walk-In Counseling Center

Computer consultant (2004 – 2006)

INTRAMURAL SERVICE

University service

Board of directors, The PRACTICE at UNLV (2021 – present)

Chair (2021 – 2022)

Graduate awards committee – scholarships and fellowships, UNLV (2021 – present)

Faculty adviser, Clinical Student Committee, UNLV (2021 – present)

Graduate campus wellness advisory board, UNLV (2021 – present)

Facilitator, UNLV Interprofessional Education Day (2021)

Panelist, UNLV Symposium on [1 October] Memorial Design (2021)

Internal grant reviewer, UNLV DoD HBCU basic research program (2019)

Panelist, UNLV Executive Master's of Health Care Administration Immersion (2018)

Presenter, UNLV Chapter of Phi Alpha, "Intro to Integrated Behavioral Health" (2017)

Moderator, U. of Minnesota's Sesquicentennial Mind and Emotion conference (2001)

Departmental service

Director of clinical training, UNLV (2021 – present)

Clinical psychology graduate admissions coordinator, UNLV (2015 – present)

Clinical psychology comprehensive exam committee, UNLV (2013, 2014, 2019)

Psychology awards committee, UNLV (2012 – 2021)

Clinical psychology area committee, UNLV (2012 – present)

Departmental web site coordinator, Vanderbilt University (2007 – 2011)

Randolph Blake award committee, Vanderbilt University (2010)

Clinical psychology website committee, University of Minnesota (2004)

Research Day planning committee, University of Minnesota (2002 – 2003)

Faculty mentorship

Hao (Felix) Wang: Department of Psychology (2020 January – present)

Search committees

Assistant Director of UNLV PRACTICE® (2021)

Clinical psychology faculty, UNLV (2013 – 2014)

Neuroscience faculty, UNLV (2013 – 2014; 2014 – 2015; 2019 – 2020, 2021 – present)

Developmental psychology faculty, UNLV (2012 – 2013)

Clinical psychology faculty (grad student), University of Minnesota (2004)

Judging

Graduate & Professional Student Association Research Forum, UNLV (2016)

Psi Chi poster judge, UNLV (2014)

COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS

Humanist Assembly Las Vegas, Las Vegas, NV (2019, May 19). Recovery and resilience in the aftermath of the 1 October shooting.

Sunday Assembly Las Vegas, Las Vegas, NV (2019, April 7). What does it mean to be mean?

Sun City Anthem Lifelong Learning Club, Henderson, NV (2018, September 24). Recovery and resilience in the aftermath of the Route 91 shooting.

United Conversations Network, Las Vegas, NV (2017, November 27). [Is there a way forward, or is this a way of life?](#)

Killer Nashville, Nashville, TN (2011, August 26). Psychopaths: How they are and are not like us.

Killer Nashville, Nashville, TN (2010, August 20). The two faces of psychopathy: Dual paths to deviance.

Killer Nashville, Nashville, TN (2009, August 14,). The mind of a psychopath: Dual paths to deviance.

Frist Center, Nashville, TN (2009, February 28). Through the eyes of a psychopath: How individual differences impact perception of paintings.

MEDIA COVERAGE OF LAB STUDIES

- Roselli, D. (2019, October 1). Healing from 1 October. *Action News 13 Midday*. <https://www.ktnv.com/interviews/healing-from-one-october>
- Langelier, J. (2019, October 1). UNLV professor continues to study PTSD in Las Vegas community after 1 October. *KLAS CBS News*. <https://www.8newsnow.com/news/local-news/unlv-professor-continues-to-study-ptsd-in-las-vegas-community-after-1-october/>
- Langelier, J. (2018, October 1). Resilience stands out in study on 1 October impact. *KLAS CBS News*. <https://www.lasvegasnow.com/news/local-news/resilience-stands-out-in-study-on-1-october-impact/1490638497>
- Crosby, R. (2018, September 30). 1 year after Las Vegas shooting, survivors still seek help. *Las Vegas Review-Journal*. <https://www.reviewjournal.com/crime/shootings/1-year-after-las-vegas-shooting-survivors-still-seek-help/>
- Savone, J. (2018, September 25). The lessons of tragedy. *UNLV Magazine*. <https://www.unlv.edu/news/article/lessons-tragedy>
- Reese, M. (2017, December 11). Not 'safe spaces': New group at UNLV tackles divisive topics. *Las Vegas Review-Journal*. <https://www.reviewjournal.com/local/east-valley/not-safe-spaces-new-group-at-unlv-tackles-divisive-topics/>
- Weisbaum, H. (2017, November 14). First study results on mental trauma caused by Las Vegas shooter. *KOMO Midday News*. <http://komonews.com/news/newsradio/first-study-results-on-mental-trauma-caused-by-las-vegas-shooter>
- Bekker, J. (2017, November 13). Las Vegans who weren't at Route 91 shooting may still get PTSD, study suggests. *Las Vegas Review-Journal*. <https://www.reviewjournal.com/crime/shootings/las-vegans-who-werent-at-route-91-shooting-may-still-get-ptsd-study-suggests/>
- Weisbaum, H. (2017, October 30). UNLV researcher wants stories about Vegas massacre. *KOMO Midday News*. <http://komonews.com/news/newsradio/unlv-researcher-wants-stories-about-vegas-massacre>
- Lyle, D. (2017, October 27). UNLV professor launches study of traumatic effects of Oct. 1 tragedy. *The Now Report*. <http://www.thenowreport.com/vegas/article/local-news/unlv-professor-launches-study-traumatic-effects-oct-1-tragedy/>

11. Akers, M. (2017, October 26). Emotional response to mass shooting is subject of UNLV professor's study. *Las Vegas Sun*. <https://lasvegassun.com/news/2017/oct/26/emotional-response-to-shooting-subject-of-unlv-pro/>
12. Melendez, D. (2017, October 21). Traumatic side effects from the 1 October Shooting. *KLAS CBS News*. <http://www.lasvegassun.com/news/traumatic-side-effects-from-the-one-october-shooting/842329950>
13. Ortiz, A. (2017, October 20). Participants needed for 1 October study. *Channel 13 News*. <http://www.ktnv.com/news/participants-needed-for-1-october-study>
14. Bekker, J. (2017, October 18). UNLV researcher using Las Vegas shooting to study trauma effects. *Las Vegas Review-Journal*. <https://www.reviewjournal.com/crime/shootings/unlv-researcher-using-las-vegas-shooting-to-study-trauma-effects/>
15. Thomas, K. (2017, October 18). Heartbreak and healing: UNLV wants to hear your stories about the Route 91 tragedy. *KSNV NBC News*. <http://news3lv.com/news/local/heartbreak-and-healing-unlv-wants-to-hear-your-stories-about-the-route-91-tragedy>

MEDIA INTERVIEWS

1. Torres-Cortez, R. (2021, October 20). Road rage rising: Experts say stay calm, avoid confrontation. *Las Vegas Review-Journal*. <https://www.reviewjournal.com/local/traffic/road-rage-rising-experts-say-stay-calm-avoid-confrontation-2463460/>
2. Kidman, K. (2021, October 11). The Clark County School District starts the year with challenges, TikTok and otherwise. *KNPR State of Nevada*. <https://knpr.org/knpr/2021-10/clark-county-school-district-starts-year-challenges-tiktok-and-otherwise>
3. Harrison, C. (2021, September 26). CCSD laments spike in vandalism likely inspired by TikTok challenge. *Las Vegas Sun*. <https://lasvegassun.com/news/2021/sep/26/ccsd-uptick-campus-vandalism-spurred-tiktok-pranks/>
4. Clark, L. (2021, September 23). What's behind public meeting outbursts? Psychology professor weighs in. *KSNV NBC News*. <https://news3lv.com/news/local/explosive-outburst-at-public-meetings-whats-causing-them>
5. Dodgson, L. (2021, September 19). Theranos founder Elizabeth Holmes has a fandom of 'Holmies' that hail her as a 'girl boss' despite fraud charges. *Business Insider*. <https://www.insider.com/elizabeth-holmes-theranos-trial-court-fans-holmies-girl-boss-fraud-2021-9>
6. Delgado, C. (2021, August 24). Why are people so into astrology all of a sudden? *Discover*. <https://www.discovermagazine.com/mind/why-are-people-so-into-astrology-all-of-a-sudden>
7. Geall, L. (2021, August 18). Plymouth attack: blaming women or mental health issues for mass shootings isn't solving anything. *Stylist*. <https://www.stylist.co.uk/news/plymouth-blame-psychology/557025>
8. Pelley, V. (2021, August 18). Are you a short tempered dad? Here's what to understand — and how to stay in control. *Fatherly*. <https://www.fatherly.com/love-money/short-tempered-advice/>
9. Alvarez, S. (2021, June 20). The Tesla autopilot excuse: How EV ignorance created the perfect storm for a misinformation nightmare. *Teslarati*. <https://www.teslarati.com/tesla-autopilot-fatal-crash-misinformation-exposed/>
10. Torres-Cortez, R. (2021, June 2). Online community advocating for slain Las Vegas boy hoping to make a lasting difference. *Las Vegas Sun*. <https://lasvegassun.com/news/2021/jun/02/online-community-advocating-for-missing-children-h/>
11. Green, Z., & Kidman, K. (2021, May 27). Mask questions linger even as vaccination rate increases. *KNPR State of Nevada*. <https://knpr.org/knpr/2021-05/mask-questions-linger-even-vaccination-rate-increases>
12. Darrow, M. (2021, May 14). Some eager to ditch masks, others may take their time. *KSNV NBC News*. <https://news3lv.com/news/local/some-eager-to-ditch-masks-others-may-take-their-time>
13. Silverstein, E. (2021, May 9). Oneida casino shooting survivors need psychological first aid, psychologist says. *Casino.org*. <https://www.casino.org/news/oneida-casino-shooting-survivors-need-psychological-first-aid-psychologist-says/>
14. Solé, E. (2021, April 20). AnnaLynn McCord reveals she has dissociative identity disorder. Experts explain what that means. *Yahoo! News*. <https://www.yahoo.com/lifestyle/annalynne-mc-cord-did-233240043.html>
15. Goree, A. (2021, April 12). Anxiety and depression heightens as pandemic uncertainty continues nationwide. *KSNV NBC News*. <https://news3lv.com/news/local/anxiety-and-depression-heightens-as-pandemic-uncertainty-continues-nationwide>
16. Messerly, M. (2021, April 4). What happened here: Of the people. *The Nevada Independent*. <https://thenevadaindependent.com/article/what-happened-here-how-nevadans-changed-the-course-of-the-pandemic-and-how-it-in-turn-changed-us>
17. Lane, T. (2021, April 3). Nevada ranked most stressed state for 2021, study says. *KSNV NBC News*. <https://news3lv.com/news/local/nevada-ranked-most-stressed-state-for-2021-study-says>
18. Schoenmann, J., & Johnson, B. (2021, March 29). Guns in Nevada: A closer look at new legislation. *KNPR State of Nevada*. <https://knpr.org/knpr/2021-03/guns-nevada-closer-look-new-legislation>
19. Bracelin, J. (2021, March 12). Pandemic fatigue: Coping with COVID-19's mental toll. *Las Vegas Review-Journal*. <https://www.reviewjournal.com/life/health/pandemic-fatigue-coping-with-covid-19s-mental-toll-2301337/>
20. Darrow, M. (2021, March 5). Locals reflect one year after Nevada's first COVID-19 case. *KSNV NBC News*. <https://news3lv.com/news/local/locals-reflect-one-year-after-nevadas-first-covid-19-case>
21. Manna, O., & Wright, L. (2021, February 25). Serial bingeing: A look at the science behind true crime obsessions. *KLAS CBS News*. <https://www.8newsnow.com/news/local-news/serial-bingeing-a-look-at-the-science-behind-true-crime-obsessions/>
22. Manna, O. (2021, February 11). Catching a killer: How the FBI gets inside the mind of a murderer. *KLAS CBS News*. <https://www.8newsnow.com/news/local-news/catching-a-killer-how-the-fbi-gets-inside-the-mind-of-a-murderer/>
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Assessment and Intervention Practicum Student Supervision

Postdoctoral Assessment and Intervention: Michelle Paul, Ph.D. (2015/09 – 2016/08)

Veterans Administration Medical Center, Minneapolis, MN (2005/08/21 – 2006/08/19)

Predoctoral Clinical Internship: Wayne Siegel, Ph.D., LP, ABPP

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (2003 Fall – 2005 Spring)

Consensus Diagnostic Reviews: William G. Iacono, Ph.D.

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (2003 Summer – 2004 Spring)

Psychopathy Checklist – Revised Secondary Assessments: Christopher Patrick, Ph.D.

Walk-In Counseling Center, Minneapolis, MN (2002 Fall – 2004 Spring)

Short-Term Psychotherapy: James Ayers, Ph.D., LP

Veterans Administration Medical Center, Minneapolis, MN (2002 Spring)

Interviewing and Case Integration: Supervisor: Wayne Siegel, Ph.D., LP

Private Practice, St. Louis Park, MN (2001 Fall – 2002 Spring)

Psychotherapy for Anxiety Disorders: Vernon Devine, Ph.D., LP

University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (2001 Summer)

Pediatric Neuropsychology: Richard Ziegler, Ph.D., LP

Colorado College, Colorado Springs, CO (1999 Summer)

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PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

Society for Psychophysiological Research: 2001 – present

American Psychological Association: 2002 – 2018

Division 12 affiliate: 2019 – present

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Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy (founding member): 2005 – present

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