

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 1994 Ph.D., Social Psychology, Princeton University
1992 M.A., Social Psychology, Princeton University
1990 B.S., Psychology, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

POSITIONS

- 2017 – Present Professor, Department of Communication
Affiliated Professor, Department of Psychological and Brain Sciences
Texas A&M University
- 2011 – 2017 Professor, Department of Psychological Sciences
University of Connecticut
- 2009 – 2011 Associate Professor, Department of Psychological Sciences
University of Connecticut
- 2008 – 2009 Professor, Department of Psychology
Texas A&M University
- 2005 – 2008 Associate Professor, Department of Psychology
Texas A&M University
- 2002 – 2005 Associate Professor, Department of Psychology
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- 1997 – 2002 Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology
State University of New York at Albany
- 1997 Postdoctoral Fellow, Research Center for Group Dynamics
University of Michigan
- 1996 Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Psychology
University of Groningen
- 1994 - 1996 Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Psychology
Iowa State University

GRANT FUNDING

- Project: *Virtual Transportation as a Strategy to Reduce Resistance to Cigarette and e-Cigarette Graphic Health Warnings in Adolescents and Young Adults*
National Cancer Institute [1 R01 CA 214587-01]
Total Direct and Indirect: **\$1,895,668**
Period: 6/2017 to 5/2022
- Project: *Virtual Building Emergency Evacuation (co-I)*
National Science Foundation [CMMI-1463520]
Total Direct and Indirect: **\$619,125**
Period: 8/2015 – 8/2018
- Project: *Proof of Concept of Videogame Delivery of Graphic Health Warnings*
Center for Health, Intervention, and Prevention
Total Budget: **\$15,000**
Period: 4/2014 to 6/2016
- Project: *Evaluation of Graphic Warning Labels on Tobacco Packages and Related Supporting Messages (co-I).*
Supplement for National Cancer Institute Center Grant [3 P50 CA 148596-03S1z]
Total Direct and Indirect: **\$976,059**
Period: 8/2012 – 8/2013
- Project: *The Psychophysiological Implications of Polarized Political Communication*
University of Connecticut Research Foundation
Total Budget: **\$18,090**
Period: 6/2011 – 6/201
- Project: *Message Framing to Encourage Safer Sex.*
University at Albany Faculty Research Award Program
Total Budget: **\$12,220**
Period: 4/1998 – 5/1999

SCHOLARLY WORKS

Books

Blanton, H., LaCroix, J., & Webster, G.D. (Editors, 2018). *Measurement in Social Psychology*. New York, NY: Routledge.

Pelham, B.W., & Blanton, H. (2002; 2007; 2012; 2018). *Conducting Research in Psychology: Measuring the Weight of Smoke*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Stapel, D., & Blanton, H. (Editors, 2006). *Social Comparison: Essential Readings*. Brighton, NY: Psychology Press.

Articles and Chapters

Blanton, H., & Ikizer, E. (in press). Elegant science narratives and unintended influences: An agenda for the science of science communication. *Social Issues and Policy Review*.

LaCroix, J.M., Burrows, C.N., & Blanton, H. (in press). Effects of immersive, sexually objectifying and violent video games on hostile sexism in males. *Communication Research Reports*.

Burrows, C.N., & Blanton, H. (2018). In-game health communication: delivering low-fear health messages in a low-fear videogame. *Games for Health Journal*, 7(3), 182-187. doi.org/10.1089/g4h.2017.0113

Peña, J., Khan, S., Burrows, C., & Blanton, H. (2018). How persuasive are in-game health messages in first-person shooter games? Exploring knowledge-activation and thought-disruption mechanisms. *Communication Reports*. DOI: 10.1080/08824096.2018.1469484

Blanton, H., & Ikizer, E.G. (2017). The bullet-point bias: How diluted science communications can impede social progress. In J.T. Crawford, & L. Jussim (Eds.), *The Politics of Social Psychology* (168 – 190). New York: Routledge.

Blanton, H., & Jaccard, J. (2017). You can't assess the forest if you can't assess the trees: psychometric challenges to measuring implicit bias in crowds. *Psychological Inquiry*, 28(4), 233 – 248.

Burkley, M., & Blanton, H. (2017). The dilemmatics approach to applied research design: A case study of violent video game effects and aggression. In L. Steg, K. Kees, A.P. Buunk, & T. Rothengatter (Eds.) *Applied Social Psychology* (pp. 82 – 108). Cambridge University Press.

Blanton, H. (2016). Group and individual as complementary conceptual categories. *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 39, e141.

Blanton, H., Burrows, C., & Jaccard, J. (2016). To accurately estimate implicit influences on health behavior, accurately estimate explicit influences. *Health Psychology*, 35(8), 856 – 860.

Cornelius, T., & Blanton, H. (2016). The limits to pride: A test of the pro-anorexia hypothesis. *Eating Disorders: The Journal of Treatment and Prevention*, 24(2), 138 – 147.

Ikizer, E.G., & Blanton, H. (2016). Media coverage of “wise” interventions can reduce concern for the disadvantaged. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied*, 22(2), 135 – 147.

- Blanton, H., & Jaccard, J. (2015). Not so fast: Ten challenges to importing implicit attitude measures to media psychology. *Media Psychology, 18*(3), 338 – 369.
- Blanton, H., Jaccard, J. & Burrows, C. (2015). Implications of the IAT D-transformation for psychological assessment. *Assessment, 22*(4), 429 – 440.
- Blanton, H., Jaccard, J., Strauts, E., Mitchell, G., & Tetlock, P. E. (2015). Toward a meaningful metric of implicit prejudice. *Journal of Applied Psychology, 100*(5), 1468-1481.
- Burrows, C.N., & Blanton, H. (2015). Real-world persuasion from virtual world campaigns: How transportation into virtual worlds moderates in-game influence. *Communication Research, 43*(4), 542 – 570.
- Hall, D., Blanton, H., & Prentice, D. (2015). On being much better and no worse than others: Self-guides moderate the motive to be distinct. *Self and Identity, 14* (2), 214 – 232.
- Hilgard, J., Bartholow, B.D., Dickter, C.L., & Blanton, H. (2015). Characterizing switching and congruency effects in the implicit association test as reactive and proactive cognitive control. *Social Cognitive and Affective Neuroscience, 10*(3), 381-388.
- Oswald, F.L, Mitchell, G., Blanton, H., Jaccard, J., & Tetlock, P.E. (2015). Using the IAT to predict ethnic and racial discrimination: Small effect sizes of unknown societal importance. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, 108*(4), 562 – 571.
- Strauts, E., & Blanton, H. (2015). That’s not funny: Instrument validation of the concern for political correctness scale. *Personality and Individual Differences, 80*, 32 – 40.
- Blanton, H., Burkley, M., & Burkley, E. (2014). Bonding, hiding and promoting: Three reactions to shared threat. In Z Krizan & F.X. Gibbons (eds.), *Communal Functions of Social Comparison*. (pp. 175 – 204) Brighton, NY: Psychology Press.
- Blanton, H., Snyder, L.B., Strauts, E., & Larson, J.G. (2014). Effect of graphic cigarette warnings on smoking intentions in young adults. *PLOS ONE, 9*(5), e96315. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0096315.
- Blanton, H., Gerrard, M., & McClive, K. (2013). Threading the needle in health-risk communication: Increasing vulnerability salience while promoting self-worth. *Journal of Health Communication, 18*(11), 1279 – 1292.
- Oswald, F.L., Mitchell, G., Blanton, H., Jaccard, J., & Tetlock, P.E. (2013). Predicting ethnic and racial discrimination: A meta-analysis of IAT criterion studies. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, 105*(2), 171 – 192.

- Blanton, H., Strauts, E., & Perez, M. (2012). Partisan identification as a predictor of cortisol response to election news. *Political Communication*, 29(4), 447 – 460.
- Zabelina, D. L., Felps, D., & Blanton, H. (2012). The motivational influence of self-guides on creative pursuits. *Psychology of Aesthetics, Creativity, and the Arts*, 7, 112-118.
- Blanton, H., & Jaccard, J. (2012). Irrational numbers: Strategies for quantifying accuracy and error. In J. I. Krueger (Ed), *Social Judgment and Decision Making*. (pp. 79 – 98). Brighton, NY: Psychology Press.
- Blanton, H., & Mitchell, G. (2011). Reassessing the predictive validity of the IAT II: Reanalysis of Heider & Skowronski (2007). *North American Journal of Psychology*, 13(1), 99 – 106.
- Buhrmester, M.D., Blanton, H., & Swann, W.B., Jr. (2011). Implicit self-esteem: Nature, measurement, and a new way forward. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 100(2), 365 – 385.
- Lawrence, J.S., Crocker, J., & Blanton, H. (2011). Stigmatized and dominant cultural groups differentially interpret positive feedback. *Journal of Cross Cultural Psychology*, 42(1), 165 – 169.
- Blanton, H., & Hall, D. (2009). Punishing difference and rewarding diversity: A deviance regulation analysis of social structure. In J. Forgas, R. Baumeister, & D. Tice (Eds). *The Psychology of Self-Regulation (Sydney Symposium in Social Psychology)*. (pp. 273 – 288). Brighton, NY: Psychology Press.
- Sweeney, P.J., Thompson, V., & Blanton, H. (2009). Trust in combat: A test of an interdependence model and the links to leadership in Iraq. *Journal of Applied Social Psychology*, 39(1), 235 – 264.
- Blanton, H., Jaccard, J., Klick, J., Mellers, B., Mitchell, G., & Tetlock, P. (2009). Strong claims and weak evidence: Reassessing the predictive validity of the race IAT. *Journal of Applied Psychology*, 94(3), 567 – 582.
- Blanton, H., Jaccard, J., Klick, J., Mellers, B., Mitchell, G., & Tetlock, P. (2009). Transparency should trump trust. *Journal of Applied Psychology*, 94(3), 598 – 603.
- Burkley, M., & Blanton, H. (2009). The positives (and negatives) of negative stereotypes. *Self and Identity*, 8 (2 – 3), 286 – 299.
- Hall, D., & Blanton, H. (2009). Knowing when to assume: Normative expertise as a moderator of social influence. *Social Influence*, 4(2), 81 – 95.

- Blanton, H., & Burkley, M. (2008). Deviance regulation theory: Applications to adolescent social influence. In M. Prinstein & K.A. Dodge (Eds.). *Understanding Peer Influence in Children and Adolescents*. (pp. 94 – 121). New York: Guilford Press.
- Blanton, H., & Jaccard, J. (2008). Unconscious racism: A concept in pursuit of a measure. *Annual Review of Sociology*, 34, 277 - 297.
- Blanton, H. & Jaccard, J. (2008). Representing versus generalizing: Two approaches to external validity and their implications for the study of prejudice. *Psychological Inquiry*, 19(2), 99 – 105.
- Blanton, H., Köblitz, A., & McCaul, K.D. (2008). Misperceptions about norm misperceptions: Comparing descriptive, injunctive and affective “social norming” efforts to change health. *Social and Personality Psychology Compass*, 1379 – 1399.
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- Burkley, M., & Blanton, H. (2008). Endorsing a negative in-group stereotype as a self-protective strategy: Sacrificing the group to save the self. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 44(1), 37 – 49.
- Burkley, M., & Blanton, H. (2008). Research designs in applied social psychology. In L. Steg, B. Buunk, & J.A. Rothengatter (Eds.) *Applied Social Psychology*. (pp. 87 – 116). Cambridge University Press.
- Blanton, H., & Jaccard, J., Gonzales, P.M. & Christie, C. (2007). Plausible assumptions, questionable assumptions and post hoc rationalizations: Will the real IAT please stand up? *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 43, 393 – 403.
- Jaccard, J., & Blanton, H. (2007). A theory of implicit reasoned action: The role of implicit and explicit attitudes in the prediction of behavior. In I. Ajzen, D. Albarracin, and J. Hornik. *Prediction and Change of Health behavior: Applying the Reasoned Action Approach*. (pp. 69 – 81). Mahwah, New Jersey: Erlbaum.
- Quinlan, S., Jaccard, J., & Blanton, H. (2006). A decision theoretic and prototype conceptualization of possible selves: Implications for the prediction of risk behavior. *Journal of Personality*, 74(2), 599 – 630.
- Blanton, H. & Jaccard J. (2006). Arbitrary metrics in psychology. *American Psychologist*, 61(1), 27-41.
- Blanton, H. & Jaccard, J. (2006). Arbitrary metrics redux. *American Psychologist*, 61(1), 62-71.

- Blanton, H. & Jaccard, J. (2006). Tests of multiplicative models in psychology: A case study using the unified theory of implicit attitudes, stereotypes, self-esteem, and self-concept. *Psychological Review*, *113*(1), 155 – 165.
- Blanton, H. & Jaccard, J. (2006). Postscript: Perspectives on the Reply by Greenwald, Rudman, Nosek and Zayas (2006). *Psychological Review*, *113*(1), 166 – 169.
- Blanton, H., & Jaccard, J., Gonzales, P.M. & Christie, C. (2006). Decoding the implicit association test: Perspectives on criterion prediction. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, *42*(2), 192 – 212.
- Schwinghammer, S. A., Stapel, D. A., & Blanton, H. (2006). Different selves have different effects: self-activation and defensive social comparison. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, *32*(1), 27-39.
- Burkley, M., & Blanton, H. (2005). When am I my group? Self-Enhancement versus self-justifying accounts of self-stereotyping. *Social Justice Research*, *18*(4), 445- 463.
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- Jaccard, J., & Blanton, H. (2005). The origins and structure of behavior: Conceptualizing behavioral criteria in attitude research. In D. Albaraccin, B. Johnson, & M. P. Zanna (Eds.), *Handbook of Attitudes* (pp. 125 – 172). Mahway, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.
- Jaccard, J., Blanton, H., & Dodge, T. (2005). Effects of peer networks on adolescent risk behavior. *Developmental Psychology*, *41*(1), 135 – 147.
- Blanton, H., & Christie, C. (2003). Deviance regulation: A theory of identity and action. *Review of General Psychology*, *7*(2), 115 – 149.
- Stuart, A.E., & Blanton, H. (2003). The effects of message framing on behavioral prevalence assumptions. *European Journal of Social Psychology*, *33* (1), 93 – 102.
- Blanton, H., Christie, C., & Dye, M. (2002). Social identity versus reference-frame comparisons: The moderating role of stereotype endorsement. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, *38*(3), 253 – 267.
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- Gonzales, P.M., Blanton, H., & Williams, K.J. (2002). The effects of stereotype threat and double-minority status on the test performance of Latino women. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, *28*(5), 659 – 670.

Lane, D.J., Gibbons, F.X., Gerrard, M., Blanton, H., & Buunk, B.P. (2002). Comparison strategies in response to threat: When does social comparison make a difference? In S.P. Shohov (Ed.), *Advances in Psychology Research* (Vol. 10, pp. 71 – 97). Huntington, NY, US: Nova Science Publishers, Inc.

Blanton, H. (2001). Evaluating the self in the context of another: The three-selves model of social comparison assimilation and contrast. In G.B. Moskowitz (Ed.), *Cognitive Social Psychology: The Princeton Symposium on the Legacy and Future of Social Cognition*. (pp. 75 - 87). Mahway, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.

Blanton, H., Axsom, D., McClive, K., & Price, S. (2001). Pessimistic bias in comparative evaluations: A case of perceived vulnerability to negative life events. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 27(12), 1627 – 1636.

Blanton, H., Pelham, B. W., DeHart, T., & Carvallo, M. (2001). Overconfidence as dissonance reduction. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 37(5), 373 – 385.

Blanton, H., George, G., & Crocker, J.K. (2001). Contexts of system justification and system evaluation: Exploring the social comparison strategies of the (not yet) contented female worker. *Group Processes and Intergroup Relations*, 4(2), 127-138.

Blanton, H., Stuart, A.E., & VandenEijnden, R.J.J.M. (2001). An introduction to deviance-regulation theory: The effect of behavioral norms on message framing. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 27(7), 848 – 858.

Blanton, H., VandenEijnden, R.J.J.M., Buunk, B.P., Gibbons, F.X., Gerrard, M., & Bakker, A. (2001). Accentuate the negative: Social images in the prediction and promotion of condom use. *Journal of Applied Social Psychology*, 31(2), 274 – 295.

Blanton, H., Crocker, J., & Miller, D.T. (2000). The effects of in-group versus out-group social comparison on self-esteem in the context of a negative stereotype. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 36(5), 519-530.

Dykstra, P., Buunk, B.P., & Blanton, H. (2000). The effect of target's physical attractiveness and dominance on STD-risk perceptions. *Journal of Applied Social Psychology*, Vol. 30(8): 1738-1755

Gibbons, F.X., Blanton, H., Buunk, B.P., & Eggleston, T. (2000). Does social comparison make a difference? Optimism as a moderator of the relation between comparison level and academic performance. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 26(5), 637-648.

Blanton, H., Buunk, B., Gibbons, F.X., & Kuyper, H. (1999). When better-than-others compare upward: Choice of comparison and comparative-evaluation as independent predictors of academic performance. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 76(3), 420-430.

Crocker, J., & Blanton, H. (1999). Social stigma and self-esteem: Justice beliefs and self-structure as vulnerabilities. In T.R. Tyler, R.M. Kramer & O. John (Eds.), *Social Sources of the Self* (pp. 171-192). Mahway, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.

Gibbons, F.X., Gerrard, M., Blanton, H., & Russell, D. (1998). Reasoned action and social reaction: Intention and willingness as independent predictors of health risk. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, *74*(5), 1164-1180.

Blanton, H., Cooper, J., Skurnik, I., & Aronson, J. (1997). When bad things happen to good feedback: Exacerbating the need for self-justification through self-affirmation. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, *23*(7), 684-692.

Blanton, H. & Gerrard, M. (1997). The effect of sexual motivation on the perceived riskiness of a sexual encounter: There must be fifty ways to justify a lover. *Health Psychology*, *16*(4), 374-379.

Blanton, H., Gibbons, F.X., Gerrard, M., Conger, K.J., & Smith, G.E. (1997). The role of family and peers on the development of health-risk prototypes associated with substance use. *Journal of Family Psychology*, *11*(3), 1-18.

Cantor, N., & Blanton, H. (1996). Strategically connecting life tasks: An effortful slice of personality. In J. Bargh & P.M. Gollwitzer (Eds.), *The Psychology of Action: Linking Cognition and Motivation to Behavior* (pp. 338 – 360). New York: Guilford.

Aronson, J., Blanton, H., & Cooper, J. (1995). From dissonance to disidentification: Selectivity in the self-affirmation process. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, *68*(6), 986-996.

Republished Articles

Blanton, H., & Christie, C. (2012). Deviance regulation: A theory of identity and action. In K.D. Vohs & R.F. Baumeister (eds.), *Self and Identity*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Blanton, H. & Jaccard J. (2012). Arbitrary metrics in psychology. In H. Stam (ed.), *Theoretical Psychology: Contemporary Readings* (Part One: Theory, History and Critical Theory). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

Gibbons, F.X., Gerrard, M., Blanton, H. & Russell, D.W. (2003). Reasoned action and social reaction: Willingness and intention as independent predictors of health risk. In P. Salovey & A.J. Rothman (Eds.), *Social psychology of health. Key readings in social psychology*. New York, NY: Psychology Press.

Minor

Blanton, H., & Jaccard, J. (in press). From principles to measurement: theory-based tips on writing better questions. In H. Blanton, J., LaCroixy, & G.D. Webster (Editors).

Strategies of Psychological Measurement: Frontiers of Social Psychology. Psychology Press.

Blanton, H. (2007). Deviance. Entry in *Encyclopedia of Social Psychology*, Sage Publications.

Blanton, H. (2006). The history of social comparison research. In D. Stapel & H. Blanton (eds.), *Social Comparison: Essential Readings*. Brighton, NY: Psychology Press.

Blanton, H., & Christie, C. (2004). Social comparison: Everybody's personal theory. Review of J. Suls and L. Wheeler (2002), *Handbook of Social Comparison*. *Contemporary Psychology*, 48(3), 311 – 313.

Cooper, J., & Blanton, H. (1995). Self-perception Theory. Entry in *Blackwell Dictionary of Social Psychology*, Cambridge, MA: Blackwell Publisher.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Selected Conference Presentations

American Psychological Association; American Psychological Society; Association for Consumer Research, Eastern Psychological Association; International Communication Association; International Congress of Behavioral Medicine; Joint Meeting of the European Association of Experimental Social Psychology and the Society of Experimental Social Psychology; National Communication Association; Midwestern Psychological Association; Society of Behavioral Medicine; Society of Experimental Social Psychology; Society of Personality and Social Psychology; Society of Southeastern Social Psychologists; Sydney Symposium of Social Psychology.

Selected Talks, Colloquia & Workshops

Brown University, 2012; Dartmouth University, 2010; Duke University, 2004, 2005; Carnegie Mellon University, 2006; Institute of Personality and Social Research, 1996, 1998; The Lewin Institute, The Netherlands, 2003; Northwestern University, 2003; Oklahoma State University, 2008; Princeton University, 1999; State University of New York at Buffalo, 1996, 2003; University of Chicago, 2003, 2007; University of Connecticut, 2000; University of Groningen, The Netherlands, 2002; University of Maryland, 2000; University of Michigan, 1999; University of Missouri, 2008; University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2002, 2006; 2010; North Dakota State University, 2006; University of Missouri, 2008; University of Pittsburgh, 2002; University of Texas at Austin, 2005; 2015; University of Houston, 2006; University of Utah, 2001; Sam Houston State, 2007; Virginia Tech, 2001, 2004; Workshop on Social Comparison and Social Identity, Schiermonnikoog, The Netherlands, 1998; Workshop on Theory Development, Heidelberg, Germany, 2005; Yale University, 1998.

Editorial Positions

2011 – 2013 Associate Editor, *Journal of Experimental and Social Psychology*.

- 2012 – 2013 Co-Editor (with Charles Stangor), *Dialogue*, Newsletter for Society for Personality and Social Psychology.
- 2009 – 2012 Co-Editor (with Diane Quinn), *Dialogue*, Newsletter for Society for Personality and Social Psychology.
- 2006 – 2010 Associate Editor, *Journal of Experimental and Social Psychology*.
- 2004 – 2007 Editorial Board, *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*.
- 2005 – 2008 Editorial Board, *Self and Identity*.
- 2001 – 2005 Editorial Board, *Psychology and Health*.

Ad-hoc Reviewer

American Psychologist; Assessment; Communication Research; European Journal of Psychological Assessment; European Journal of Social Psychology; Games for Health; Group Process and Intergroup Relations; Health Communication; Health Psychology; Journal of Advertising; Journal of Applied Psychology; Journal of Applied Social Psychology; Journal of Broadcasting and Electronic Media; Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication; Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied; Journal of Experimental Psychology: General; Journal of Experimental Social Psychology; Journal of Consumer Research; Journal of Health Communication ; Journal of Marketing Research; Journal of Personality; Journal of Personality and Social Psychology; Journal of Politics; Mass Communication and Society; Motivation and Emotion; Motivation Science; Organizational Behavior and Human Decision Processes; Organizational Science; Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin; Personality and Social Psychology Review; Perspectives on Psychological Science; Psychology and Aging; Psychological Science; Social Cognition; Social Influence; Social Psychological and Personality Science.

Professional Organizations

- Member, International Communication Association.
- Member, National Communication Association.
- Member, Society of Social and Personality Psychology.
- Fellow, Society of Experimental Social Psychology.

Professional Committees and Workshops

- 2011 – 2013 Member, Executive Committee, Society of Experimental Social Psychology.
- 2011 Instructor, *Social Psychological Interventions*, a two-week graduate training workshop at the Summer Institute for Social and Personality Psychology (with Deborah Prentice), Princeton, NJ.
- 2011 Chair, Theoretical Innovation Prize Panel, Society for Personality and Social Psychology.
- 2011 Member, Scientific Impact Committee, Society of Experimental Social Psychology.
- 2011 Member, Webpage Advisory Board, Social Psychology and Personality Psychology.

- 2009 Co-organizer (with Jennifer Bosson), Self and Identity Preconference (sponsored by the International Society for Self and Identity), for the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Las Vegas, NV.
- 2008 Co-organizer (with Diane Quinn), Self and Identity Preconference (sponsored by the International Society for Self and Identity), for the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Tampa, FL.
- 2005 Organizer, Health Cognitions Conference, sponsored by National Cancer Institute, Asheville, NC.

AWARDS

- 2015 Top Four Paper Award, Health Communication Division, International Communication Association.
- 2015 Top Student Paper Award (faculty co-author), Health Communication Division, International Communication Association.
- 2016 Teaching Distinction, Office of the Provost, University of Connecticut.
- 2015 Teaching Distinction, Office of the Provost, University of Connecticut.
- 2014 Teaching Distinction, Office of the Provost, University of Connecticut.
- 2013 Teaching Distinction, Office of the Provost, University of Connecticut.
- 2012 Teaching Distinction, Office of the Provost, University of Connecticut.
- 2005 Teaching Distinction, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- 2004 Teaching Distinction, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- 2003 Teaching Distinction, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- 2002 Theoretical Innovation Prize, Society of Personality and Social Psychology.