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EDUCATION

2017 - Current

MA Psychology Academic Research Social/Cognitive (in progress)

Humboldt State University, Arcata CA

2017 – 2019

BA Psychology with Honors

Humboldt State University, Arcata CA

2013 - 2017

AA Psychology with Honors

Sierra College, Grass Valley CA

Cabrillo College, Aptos CA

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

2017-Present

Presidential Scholar, Humboldt State University

2017-Present

Dean's List, Humboldt State University

2015-2017

Dean's List, Sierra Community College

2019-2020

College of Professional Studies Student Academic Success Fund - \$250

Kimball Midwest Scholarship - \$1,000

2018-2019

HSU Bookstore Scholarship - \$1,000

2017-2018

Osher California Community College Transfer Student Scholarship - \$2,500

RESEARCH INVOLVEMENT

Research Presentations

Oral Presentations:

Souter, S. S., (2020, April). *Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity: Race, Mental Health, and Social Dominance Orientation*. Paper session presented at Western Psychological Association Convention, San Francisco CA.

Souter, S. S., (Symposium Conveyor) (2020, April). *Uncertainty Reduction: from benign Reassurance to Violence Endorsement*. Symposium presented at Western Psychological Association Convention, San Francisco CA.

Souter, S. S., Gaffney, A. M., Hogg M. A. (2020, April). *Are they accepting new members? Group Identification Motivated by Uncertainty Reduction*. Oral presentation at Western Psychological Association Convention, San Francisco CA.

Poster Presentations

Souter, S. S., Conso, M. C., Perriello, L. M., Griffith, Z. M., Rast, D. E. III, Gaffney, A. M. (2020, February). *Implicit Bias, Conservatism, and Low Support for Black Lives Matter among Republicans*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.

Esenbock, B.V. L., **Souter, S.S.**, Moyer, C., Gold, G. (2019, April). *Comparison of Spatial Reasoning Skills Among Professional String and Non-String Instrument Musicians*. Poster session presented at Western Psychological Association Convention, Pasadena CA.

Escalante, S., Myers, E., Lopez E.G., **Souter S. S.**, & Gold, G. (2019, April). *How Do I Look? Gender Conformity, Self Critical Comments, and Friendship*. Poster session presented at the Western Psychological Association Convention. Pasadena, CA.

Kuljian, O. R., Byers, S. M., **Souter, S. S.**, Skillman, B. P., & Gaffney, A. M. (2019, February). *Effects of prototypicality on evaluations of warmth of attractive group members*. Presented at the poster session at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, Portland, OR.

Souter, S. S., Sherburne, B., Cruz, A. N., Gaffney, A. M., Hackett D. J. (2019, February). *Dehumanization of undocumented families and why news outlet matters*. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Portland, OR

Cruz, A. N., **Souter, S. S.**, Escalante, S., & Gaffney, A., M. (2019, February). *Follow the group:*

Elaborating on group members when gathering prototype relevant information. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Portland, OR

Souter, S.S., & Deshazier, H., Gold, G., (2018, April). *An experimental study of forgiveness with a repeated transgression.* Poster session presented at the Western Psychological Association Convention. Portland, OR

Labs and Organizations

2019 - Present

President – Scholars of Academic Research (S.O.A.R.), Humboldt State University

- Organization of research colloquium speaker series (Psych Talks)
- Successful facilitation of group duties and responsibilities
- Club grant preparation and submission

2018-2019

Vice President – Scholars of Academic Research (S.O.A.R.), Humboldt State University

- Coordination and organization of Professional Development Seminar Series
- Responsible for all presidential duties in their absence
- Supporting all other club roles

2017 - 2018

Social Influence Lab Manager, Humboldt State University

- Facilitating Lab Research
- Data management / Analysis
- Running participants
- Leadership
- Facilitation of teamwork
- Mentorship of undergraduate students
- Planning of schedule (i.e. data collection, article reviews, conference timeline)

2018 – Present

Cognition Lab Graduate Research Assistant, Humboldt State University

- Article presentations
- Running participants for ongoing studies

2018 – Present

Social Identity Lab Graduate Research Assistant, Humboldt State University

- Poster presentations
- Article presentations
- Running participants for ongoing studies
- Project management
- Supervision and mentorship of undergraduates

2017 – Present

Social Influence Lab Member, Humboldt State University

- Collaboration on Colleagues Theses
- Poster presentations
- Article presentations
- Project management

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

(student and professor evaluations available)

Graduate Teaching Assistant Position - Paid

Spring 2020

Introduction to Psychological Statistics, Lecturer Brandi Goodspeed, M.A., Humboldt State University

Fall 2019

Introduction to Psychological Statistics, Lecturer Brandi Goodspeed, M.A., Humboldt State University

Teaching Assistant Positions – Volunteer

Fall 2019

Psychology of Prejudice, Lecturer Sally Hang, M.A., Humboldt State University

Social Psychology, Assistant Professor Dr. Amber M. Gaffney, Humboldt State University

Summer 2018

Social Psychology, Assistant Professor Dr. Amber M. Gaffney, Humboldt State University

Guest Lectures

Souter, S.S., (2019, October). *Social Dominance Orientation: Hierarchy Enhancing and Attenuating Strategies*. Guest lecture presented for Humboldt State University psychology course, The Psychology of Prejudice, Arcata, CA

Souter, S.S., (2019, September). *Social Identity Approach to the Psychology of Prejudice*. Guest lecture presented for Humboldt State University psychology course, The Psychology of Prejudice, Arcata, CA

Mentorship Presentations

Spring 2020

- Graduate Student Panel, College of Professional Studies Orientation Panel

Fall 2019

- Graduate Student Panel, Undergraduate Senior Seminar Capstone Course
- Graduate Student Panel, College of Professional Studies Orientation Panel

Spring 2019

- Graduate Student Panel, Professional Development Seminar Presented by S.O.A.R.
- Professional Development Oral Presentation, *Jobs with a B.A. in Psychology*, Professional Development Seminar, Presented by S.O.A.R.

REFERENCES

Dr. Amber M. Gaffney – amber.gaffney@humboldt.edu

Assistant Professor of Psychology

Principle Investigator – Social Identity Lab

S.O.A.R. Club Advisor

Dr. Gregg Gold – gjg14@humboldt.edu

Professor of Psychology / Assistant Dean for College of Professional Studies

Principle Investigator – Social Influence Lab

Thesis Advisor

Sally Hang M.A. – sally.hang@humboldt.edu

Lecturer in Psychology