

CURRICULM VITAE

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EDUCATION

- 2017~present **Ph.D. Student**, Individual Differences and Evolutionary Psychology (expected degree, 2022)
The University of Texas at Austin
Advisors: David M. Buss, Ph.D., Cindy M. Meston, Ph.D.
- 2019 **Master of Arts**, Psychology
The University of Texas at Austin
- 2015 **Bachelor of Arts with High University Honors**, Psychology
The University of Texas at Austin
Minor in Communication Studies

ACADEMIC HONORS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

- 2020 **Graduate School Continuing Fellowship**
Limited number of awards presented to continuing graduate students
The University of Texas at Austin, Psychology Department
\$5,000.00 award
- 2020 **Janet T. Spence Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award**
Award presented to one graduate student per academic year
The University of Texas at Austin, Psychology Department
\$500.00 award
- 2020 **Psychology Department Student Research Travel Award**
Award presented to graduate students to fund their research presentations
The University of Texas at Austin, Psychology Department
\$500.00 award
- 2019-2022 **Doctoral Dissertation Grant**
Sexual Morality, Evolution, and Religion (PI).
The evolution of science and religion as meaning-making systems
Directed by Dominic Johnson, Ph.D. and Michael Price, Ph.D.
Funding and support provided by the Templeton Religion Trust and the Issachar Fund
Total costs: \$48,000 USD
- 2019 **Student Award for Best Oral Presentation**
Flyover-State Scientists Integrating Evolution (FOSSIL) Conference
\$100.00 award
- 2019 **Psychology Department Student Research Travel Award**
Award presented to graduate students to fund their research presentations
The University of Texas at Austin, Psychology Department
\$500.00 award
- 2018 **Nomination for Annual American Psychological Foundation (APF) Graduate Fellowship**
One graduate student's application is nominated by the department per year to be submitted

The University of Texas at Austin, Psychology Department

- 2018 **Psychology Department Student Research Travel Award**
Award presented to graduate students to fund their research presentations
The University of Texas at Austin, Psychology Department
\$500.00 award
- 2015 **Dean's Distinguished Graduates Honorable Mention Recipient**
The University of Texas at Austin, College of Liberal Arts
- 2014~2015 **College Scholar (Recognized as top 20% of his/her class)**
The University of Texas at Austin
- 2012-2015 **University Honors**
The University of Texas at Austin

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. **Crosby, C. L.**, Durkee, P. K., Sedlacek, A. B. G., & Buss, D. M. (Stage 1 Registered Report: Accepted in Principle). Mate availability and sexual disgust. *Adaptive Human Behavior and Physiology*. [PDF](https://osf.io/g9us7/). <https://osf.io/g9us7/>
2. **Crosby, C. L.**, Durkee, P. K., Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (2020). Six dimensions of sexual disgust. *Personality and Individual Differences*, 156. [PDF](#).
3. Asao, K., **Crosby, C. L.**, & Buss, D. M. (*under review*). The seven dimensions of sexual morality.
4. **Crosby, C. L.**, Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (*in prep*). Sexual risk taking when sexually aroused.

BOOK CHAPTERS, SYMPOSIA PAPERS, & REVIEWS

1. **Crosby, C. L.**, & Buss, D. M. (2020). Sexual disgust: An evolutionary perspective. *Emotion Researcher*. [Invited Symposia paper]. [PDF](#).
2. **Crosby, C. L.**, Buss, D. M., & Meston, C. M. (2019). Sexual disgust: Evolutionary perspectives and relationship to female sexual function. *Current Sexual Health Reports*, 11(4). [Invited Review]. [PDF](#).
3. **Crosby, C. L.**, Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (*in prep*). Copulatory urgency. In *The Cambridge Handbook of Evolutionary Perspectives on Sexual Psychology*. Cambridge University Press, New York, NY. [Invited Chapter]. [PDF](#).

PEER REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS

Podium Presentations:

1. **Crosby, C. L.**, Durkee, P. K., Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (2019, August). Six dimensions of sexual disgust. Presented at the inaugural meeting of Flyover-State Scientists Integrating Evolution (FOSSIL), Stillwater, Oklahoma.
2. **Crosby, C. L.**, Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (2019, June). Sexual risk taking when sexually aroused. Presented at the annual meeting of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society (HBES), Boston, Massachusetts.
3. Pulverman, C. S., Gonzalez, L. L., **Crosby, C. L.**, Griffy, C., & Meston, C. M. (2015, April). Sexual shame mediates the relationship between a history of childhood sexual abuse and current sexual dysfunction. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Sex Therapy and Research (SSTAR), Chicago, IL.

Poster Presentations:

1. **Crosby, C. L.**, Buss, D. M., & Meston, C. M. (2020, March). Sexual disgust and sexual satisfaction. Presented at the annual meeting of the International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health (ISSWSH), Orlando, Florida.
2. **Crosby, C. L.**, Wycoff, J. P., Buss, D. M., & Meston, C. M. (2020, March). Sexual and emotional affairs: Does friendship mater?. Presented at the annual meeting of the International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health (ISSWSH), Orlando, Florida.
3. **Crosby, C. L.**, Buss, D. M., Batres, C., Kitema, H., Yahiaiev, I., Malysheva, K., Trofimov, A., Rezvushkina, T., Seisembekov, T., Dontsov, A., Samekin, A., Abdramanova, S., Burtsev, E., Vykhodtcev, S., Egorov, D., & Mikhilchenko, K. (2020, February). Sex differences in sexual disgust: A cross-cultural analysis. Presented at the annual evolutionary psychology preconference at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP), New Orleans, Louisiana.
4. **Crosby, C. L.**, Durkee, P. K., & Buss, D. M. (2019, April). Mate availability and disgust. Poster presented at the annual meeting of California Workshop of Evolutionary Social Scientists (C-WESS), Chino Hills, California.
5. **Crosby, C. L.**, Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (2019, March). The attractiveness of risky behaviors: A preliminary analysis of evolutionary implications for sexual risk-taking. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health (ISSWSH), Atlanta, Georgia.
6. **Crosby, C. L.**, Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (2019, March). Domains of sexual disgust. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health (ISSWSH), Atlanta, Georgia.
7. **Crosby, C. L.**, Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (2018, July). Domains of sexual disgust. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society (HBES), Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
8. **Crosby, C. L.**, Kilimnik, C. D., Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (2018, February). Sexual partners and compulsivity: An examination of body esteem in the sexual behaviors of women with and without nonconsensual sexual experiences. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Society for the Study of Women's Sexual Health (ISSWSH), San Diego, CA.

INVITED TALKS AND WORKSHOPS

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| 2020 | Sexual Morality, Evolution, and Religion
Kenrick-Neuberg Speaker Seminar Series
Arizona State University <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presented a 120-minute talk about an upcoming, extensive cross-cultural project that plans to elucidate the link between sexual morality, religion, and evolutionary theory. |
| 2019 | IRB Workshop
The University of Texas at Austin <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Designed, orchestrated, and helped present the first department wide, two-hour, informal IRB workshop. During this workshop we oriented incoming graduate students to the University's IRB regulations, review levels, best practices, requirements for vulnerable populations, and categories. |
| 2019 | Six Dimensions of Sexual Disgust
Cognitive Science Speaker Seminar Series
The University of Texas at Austin <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presented a 30-minute talk about my research describing the Sexual Disgust Inventory (SDI), a new, comprehensive tool for assessing individual differences in sexual disgust. |
| 2019 | Six Dimensions of Sexual Disgust
Brain, Behavior & Evolution Seminar Series
The University of Texas at Austin |

- Presented a 45-minute talk about my research describing the Sexual Disgust Inventory (SDI), a new, comprehensive tool for assessing individual differences in sexual disgust.

2019

Applying to Graduate School

Women in Psychology

The University of Texas at Austin

- Participated in a panel as a Graduate Student Representative about applying to graduate school.

GUEST LECTURES

2019

Sexual Desire

Introduction to Human Sexuality

The University of Texas at Austin

Professors: Cindy M. Meston, Ph.D. & David M. Buss, Ph.D.

- Co-lectured a class of 100 undergraduate students about evolutionary perspectives of sexual desire
- Co-lectured to the UT Austin Synchronous Massive Online Course (SMOC) system television studio which was broadcast to over 400 students online

2018

Sexual Jealousy

Introduction to Human Sexuality

The University of Texas at Austin

Professors: Cindy M. Meston, Ph.D. & David M. Buss, Ph.D.

- Co-lectured a class of 100 undergraduate students about evolutionary perspectives of sexual jealousy
- Co-lectured to the UT Austin Synchronous Massive Online Course (SMOC) system television studio which was broadcast to over 400 students online

2018

The Integration of Evolutionary Science in Human Sexuality Research

Experimental and Research Methods

Texas State University

Professor: Jennifer Clegg, Ph.D.

- Presented a 45-minute lecture to an undergraduate research methods class about the methods used in human sexuality research and evolutionary science

2018

Introduction to Human Sexuality Research

Introduction to Human Sexuality

University of the Incarnate Word

Professor: Cay Crow, LPC

- Designed and presented a 45-minute lecture outlining human sexuality research

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistantships***Department of Psychology******University of Texas at Austin***

2019

Statistics and Research Design

2018~2020

Human Sexuality

2018

Child Language

2018

Intro to Developmental Psychology

2017

Development of Categories and Concepts

MENTORING EXPERIENCE

2020~2022

Co-mentor for Undergraduate Psychology Thesis**The University of Texas at Austin, Psychology Department**

- 2019~present

 - Helped advise, plan, and mentor an undergraduate student conduct her own research study over the experience of compersion in consensual non-monogamous (CNM) relationships from an Evolutionary Perspective

UTeam Mentorship Program for Underrepresented Students
The University of Texas at Austin Liberal Arts Council Diversity

 - Helped create a formal avenue of support between university faculty/staff/graduate students and undergraduate students from communities who often do not seek out this form of mentorship (LGBTQ+ students, first generation students, students of color, students with disabilities, and students of religious minorities)
- 2017~present

Women's Sexual Psychophysiology Laboratory
The University of Texas at Austin, Psychology Department

 - Supervisor to 15 undergraduate research assistants
- 2017~present

The Evolutionary Psychology Laboratory
The University of Texas at Austin, Psychology Department

 - Supervisor to 6 undergraduate research assistants

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

- 2018~present
- Ad-Hoc Reviewer*
 Personality and Individual Differences
 The Journal of Sex Research
 Evolutionary Psychology

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2020~Present The European Human Behaviour and Evolution Association (EHBEA)
- 2020~Present The Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP)
- 2017~Present Human Behavior and Evolution Society (HBES)