## **Assignment 3: Moderation and Mediation**

This assignment builds on Assignment 2. Include your measures section and descriptive statistics from Assignment 2. If any measures changed from Assignment 2, then revise your measures section and descriptive table accordingly.

## **General overview**

- A. State two testable hypotheses: one to assess moderation and another to assess mediation
- B. Conduct moderation and mediation tests and table results
- C. Describe the results

## **Detailed** information

**A.** Identify a potential mediating and moderating variable, respectively. Add any additional information to your measures section needed to understand your moderating and mediating variables. Develop, and clearly state, two hypotheses: (i) one that addresses moderation, and (ii) another that addresses mediation. (10-points)

- **B.** Further develop the model you built for Assignment 2 (Model 1) by examining potential moderating (Model 2) and mediating (Model 3) circumstances, respectively. Table your regression results as if they were presented in a professional journal. You may, but are not required to, include additional figures to illustrate any observed moderating or mediating effects. (10-points)
- C. Describe your results, in several paragraphs, as if they were reported in a professional journal. If results are not significant then interpret some as if they were—make note of this issue. (15-points)