WYLEY JUDKINS

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Ogden, Utah • Graduation: April 2025

EDUCATION

Weber State University, Ogden, UT

Associate of Science and Bachelor of Science in Psychological Science, Minor in Criminal Justice, April 2025

GPA: Cumulative 3.51 | Major GPA: 3.87

Relevant Courses: Theories of Crime and Delinquency, Forensic Psychology, Community-Based Participatory Research, Lifespan Development

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Dr. Xin Zhao's Lab, Weber State University (2024 – Present)

- Contributing to the development of interview-based content for the OpenStax Psychology 1010 textbook
- Conducting interviews with nontraditional professionals across various fields to enhance textbook relevance to student experiences

Research Assistant, Dr. Vanessa Watts' Lab, Weber State University (2024 – Present)

- Conducting Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR) focused on dating behaviors within student housing
- Aiming to inform and reconstruct Weber State's dating behavior curriculum requirements

Independent Research Project, Weber State University (Fall 2024)

- Investigated the presence of Dark Tetrad personality traits among students across different academic majors
- Designed survey instruments and performed preliminary data analysis (unpublished)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Community Voices Amplified Conference (Upcoming)

- Session Title: Amplifying Community in CBPR: Researcher & Resident Collaboration
- Co-presenting with research team and a community member to discuss CBPR methodology, benefits, and challenges

CLINICAL & VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Volunteer, Youth Impact, Ogden, UT (2024 – 2025)

- Designed and implemented psychological curriculum for children on topics such as healthy habits, self-regulation, and emotional awareness
- Mentored youth through personalized interaction and behavioral support

Phlebotomist, Grifols Biomat, Ogden, UT (2023 – 2024)

 Conducted blood draws and patient interactions in a clinical setting, requiring both technical proficiency and empathetic communication

Volunteer, Weber County Animal Shelter, Ogden, UT (2024 – 2024)

• Assisted in daily operations, socialization, and enrichment activities for animals in care

Volunteer, Neurodivergent Youth Hockey Program, Ogden, UT (2018 – 2019)

• Supported neurodivergent children in athletic engagement and social development during team-based hockey activities

TEACHING & MENTORSHIP

Teaching Assistant, Psychology 1010, Weber State University (Fall 2024 – Spring 2025)

- Led competitive review sessions and interactive group activities to promote student learning and retention
- Provided written and verbal feedback on assignments to support academic growth
- Assisted in lecture preparation and classroom engagement as part of a structured TA development program

Mentee, Weber State Mentorship Program

- Mentor: Dr. Meinda Russell-Stamp
- Engaged in one-on-one professional development and academic planning

PROJECTS & ACADEMIC ENGAGEMENT

Personality Guest Lecture, Weber State University (March 2025)

 Delivered a lecture on Personality and Trait Theory, emphasizing the Big Five and the Dark Tetrad models

Case Study Defense, Weber State University (April 2025)

• Completed oral and written defense of a fictional case using Cognitive Processing Therapy for a veteran with PTSD from Middle East deployment

Student Defense Committee, Weber State University (April 2025)

• Participated on a student committee evaluating peer oral defenses

Pharmacology Presentation, Weber State University (Spring 2024)

 Delivered an academic presentation on tricyclic antidepressants, including mechanisms, efficacy, and clinical implications

HONORS & AFFILIATIONS

- Psi Chi (International Honor Society in Psychology)
- National Society of Leadership and Success
- Weber State Mentorship Program

SKILLS

- Research Design (Quantitative & Qualitative)
- Interview-Based Research
- Community Engagement & Facilitation
- Academic Writing (APA Style)

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- SPSS
- Public Speaking & Presentation
- Curriculum Development

References available upon request.