

## **Adam P. McGuire, Ph.D.**

### *Curriculum Vitae*

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### **CURRENT POSITIONS**

- 2019–Present**      **Investigator, Clinical Psychologist**  
VISN 17 Center of Excellence for Research on Returning War Veterans  
Doris Miller VA Medical Center, Waco, Texas  
Licensed Psychologist, Texas (#38189; Exp: 11/30/2024)
- 2019–Present**      **Assistant Professor**  
Department of Psychology and Counseling  
The University of Texas at Tyler, Tyler, Texas

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### **PREVIOUS ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS**

- 2017–2019**      **Research Scientist**  
Department of Psychology and Neuroscience  
Baylor University, Waco, Texas
- 2017–2019**      **Adjunct Assistant Professor**  
Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Science  
Texas A&M University Health Science Center  
College of Medicine, College Station, Texas
- 2016**      **Adjunct Faculty**  
Department of Clinical Psychology  
Seattle Pacific University, Seattle, Washington

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### **EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

- 2017–2019**      **OAA Advanced Research Postdoctoral Fellow**  
VISN 17 Center of Excellence for Research  
Doris Miller VA Medical Center, Waco, Texas  
Training Director: Richard W. Seim, Ph.D.
- 2017**      **Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology**  
Department of Clinical Psychology, *APA Accredited*  
Seattle Pacific University, Seattle, Washington  
Advisor: Thane M. Erickson, Ph.D.

**Predoctoral Internship**

University of Mississippi Medical Center / G.V. Sonny Montgomery VA  
Medical Center Consortium, *APA Accredited*, Jackson, Mississippi  
Training Director: Daniel C. Williams, Ph.D.

**2014**

**M.S. in Clinical Psychology**

Seattle Pacific University, Seattle, Washington

**2011**

**B.A. in Psychology**

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

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**RESEARCH FUNDING**

**Current Funding**

**Rural Veterans Health Access Program, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), US Dept of Health and Human Services**

Title: Improving rural enrollment, access, and healthcare (I-REACH) in rural veterans

Role: Consultant (PI: Emre Umucu)

Period: 8/1/22 – 8/1/25; Total Costs: \$887,083

**Completed Funding**

**Veterans Integrated Service Network (VISN 17) Center of Excellence for Research on Returning War Veterans Pilot Funds Award**

Title: Eliciting moral elevation in veterans with PTSD and moral injury

Role: Principal Investigator

Period: 3/1/18 – 3/1/21; Total Costs: \$10,000

**RR&D Small Projects in Rehabilitation Research (SPiRE) Award, Veterans Health Administration, Office of Research and Development**

Title: Moral elevation online intervention for veterans experiencing distress related to PTSD and moral injury (MOVED): A pilot study of a web-based intervention

Role: Principal Investigator

Period: 9/1/19 – 3/1/22; Total Costs: \$199,796

**Under Review**

**NIH R01, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA)**

Title: Examining alcohol misuse in student veterans through an integrated biopsychosocial stress and strength-based model

Role: Co-Investigator; under review

**NIH R61/R33, National Institute of Health**

Title: Veterans exploring recovery with songs and elevation (VERSE): Mechanisms of action and pilot study to enhance well-being in trauma-exposed veterans

Role: Co-Principal Investigator; Proposed Total Costs: \$1,714,182, under review

### **RR&D Merit Review Award, Veterans Health Administration, Office of Research and Development**

Title: A randomized controlled trial of a web-based moral elevation intervention for veterans with PTSD.

Role: Principal Investigator; Proposed Total Costs: \$1,196,350, under review

### **Previously Submitted**

#### **John Templeton Foundation Grant, Templeton Foundation**

Title: Using machine learning to optimize elevation responses to moral exemplars: A novel path to flourishing beyond mental health symptoms

Role: Principal Investigator; Proposed Total Costs: \$134,500, not funded

#### **Interdisciplinary Grant, The University of Texas at Tyler Internal Grants Program**

Title: Exploring the impact of moral elevation on daily life in the context of psychological distress

Role: Principal Investigator; Proposed Total Costs: \$40,000, not funded

#### **Pathways to Character Project, Templeton Foundation**

Title: Character growth in veterans following PTSD treatment: Expanding gratitude and prosocial behaviors (letter of intent proposal; 2017)

Role: Principal Investigator; Proposed Total Costs: \$88,500, not funded

#### **PEACE Grant, Mind and Life Institute**

Title: Enhancing Loving-Kindness Meditation with moral elevation to target prosociality and social connection: A pilot trial of an online intervention for veterans with PTSD

(invited to submit full proposal; 2020)

Role: Principal Investigator; Proposed Total Costs: \$100,000, not funded

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## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Peer-Reviewed Publications**

1. **McGuire, A. P.**, Howard, B. A. N., Erickson, T. M., & Creech, S. K. (2023). Moral elevation online intervention for veterans experiencing distress related to PTSD and moral injury (MOVED): A pilot trial of a 4-week positive psychology online intervention. *JMIR Formative Research*, 7, e39894. <https://doi.org/10.2196/39894>
2. **McGuire, A. P.**, Elmore, C., Szabo, Y. Z., Kurz, A. S., Mendoza, C., Umucu, E., & Creech, S. K. (2023). Exploring the trajectory and correlates of social isolation for veterans across a 6-month period during COVID-19. *PLoS ONE*, 18(3), e0281575. <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0281575>
3. Erickson, T. M., Scarsella, G. M., **McGuire, A. P.**, Tingey, J. L., Crouch, T. A., Stebbins, O. L., & Lewis, J. A. (2022). Pure in heart: Perceived virtue states uniquely predict prosocial processes, spirituality, and well-being. *Psychology of Religion and Spirituality*. <https://doi.org/10.1037/rel0000481>
4. **McGuire, A. P.**, Hayden, C. L., Tomoum, R., & Kurz, A. S. (2022). Development and validation of the State Moral Elevation Scale: Assessing state-level elevation across nonclinical and clinical samples. *Journal of Happiness Studies*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10902-022-00533-2>

5. **McGuire, A. P.**, Fagan, J., Howard, B. A. H., Wurm, A., & Szabo, Y. Z. (2022). Changes in trauma-related cognitions and emotions after eliciting moral elevation: Examining the effects of viewing others' virtuous behavior on veterans with PTSD. *Frontiers in Health Services*, 1, 831032. <https://doi.org/10.3389/frhs.2021.831032>
6. **McGuire, A. P.**, Fagan, J., Tsai, J., Merians, A. N., Nichter, B., Norman, S. B., Southwick, S. M., & Pietrzak, R. H. (2022). Dispositional gratitude predicts the development of psychopathology and suicidal behaviors: Results from a 7-year population-based study of U.S. military veterans. *Journal of Psychiatric Research*, 149, 168-176. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpsychires.2022.02.028>
7. Staley, G., Zaidan, A., Henley, K., Childers, L. G., Daniel, R., Lauderdale, S., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2022). Commending rather than condemning veterans: Moral elevation and stigma for male veterans with military sexual trauma. *BMC Psychology*, 10(292), 1-8. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s40359-022-01002-4>
8. Szabo, Y. Z., Frankfurt, S. B., Kurz, A. S., Anderson, A. R., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2022). Resilience predicts posttraumatic cognitions after a trauma reminder task and subsequent positive emotion induction among veterans with PTSD. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*, 14, S101-S108. <https://doi.org/10.1037/tra0001143>
9. Anderson, A. R. Kurz, A. S., Szabo, Y. Z., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Frankfurt, S. B. (2022). Exploring the longitudinal clustering of lifestyle behaviors, social determinants of health, and depression. *Journal of Health Psychology*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/13591053211072685>
10. Hayden, C. L., Szabo, Y. Z., Anderson, A. R., Frankfurt, S. B., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2021). Social interaction within a trauma-exposed population during the early phase of COVID-19. *Journal of Loss and Trauma*, 1-17. <https://doi.org/10.1080/15325024.2020.1856608>
11. **McGuire, A. P.**, Fogle, B. M., Tsai, J., Southwick, S. M., & Pietrzak, R. H. (2021). Dispositional gratitude and mental health in the U.S. veteran population: Results from the National Health and Resilience Veterans Study. *Journal of Psychiatric Research*, 135, 279-288. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpsychires.2021.01.020>
12. **McGuire, A. P.**, Hayden, C., Zambrano-Vazquez, L., & Connolly, K. M. (2021). Examining the link between intolerance of uncertainty and positive and negative urgency in veterans with comorbid PTSD and substance use disorders. *Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease*, 209, 82-84. <https://doi.org/10.1097/NMD.0000000000001252>
13. **McGuire, A. P.**, & Mignogna, J. M. (2021). Inducing moral elevation in veterans with PTSD: An experimental investigation using a mixed methods approach. *Journal of Experimental Psychopathology*, 12, 1-15. <https://doi.org/10.11772043808720982415>
14. **McGuire, A. P.**, Frankfurt, S. B., Anderson, L. M., & Connolly, K. M. (2020). Pre- to posttreatment changes in trauma-cued negative emotion mediate improvement in posttraumatic stress disorder, depression, and impulsivity. *Traumatology* 26(4), 455-462. <https://doi.org/10.1037/trm0000258>
15. **McGuire, A. P.**, Hayden, C., Frankfurt, S. B., Kurz, A. S., Anderson, A. R., Howard, B. A. N., Szabo, Y. Z. (2020). Social engagement early in the U.S. COVID-19 crisis: Exploring social support and prosocial behavior between those with and without depression or anxiety in an online sample. *Journal of Social and Clinical Psychology*, 39, 923-953. <https://doi.org/10.1521/jscp.2020.39.10.923>

16. **McGuire, A. P.**, Szabo, Y. Z., Murphy, K. M., & Erickson, T. M. (2020). Direct and indirect effects of trait and state gratitude on health-related quality of life in a prospective design. *Psychological Reports, 123*, 2248-2262. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0033294119868784>
17. **McGuire, A. P.**, Nosen, E., & Lyons, J. A. (2019). Benefits of moral elevation in veterans with PTSD and moral injury: A proposed theoretical framework and pilot study. *Military Behavioral Health, 7*(3), 315-326. <https://doi:10.1080/21635781.2018.1540316>
18. Stebbins, O. L., Tingey, J. L., Verdi, E. K., Erickson, T. M., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2019). Compassionate goals predict social support and PTSD symptoms following a university shooting: A moderated mediation analysis. *Journal of Social and Clinical Psychology, 38*, 277-300. <https://doi:10.1521/jscp.2019.38.4.277>
19. Hollingsworth, D. W., Gauthier, J., **McGuire A. P.**, Peck, K. R., Hahn, K., & Connolly, K. M. (2018). Intolerance of uncertainty mediates symptoms of PTSD and depression in African American veterans. *Journal of Black Psychology, 44*, 667-688. <https://doi:10.1177/0095798418809201>
20. **McGuire, A. P.**, Erickson, T. M., Quach, C. M., & Willey, B. (2018). Gratitude for better or worse: Differential predictors and affective outcomes of state gratitude in positive and negative contexts. *Journal of Positive School Psychology and Wellbeing, 3*(2), 99-111. <https://journalppw.com/index/php/JPPW/article/view/91>
21. **McGuire, A. P.**, Gauthier, J. M., Anderson, L. M., Hollingsworth, D. W., Tracy, M., Galea, S., Coffey, S. F. (2018). Social support moderates effects of natural disaster exposure on depression and PTSD symptoms: Effects for displaced and non-displaced residents. *Journal of Traumatic Stress, 31*, 223-233. <https://doi:10.1002/jts.22270>
22. **McGuire, A. P.**, Mota, N. P., Sippel, L. M., Connolly, K. M., & Lyons, J. A. (2018). Increased resilience is associated with positive treatment outcomes for veterans with comorbid PTSD and substance use disorders. *Journal of Dual Diagnosis, 14*, 181-186. <https://doi:10.1080/15504263.2018.1464237>
23. Peck, K. R., Coffey, S. F., **McGuire, A. P.**, Voluse, A. C., & Connolly, K. M. (2018). A cognitive processing therapy-based treatment program for veterans diagnosed with co-occurring posttraumatic stress disorder and substance use disorder: The relationship between trauma-related cognitions and outcomes for a 6-week treatment program. *Journal of Anxiety Disorders, 59*, 34-41. <https://doi:10.1016/j.janxdis.2018.09.001>
24. Erickson, T. M., Mayer, S. E., Lopez-Duran, N. L., Scarsella, G. M., **McGuire, A. P.**, Crocker, J., & Abelson, J. L. (2017). Mediators of compassionate goal intervention effects on human neuroendocrine responses to the Trier Social Stress Test. *Stress, 20*, 533-540. <https://doi:10.1080/10253890.2017.1368489>
25. Erickson, T. M., **McGuire, A. P.**, Scarsella, G. M., Crouch, T. A., Lewis, J. A., Eisenlohr, A. P., & Muresan, T. J. (2017). Viral videos and virtue: Moral elevation inductions shift affect and interpersonal goals in daily life. *Journal of Positive Psychology, 13*(6), 643-654. <https://doi:10.1080/17439760.2017.1365163>
26. Tingey, J. L., **McGuire, A. P.**, Stebbins, O., & Erickson, T. M. (2017). Moral elevation and compassionate goals predict posttraumatic growth in the context of a college shooting. *Journal of Positive Psychology, 14*(3), 261-270. <https://doi:10.1080/17439760.2017.1402077>

27. Murphy, K., **McGuire, A. P.**, Erickson, T. M., & Mezulis, A. (2016). Somatic symptoms mediate the relationship between health anxiety and health-related quality of life over eight weeks. *Stress and Health*. <https://doi:10.1002/smi.2694>
28. Redfield, C., **McGuire, A. P.**, Lin, T. C., Aust, M., & Erickson, T. M. (2016). Shifts in attitudes, knowledge, and social goals in nursing students followed structured contact with community-dwelling older adults. *Journal of Nursing Education*, 55, 569-573. <https://doi:10.3928/01484834-20160914-05>
29. Spencer, R. J., **McGuire, A. P.**, Tree, H. A., Waldron-Perrine, B., Pangilinan, P. H., & Bieliauskas, L. A. (2013). Report of traumatic brain injury information sources among OIF/OEF Veterans undergoing polytrauma evaluations. *Journal of Rehabilitation Research and Development*, 50, 1-6. <https://doi:10.1682/jrrd.2012.01.0018>
30. Waldron-Perrine B., **McGuire, A. P.**, Spencer, R. J., Drag, L. L., Pangilinan, P. H., & Bieliauskas, L. A. (2012). The influence of sleep and mood on cognitive functioning among veterans being evaluated for mild traumatic brain injury. *Military Medicine*, 177, 1293-1301. <https://doi:10.7205/MILMED-D-12-00169>

### Manuscripts Under Review

1. Fagan, J. G., Henley, K., Punnoose, S., & **McGuire, A. P.** (under review). Can exposure to specific acts of compassion and courage elicit moral elevation and related motives?
2. Hayden, C. L., Rodenbaugh, M., Monsour, M., & **McGuire, A. P.** (under review). Exploring the link between social support on substance use recovery and correlates of support during the COVID-19 pandemic.
3. **McGuire, A. P.**, Howard, B. A. N., Burns, C., Zambrano-Vazquez, L., & Szabo, Y. Z. (under review). Biopsychosocial correlates and individual differences for inducing moral elevation in veterans with PTSD: An experimental case series.
4. **McGuire, A. P.**, Erickson, T. M., Nabulsi, E. (under review). Interpersonal impact of veterans with PTSD and moral injury: Exploring how significant others perceive veterans undergoing a positive psychology intervention.
5. Wang, A., Reyes, A., Urkmez, B., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Umucu, E. (under review). The association between gratitude and dropout decisions in veteran students with disabilities.

### Book Chapters

1. Erickson, T. M., Newman, M. G., & **McGuire, A.** (2014). Adding an interpersonal-experiential focus to cognitive-behavioral therapy for generalized anxiety disorder. In Thoma, N. C. & McKay, D. (Eds.), *Working with emotion in cognitive-behavioral therapy: Techniques for clinical practice* (pp. 356-380). New York, NY: Guilford Press.

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## PRESENTATIONS

### Peer-Reviewed Presentations

1. Gabelmann, J. M., Davies, R. L., Bravo, A. J., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Kelley, M. L. (accepted). *Response to positive affect as a moderator of warzone experiences and suicidality*. Poster submitted to the American Psychological Association Convention (Washington, DC).

2. Lange, L., Nabulsi, E., & **McGuire, A. P.** (accepted). *Examining the link between intolerance of uncertainty, psychological flexibility, and perceived social support with feelings about loss during the COVID-19 pandemic*. Poster submitted to the 57<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (Seattle, WA).
3. **McGuire, A. P.**, Davies, R. L., Bravo, A. J., Gablemann, J. M., & Kelley, M. L. (accepted). *The moral of the story: Daily experiences of combat veterans with moral injury and the impact of eliciting moral elevation*. In T. Erickson (Chair), *The science of inspiration: Moral elevation as a positive emotion with relevance to resilience, marginalized populations, and treatment*. Symposium submitted to the 57<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (Seattle, WA).
4. Hayden, C. L., Fagan, J., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2022, November). *Goal-setting for veterans with PTSD and moral injury: A qualitative report of self-generated goals and reactions to success and failure*. Poster presented at the 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (New York, NY).
5. **McGuire, A. P.** (2022, November). *Assessing cognitive response styles to positive affect during a positive psychology intervention for veterans with PTSD and moral injury: Preliminary results from a moral elevation-based pilot trial*. In B. Wisco (Chair), *Trauma and cognition: Cognitive processes in PTSD risk and treatment*. Symposium presented at the 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (New York, NY).
6. Steffen, A., Lauderdale, S., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Pote, L. (2022, November). *Addressing the needs of masters-level CBT clinicians across multiple disciplines: Education, professional training and user-centered design of intervention materials*. Panel presented at the 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (New York, NY).
7. **McGuire, A. P.** (2022, June). *Leveraging positive psychology and social emotions to help veterans recover from trauma and stress*. Plenary session at the 1st Annual Summer Symposium: Serving those who Served (4S) (virtual).
8. **McGuire, A. P.**, Howard, B. A. H., Erickson, T. M., & Creech, S. K. (2022, March). *Moral elevation online intervention for veterans experiencing distress related to PTSD and moral injury (MOVED): Mixed methods results from a web-based positive psychology intervention pilot*. Poster presented at the Anxiety & Depression Association of America Conference (Denver, CO).
9. Fagan, J., Hayden, C. L., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2021, November). *Examining the association between relationship status, PTSD, depressive, and anxiety symptoms during COVID-19*. Poster presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 37<sup>th</sup> Annual meeting (virtual).
10. Fagan, J., Kurz, A. S., Anderson, A. R., Frankfurt, S. B., Szabo, Y. Z., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2021, November). *Mapping the PCL-5 onto state-level experiences for veterans with PTSD in an experimental design*. Poster presented at the 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (virtual).
11. **McGuire, A. P.**, Lenger, K., Sawyer, B., Whitton, S., Graziosi, M., Galan, C. A., & Gordon, C. L. (2021, November). *Multicultural considerations for integrating positive psychology and strengths-based approaches into mental health treatment*. Panel presented at the 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (virtual).

12. Holloway, E., Ismail, H., Nguyen, N., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2021, April). *Are courage and compassion contagious? Examining moral elevation in anxious college students*. Poster presented at Southwestern Psychological Association Annual Convention, Frisco, TX.
13. Ismail, H., Holloway, E., Nguyen, N., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2021, April). *Personal values and moral elevation in anxious college students*. Poster presented at Southwestern Psychological Association Annual Convention, Frisco, TX.
14. Staley, G. & **McGuire, A. P.** (2021, April). *Examining similarities and differences between sexual assault and moral injury*. Poster presented at Southwestern Psychological Association Annual Convention, Frisco, TX.
15. Tomoum, R., Nguyen, N., Holloway, E., Ismail, H., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2021, April). *Moral elevation and mental health stigma among religious and spiritual people*. Poster presented at Southwestern Psychological Association Annual Convention, Frisco, TX.
16. Howard, B. A. N., Burns, C. Mitchell, T., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2020, November). *Examining quality of life in veterans with PTSD: The potential roles of mental health symptoms and positive factors*. Poster presented at the 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (virtual).
17. Lauderdale, S., Daniel, R., Tate, L., Slagel, B., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2020, November). *Assessing the damage of stigma: A comprehensive evaluation of variables affecting public and internalized stigma experienced by active duty service members and veterans*. Symposium presented at the 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (virtual).
18. **McGuire, A. P.**, Creech, S. K., & Erickson, T. M. (2020, November). *Moral elevation online intervention for veterans experiencing PTSD and moral injury distress: Assessing the feasibility and acceptability of a web-based, positive psychology intervention*. In S. Wells (Chair). *Meeting clients where they are: The use of technology to increase the reach of evidence-based PTSD treatments*. Symposium presented at the 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy (virtual).
19. Howard, B. A. N., Mitchell, T., Burns, C., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2020, October). *Examining the influence of trauma history on moral elevation responses in veterans with PTSD*. Poster presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual San Antonio Combat PTSD Conference, San Antonio, TX.
20. **McGuire, A. P.** (2020, March). *Within-person effects of moral elevation on trauma-related cognitions and emotions: The potential benefits of feeling uplifted by others' actions*. Poster presentation accepted at the Anxiety and Depression Conference, San Antonio, TX.
21. **McGuire, A. P.** & Russell, M. L. (2019, November). *An experimental study examining moral elevation in veterans with PTSD: Responses to observing others' virtuous behavior*. In **A. McGuire** (Chair). *Utilizing social connectedness to alleviate trauma-related distress in veterans*. Symposium presented at the 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, Atlanta, GA.
22. Zambrano-Vasquez, L., **McGuire, A. P.**, Belleau, E. L., LaBash, H., Wanklyn, S. G., Hahn, K. S., & Connolly, K. M. (2019, November). *The role of worry and intolerance of uncertainty in PTSD symptom improvement: Exploring secondary mechanisms of treatment for veterans with PTSD and substance use disorders*. Poster presented at the 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, Atlanta, GA.



23. Szabo, Y. Z., Russell, M. L., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2019, November). *Resilience predicts posttraumatic cognitions after trauma reminder task and positive emotion induction in veterans with PTSD: Relevance for treatment*. Poster presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.
24. Szabo, Y. Z., Russell, M. L., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2019, November). *To be resilient is to be mindful? Mindfulness accounts for associations between resilience and self-conscious emotions after trauma narrative task among veterans with PTSD*. Poster presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Boston, MA.
25. Carr, R., Freed, S., McKinnon, M., Nash, W., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2018, November). In S. Frankfurt (Chair). *Military psychologists and neuroscientists in conversation: Conceptualizing the core affective processes of combat trauma*. Panel presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
26. Frankfurt, S., DeBeer, B., Morissette, S., La Bash, H., Kimbrel, N., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Meyer, E. (2018, November). Should experiencing military sexual trauma be considered a morally injurious act?: Exploring the role of military sexual trauma within a moral injury framework. Panel presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
27. Frankfurt, S., Donnellan, B., Litz, B., Russell, M., Meyer, E., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Riviere, L. (2018, November). A psychometric evaluation of the Moral Injury Events Scale and the Moral Injury Questionnaire-Military Version in Veterans and Soldiers. Panel presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
28. Frankfurt, S., Donnellan, B., Litz, B., Russell, M., Meyer, E., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Riviere, L. (2018, November). Refining the measurement of the moral injury framework: New measures of moral injury event exposure and moral injury event effects. Panel presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
29. **McGuire, A. P.**, Anderson, L. M., & Connolly, K. M. (2018, November). *Self-disgust mediates the relation between trauma-related self-blame and PTSD symptoms in veterans*. Poster presented at the 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, Washington, DC.
30. **McGuire, A. P.**, Nosen, E., & Lyons, J. A. (2018, November). *The benefits of moral elevation on PTSD treatment outcomes in a group residential program*. Paper presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Washington, DC.
31. **McGuire, A. P.**, Nosen, E., & Lyons, J. A. (2017, November). *The impact of feeling uplifted and inspired by fellow group members in PTSD residential treatment: A pilot study of the role of moral elevation*. Poster presented at International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL.
32. Kramarevsky, O. L., **McGuire, A. P.**, Tingey, J. L., & Erickson, T. M. (2016, October). *Compassionate goals and social support predict lower PTSD symptoms in the context of proximity to a mass trauma*. Poster presented at 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, New York, NY.
33. McNeil, T., **McGuire, A. P.**, Lewis, J., & Erickson, T. M. (2016, October). *A longitudinal investigation of the contrast avoidance model across eight weeks*. Paper presented at the 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, New York, NY.

34. Tingey, J. L., **McGuire, A. P.**, Kramarevsky, O.L., & Erickson, T. M. (2016, October). *Fostering posttraumatic growth following a school shooting: Impact of interpersonal processes and moral elevation*. Poster presented at 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, New York, NY.
35. McNeil, T., Patton, K., **McGuire, A. P.** (2016, April). *Impact of worry motives on negative emotion and somatic symptoms*. Poster presented at 96<sup>th</sup> Annual Western Psychological Association Convention, Long Beach, CA.
36. **McGuire, A. P.** & Erickson, T. M. (2015, November). *The role of intolerance of uncertainty and worry motives on seeking information in GAD versus nonanxious college students*. Poster presented at 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, Chicago, IL.
37. Scarsella, G. M., **McGuire, A. P.**, Kramarevsky, O., Erickson, T. M., & Abelson, J. L. (2015, November). *Anxiety and depression differentially predict self-referential language during a social stress task*. Poster presented at 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, Chicago, IL.
38. Erickson, T. M., Scarsella, G., **McGuire, A. P.**, McNeil, T., & Lewis, J. (2015, June). *A different type of elevation: Field experiments inducing moral elevation to shift daily interpersonal goals*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Interpersonal Theory and Research, Toronto, ON.
39. **McGuire, A. P.**, Murphy, K. M. Erickson, T. M., & DeSimone, J. (2015, April). *Benefits of expressing gratitude during the best and worst events*. Paper presented at the Western Psychological Association 95<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention, Las Vegas, NV.
40. Erickson, T. M. Scarsella, G., **McGuire, A. P.**, Abelson, J. L., Lopez-Duran, N. L., Mayer, S. E., Briggs, H., & Liberzon, I. (2014, November). *Mediators of cognitive goal intervention on stress hormones during a social stress task: The role of perceived moral purity and social affiliation*. Poster presented at 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, Philadelphia, PA.
41. Redfield, C., Erickson, T., Aust, M., Jay, J., **McGuire, A. P.**, Lin, A., Orton, V., & Pedersen, L. (2014, October). *Changes across social interactions between nursing students and older adults*. Paper presented at the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual University of New Mexico Mentoring Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
42. Murphy, K. M., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Erickson, T. M. (2014, April). *Testing gratitude as a moderator of health anxiety outcomes in a longitudinal design*. Poster presented at 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of Society of Behavioral Medicine, Philadelphia, PA.
43. Scarsella, G., Erickson, T. M., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Maddox, A. (2013, November). *Field experiments using daily video-based exercises to elicit moral elevation and positive affect*. Paper presented at the 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy, Nashville, TN.
44. Erickson, T. M., Abelson, J. L., Scarsella, G., **McGuire, A. P.**, Maddox, A., & Crocker, J. (2013, June). *Eliciting compassionate goals in a lab-based stress task and field experiments of moral elevation: Beneficial effects on cortisol and positive psychological states*. Paper presented at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual World Congress on Positive Psychology, Los Angeles, CA.
45. Erickson, T. M., Maddox, A., Scarsella, G., & **McGuire, A. P.** (2013, April). *YouTube as emotion science: Field studies testing daily internet videos to manipulate social goals and*

*affect*. Poster presented at Annual Conference of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America, San Diego, CA.

46. **McGuire, A. P.**, Tree, H. A., Waldron-Perrine, B., Spencer, R. J., Pangilinan, P. H., & Bieliauskas, L. A. (2011, November). *The influence of mood and anxiety symptoms on effort test performance in a VA polytrauma TBI clinic*. Poster presented at 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference of the National Academy of Neuropsychology, Marco Island, FL.
47. Tree, H. A., Waldron-Perrine, B., Spencer, R. J., **McGuire, A. P.**, Na, S. D., Pangilinan, P. H., & Bieliauskas, L. A. (2011, November). *The influence of sleep on effort test performance in a VA polytrauma TBI clinic*. Poster presented at 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference of the National Academy of Neuropsychology, Marco Island, FL.
48. Waldron-Perrine, B., Tree, H. A., Spencer, R. J., **McGuire, A. P.**, Na, S. D., Pangilinan, P. H., & Bieliauskas, L. A. (2011, November). *Associations between psychiatric symptomatology and neuropsychological functioning in a VA polytrauma/TBI clinic*. Poster presented at 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference of the National Academy of Neuropsychology, Marco Island, FL.
49. **McGuire, A. P.**, Spencer, R. J., Drag, L. L., Walker, S. J., Pangilinan, P. H., & Bieliauskas, L. A. (2011, February). *Effort drives the association between self-reports of cognitive function and neuropsychological test performance among returning combat veterans*. Poster presented at 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the International Neuropsychological Society, Boston, MA.
50. Neumann, M. R., Spencer, R. J., Tree, H. A., Pangilinan, P. H., **McGuire, A. P.**, & Bieliauskas, L. A. (2011, February). *Sleep deprivation has a small effect on memory among veterans being evaluated for mild traumatic brain injury*. Poster presented at 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the International Neuropsychological Society, Boston, MA.

### Invited Talks

1. **McGuire, A. P.** (2023, June). Leveraging technology to target PTSD and moral injury with moral elevation. Tech Into Care: Lecture Series, National Center for PTSD (virtual).
2. **McGuire, A. P.** (2022, September). *Using moral elevation to target trauma-related distress*. Rush University Medical Center (virtual).
3. **McGuire, A. P.** (2020, June). *Supporting each other through COVID: Positive psychology principles*. Central Texas Veterans Health Care System, Waco, TX.
4. **McGuire, A. P.** (2019, March). *Moral emotions and trauma in Veterans: Examining the potential for negative and positive effects*. Workshop presented at Steven A. Cohen Military Family Clinic at Endeavors, San Antonio, TX.
5. **McGuire, A. P.** (2018, February). *The role of moral elevation in PTSD and moral injury: Potential for integration into individual and group therapy*. 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Texas Veteran Mental Health Symposium, Round Rock, TX.
6. **McGuire, A. P.** (2018, March). *Integrating prosocial emotions and mental health care: An introduction and discussion of case examples*. Workshop presented at Veterans One Stop, Waco, TX.

### Departmental Talks

1. **McGuire, A. P.**, Umucu, E., Krauss, A., & Dillard, C. (2021, November). *Veterans Week: Mental Health Panel Discussion*. The University of Texas at Tyler, Tyler, TX (virtual).
2. **McGuire, A. P.** (2017, November). *Postdoctoral fellow career goals and contributions to the Center of Excellence*. VISN 17 Center of Excellence Veterans Affairs Central Office Annual Site Visit, Waco, TX.
3. **McGuire, A. P.** (2017, October). *Examining the role of moral elevation in Veterans with PTSD and moral injury*. Veteran Council to Evaluate Research Relevance in the Veteran Community, Waco, TX.
4. **McGuire, A. P.** (2016, September). *Positive emotions and subsequent interpersonal processes in depression, anxiety, and related disorders*. Mississippi Consortium Department Rounds, Jackson, MS.

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### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

<b>AUT 2019 - PRESENT</b>	<b>Clinical Skills (PSYC 5392)</b> Position: Instructor Department of Psychology and Counseling, University of Texas at Tyler
<b>SUM 2022</b>	<b>Supervised Practicum in Clinical Psychology (PSYC 5396)</b> Position: Instructor Department of Psychology and Counseling, University of Texas at Tyler
<b>SPR 2015/2016</b>	<b>Research Methods &amp; Statistics III: Multivariate Analyses (CPY 7033)</b> Position: Lead Graduate Teaching Assistant (2 sections) Department of Psychology, Seattle Pacific University
<b>WIN 2015/2016</b>	<b>Research Methods &amp; Statistics II: Regression (CPY 7032)</b> Position: Lead Graduate Teaching Assistant (2 sections) Department of Psychology, Seattle Pacific University
<b>AUT 2015</b>	<b>Psychometrics / Theory of Test Construction (CPY 7010)</b> Position: Lead Graduate Teaching Assistant Department of Psychology, Seattle Pacific University
<b>AUT 2014/2015</b>	<b>Research Methods &amp; Statistics I: Analysis of Variance (CPY 7031)</b> Position: Lead Graduate Teaching Assistant (2 sections) Department of Psychology, Seattle Pacific University
<b>SUM 2014/2015</b>	<b>Statistical Methods (CPY 7020)</b> Position: Lead Graduate Teaching Assistant (2 sections) Department of Psychology, Seattle Pacific University
<b>WIN 2013</b>	<b>Psychological Disorders (PSY 3360)</b> Graduate Teaching Assistant Department of Psychology, Seattle Pacific University
<b>AUT 2013</b>	<b>Counseling Theory and Practice (PSY 4470)</b> Graduate Teaching Assistant

Department of Psychology, Seattle Pacific University

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## CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

### Postdoctoral

**2018–Present**

#### **Study Therapist**

*VISN 17 Center of Excellence for Research, Waco, TX*

IMPACT Treatment Study

Individual therapy with adapted Acceptance and Commitment Therapy (ACT) protocol to target functional recovery in veterans with comorbid PTSD, substance use, chronic pain, and traumatic brain injury.

*Supervisors:* Eric Meyer, Ph.D.

\*Certified ACT Therapist

### Internship

**2016–2017**

#### **Predoctoral Intern**

*University of Mississippi Medical Center, Jackson, MS*

Adult Inpatient Unit

Individual DBT skill sessions for interpersonal effectiveness, emotion regulation, and distress tolerance; Co-facilitated motivational interviewing inpatient group to increase readiness to change alcohol/substance use.

*Supervisors:* Courtney Bagge, Ph.D. & Daniel Williams, Ph.D.

*G.V. Montgomery VA Medical Center, Jackson, MS*

Addiction Disorders Treatment Program

Individual therapy using CBT-SUD protocol; Facilitated and developed new curriculum content for mindfulness group therapy.

*Supervisor:* Andrew Voluse, Ph.D.

Neuropsychology

Neuropsychological assessments regarding dementia, cognitive impairment, differential diagnosis, and pre-surgical evaluations.

*Supervisor:* Ted Bennett, Ph.D.

Evidence Based Psychotherapy Team

Provided EBPs for outpatient services: PE, CPT, CBT for anxiety and depression; Utilized telemedicine for rural-based Veterans.

*Supervisors:* Jeanne Gabriele, Ph.D. & Lauren Graves, Ph.D.

Trauma Recovery Program

Co-facilitated residential groups including CBT-SUD, DBT, and PE; Provided individual PE; Member of integrated team, assisted with policy development.

*Supervisors:* Judith Lyons, Ph.D. & Elizabeth Nosen, Ph.D.

### Graduate

**2015–2016**

**Advanced Clinical Practicum Intern, Family Medicine Residency**

Swedish Medical Center, Seattle, WA

Outpatient, individual psychotherapy; Utilized time-limited interventions during primary care visits; Provided behavioral health consultation and collaborated with healthcare providers.

*Supervisor:* Sarah Welton, Ph.D.

**2014–2016**

**Clinical Psychology Practicum Intern**

Sound Mental Health, Seattle, WA

Completed psychological assessments for differential diagnosis, cognitive impairment, and school-based referrals; Created and facilitated group therapies for positive psychology, anxiety, depression, and stress management.

*Supervisors:* Allen Hume, Ph.D. & Maria Chan, Ph.D.

**2014–2016**

**Study Therapist and Assessor**

Treatment for Anxiety and Depressive Disorder Study, Seattle, WA

Administered ADIS to screen for study eligibility; Co-facilitated Unified Protocol for Transdiagnostic Treatment of Emotional Disorders (group format).

*Supervisor:* Thane Erickson, Ph.D.

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**CLINICAL SUPERVISION EXPERIENCE**

**WIN 2017**

**Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)**

Adult Inpatient Unit, University of Mississippi Medical Center

Supervised medical students in the administration of SBIRT for substance use; Coaching, feedback, and competency ratings.

**SPR 2016**

**Adjunct Faculty for Erickson Research Team**

Department of Clinical Psychology, Seattle Pacific University

Advised graduate students conducting diagnostic interviews; Determined treatment study eligibility; Supervised graduate students managing treatment study.

**SUM 2015**

**Behavioral Health Residency Training**

Swedish Family Medicine, Ballard Behavioral Health

*Topics:* Motivational Interviewing; Gratitude

*Training Objectives:* (1) Learn how to utilize MI with patients through brief presentations and role-play sessions; (2) Understand how gratitude relates to behavioral health.

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**MEDIA**

1. Canady, V. A. (2018, April 16). Study examines social support against MH disaster impact. *Mental Health Weekly, Wiley Online Library*, 28(15), p. 7-8.
2. Bahadur, N. (2020, May 28). What is resilience, and can it help us bounce back from this? *SELF*, [self.com/story/what-is-resilience](https://self.com/story/what-is-resilience).

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## OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

### **Current Professional Affiliations:**

- Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies
- Special Interest Group – Trauma and PTSD
- Special Interest Group – Clinical Research Methods and Statistics
- Special Interest Group – Military and Veterans

### **Ad hoc reviewer:**

- APA Convention – Division 56 Program Reviewer*
- Behavior Therapy*
- Current Psychology*
- Journal of Positive Psychology*
- Journal of Positive Psychology and Wellbeing*
- Journal of Social and Clinical Psychology*
- Journal of Traumatic Stress*
- Military Behavioral Health*
- Psychological Reports*
- Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*