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EDUCATION

2018 to 2020 Master of Arts in Social and Personality Psychology

York University, Toronto

Supervisor: Dr. Esther Greenglass

Thesis: From Catastrophe to Mastery: The Relationship Between Internal

Control and Distress During Economic Threat

2014 to 2017 Bachelor of Arts (B.A., Specialized Honours), Psychology

York University, Toronto Summa Cum Laude

Supervisor: Dr. Esther Greenglass

Thesis: Stress and Coping During Difficult Economic Times: The Role of

Self-Compassion

2012 to 2014 Ontario College Diploma, Liberal Arts

Seneca College, Toronto Graduated with High Honours

RESEARCH INTERESTS

The social-psychological consequences of organizational change, especially in relation to technological change (e.g., the automation of work and dehumanization) and economic shocks (e.g., self-compassion and worker-wellbeing during financial crises); how leaders can effectively adapt to organizational changes and promote worker well-being by reducing uncertainty; as well as best practices in quantitative methodology, including open science, replicability, statistical power, data visualization, and effect sizes.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2020 to present Research Advisor

Dr. Alex Elkader

Kinark Centre for Child and Family Services, Markham, ON

2015 to present Research Assistant

Dr. Esther Greenglass

York University, Toronto, ON

| 2017 to 2020 | Research and Evaluation Assistant Dr. Alex Elkader |
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| | Kinark Centre for Child and Family Services, Markham, ON |
| 2016 to 2017 | Research Assistant |
| | Dr. Jill B. Rich |
| | York University, Toronto, ON |
| 2016 to 2017 | Research Assistant |
| | Dr. Angela Troyer |
| | Baycrest Hospital, Toronto, ON |
| 2015 to 2016 | Research Assistant |
| | Dr. Christopher Green |
| | York University, Toronto, ON |
| 2015 to 2016 | Research Assistant |
| | Dr. Yvonne Bohr |
| | LaMarsh Centre for Child and Youth Research, Toronto, ON |

PUBLICATIONS

- Chiacchia, D. J., Greenglass, E. R., Katter, J. Q. K., & Fiksenbaum, L. (2018). The role of self-compassion during difficult economic times. *Anxiety, Stress, and Coping, 31*(6), 611-625. doi: 10.1080/10615806.2018.1519703.
- Green, C. D., Heidari, C., **Chiacchia, D.**, & Martin, S. M. (2016). Bridge over troubled waters? The most "central" members of psychology and philosophy associations ca. 1900. *Journal of the History of the Behavioral Sciences*, *52*(3), 279-299. doi: 10.1002/jhbs.2179.

WORKING PAPERS

- **Chiacchia**, **D. J.**, Greenglass, E., & Cribbie, R. From catastrophe to mastery: The relationship between internal control and distress during economic threat. *In preparation*.
- **Chiacchia, D. J.,** Altar, U., & Cribbie, R. Misleading visualizations in social and personality psychology. *In preparation*.
- **Chiacchia**, **D. J.**, Greenglass, E., & Fiksenbaum, L. Financial threat and worker well-being during COVID-19. *In preparation*.
- Greenglass, E., Fiksenbaum, L., & **Chiacchia**, **D. J.** Psychometric evaluation of the Coronavirus Threat Scale (CTS) in the context of the pandemic. *In preparation*.

Greenglass, E., **Chiacchia, D. J.,** & Fiksenbaum, L. Coping with coronavirus threat and anxiety. Submitted to *Stress and Health*.

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

Refereed Talks and Symposia

- Chiacchia D. J., Greenglass E., & Cribbie, R. (2021, April 30). *Perceived control during economic stress: Generalized or domain-specific?* Flash 5-Talk to be presented at the 2021 Canadian Stress Research Summit, Ryerson University, Toronto.
- Greenglass, E., **Chiacchia, D. J.**, & Fiksenbaum, L. (2020, December 11). *Predicting substance use in the time of COVID-19*. Paper to be presented at the 7th International Congress of Stress, Performance, and Wellness, Attapur, Hyderabad.
- Greenglass, E., **Chiacchia, D. J.**, & Fiksenbaum, L. (2020, July 15). *Predicting depression during a pandemic*. Paper presented at the Online Conference for Stress and Anxiety Research (STAR), Haifa, Israel.
- Chiacchia, D. J., Greenglass, E., Katter, J., & Fiksenbaum, L. (2018, June 26-30). The role of self-compassion during difficult economic times. In E. Greenglass (Chair), *Economic stress and psychological factors: Theoretical and empirical investigations*. Invited symposium conducted at the 2018 International Congress of Applied Psychology, Montreal, CA.
- **Chiacchia, D.,** Greenglass, E., & Hughes, B. M. (2016, July 14-19). *Predicting Psychological Well-Being: A Cross-National Comparison*. Paper presented at the 31st International Congress of Psychology, Yokohama, Japan. doi: 10.1002/ijop.12351.

Invited Talks

- Chiacchia, D. J. (2020, October 19). Overeducated, Overwhelmed: Generalized versus Domain Specific Internal Control During Economic Threat. York University, Department of Psychology. Talk given at the Social/Personality Area Colloquium Series, Toronto, Ontario.
- Chiacchia, D. J. (2019, March 25). From Catastrophe to Mastery: The Relationship Between Internal Control and Distress During Economic Threat. York University, Department of Psychology. Talk given at the Social/Personality Area Colloquium Series, Toronto, Ontario.

Poster Presentations

Chiacchia D. J., Alter, U., & Cribbie, R. (2021, July 18-23). *The Prevalence and Magnitude of Misleading Visualizations in Social and Personality Psychology*. Poster to be presented at the 32nd International Congress of Psychology, Prague, Czech Republic.

- Chiacchia, D. J. & Greenglass, E. (2020, February 27-29). *The Curvilinear Relationship Between Perceived Control and Distress During Economic Threat*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Chiacchia, D. J., Greenglass, E., Katter, J, & Fiksenbaum, L. (2016, April 4). *Stress and Coping During Difficult Economic Times: The Role of Self-Compassion*. Poster presented at the York University Undergraduate Thesis Conference, Toronto, Ontario.

AWARDS AND HONOURS

| 2021 | Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarships (Doctoral) – \$105,000 |
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| 2020 | Nominated for Best Thesis Award (Master's) – \$1,000 Faculty of Health Graduate Student Conference Travel Fund– \$795.72 Graduate Development Fund – \$700.00 |
| 2019 | Ontario Graduate Scholarship (OGS) – \$15,000 |
| 2018 | Canada Graduate Scholarships – Master's (CGS-M) – \$17,500 |
| 2017 | The W.B. Templeton Honours Thesis Award for Most Outstanding Honours Thesis – \$100 The Ivana Guglietti-Kelly Award for Outstanding Qualitative Paper – \$500 CPA Certificate of Academic Excellence |
| 2016 | York University Continuing Education Scholarship – \$1000 Second Year Book Prize Winner Dean's Honour Roll |
| 2015 | York University Continuing Education Scholarship – \$1000 Dean's Honour Roll |
| 2014 | Graduation with High Honours (Seneca College) President's Honours List (Seneca College) Provost's Scholarship – \$1000 |
| CERTIFICA | ATION AND ADDITIONAL TRAINING |
| 2020 | A Modern Introduction to Theory-Driven Text Analysis in R. Workshop attended at SPSP2020, New Orleans, LA |
| 2016 | Certificate of Completion: Introduction to Structural Equation Modeling |

Institute for Social Research, Toronto, ON

2016 Certificate of Completion: The Survey Research Process and Data

Analysis

Institute for Social Research, Toronto, ON

2015 Certificate of Completion: An Applied Introduction to SPSS

Institute for Social Research, Toronto, ON

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2018 to present Society for Personality and Social Psychology

2017 to present Canadian Psychological Association

TEACHING AND MENTORING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistantships

PSYC2010, Writing in Psychology

Instructor: Dr. Alice Kim

PSYC2120, Social Psychology Instructor: Dr. Ward Struthers

Student Coordinator for the Undergraduate Research Participant Pool

Instructor: Dr. Kerry Kawakami

Guest Lectures

"Understanding and Supporting Empirical Claims"

York University

Course Director: Dr. Alice Kim

Mentorships

Undergraduate Honours Thesis Student

Student: Anastasia Buchvostov