

Publications

JOURNAL ARTICLES

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6. Meskó, N., Zsidó, A. N., Birkás, B., Meston, C. M., & Buss, D. M. (2022). Why hungarians have sex: Development and validation of a brief 15-item instrument (YSEX?-15H). *Archives of Sexual Behavior*, 51(8), 4007–4022. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10508-022-02380-x>
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Professional Presentations

Sex desire in men and women: Explaining the great divide.

2021

Conference Abstracts

Having sex out of a sense of duty: The influence of nonconsensual sexual experiences and sexual functioning.

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH

2024

Increasing intimate interactions as an intervention for improving sexual and relational satisfaction in couples.

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH

2024

The Impact of Title IX Mandatory Reporting Policy on Undergraduates' Likelihood of Reporting Sexual Violence.

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH

2024

Assessing women's sexual well-being in the context of relationship status and non-consensual sexual experience history.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH (ISSWSH), St. Lois, MO.

2023

Physiological synchrony and sexual satisfaction: A replication and extension

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH (ISSWSH), St. Lois, MO.

2023

The acute effect of caffeine on genital arousal in women: A pilot study.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH (ISSWSH), St. Lois, MO.

2023

The effect of oral contraceptive pill type on vulvovaginal atrophy.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH (ISSWSH), St. Lois, MO.

2023

The elicitors of intimacy: A behavioral checklist.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH (ISSWSH), St. Lois, MO.

2023

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INVITED ADDRESS TO THE ANNUAL MEETING OF GOBUNDANCE, WOMEN'S DIVISION, DALLAS, TX.

2022

A multidimensional evaluation of intimacy.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH (ISSWSH), DALLAS, TX.

2022

Examining the role of physiological synchrony in partnered sexual activity.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH (ISSWSH), DALLAS, TX.

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Religion and moral judgments of HIV-related sexual behaviors.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH (ISSWSH), DALLAS, TX.

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The role of anxiety and depression in heart rate variability during sexual activity.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF WOMEN'S SEXUAL HEALTH (ISSWSH), DALLAS, TX.

2022

Identifying motivational and personality predictors of women's sociosexual desire.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SOCIETY FOR PERSONALITY AND SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY, VIRTUAL CONFERENCE.

2021

Honors

Funding

A Phase 2a, Single-Dose, Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled, 2-Way Crossover Study to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of SST-6007, a Topical Sildenafil Cream, Compared to Placebo in Women with Acquired Genital Arousal Disorder

FUNDING: \$338,556

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2015 - 2025

The relationship between physiological synchrony and sexual satisfaction in opposite-sex couples.

FUNDING: \$6,000

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Women's Sexual Health (ISSWSH),*

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New York, US

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MEMBER, BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Journal of Sex & Marital Therapy

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New York, US

2001 - present

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