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Education

2019–Present PhD in Social Psychology

University of Toronto
 Faculty Advisors: Dr. Elizabeth Page-Gould and Dr. Alison Chasteen

2018–2019 MA in Social Psychology

University of Toronto
 Faculty Advisors: Dr. Elizabeth Page-Gould and Dr. Alison Chasteen
 Thesis: Development and Validation of the Subjective Identity Concealability Scale

2012–2017 BA in Social Development and Business, Psychology Minor

University of Waterloo
 Faculty Advisor: Dr. Christine Logel
 Thesis: Testing a Values Affirmation and Social Belonging Intervention on Body Image

Research Positions

2016–Present Research Fellow; Research Affiliate

College Transition Collaborative
 Principal Investigators: Dr. Christine Logel, Dr. Mary Murphy, Dr. Greg Walton, and Dr. David Yeager

2017–2018 Lab Manager

Diversity Science Lab
 Washington University in St. Louis
 Principal Investigator: Dr. Calvin Lai

2016 Lab Manager

Infant Studies Group
 University of Waterloo
 Principal Investigators: Dr. Katherine White and Dr. Stephanie Denison

Teaching Positions

2018–Present Teaching Assistant

Department of Psychology, University of Toronto
 PSY 2002: Graduate Statistics II (PhD-level)
 PSY 201: Statistics I (three times)

PSY 202: Statistics II (twice)
 PSY 320: Attitudes
 PSY 322: Social Cognition

2017–2018 Teaching Assistant

Renison University College, University of Waterloo
 PSYCH 253: Social Psychology
 PSYCH 356: Personality Psychology
 PSYCH 444: Psychological Interventions

Publications

- Le Forestier, J. M.**, Page-Gould, E., & Chasteen, A. K. (In prep). Statistical power for a set of tests.
- Ekstrom, P., **Le Forestier, J. M.**, & Lai, C. K. (Under review). Racial disparities in police traffic stops are associated with county-level racial attitudes.
- Le Forestier, J. M.**, Page-Gould, E., Lai, C. K., & Chasteen, A. L. (Under review). Subjective identity concealability and the consequences of fearing identity-based judgment.
- Logel, C., **Le Forestier, J. M.**, Witherspoon, E. B., & Fotuhi, O. (2020). A social-belonging intervention benefits higher-weight students' weight stability and academic achievement. *Social Psychological and Personality Science*. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1177/1948550620959236>
- Le Forestier, J. M.**, Page-Gould, E., Lai, C. K., & Chasteen, A. L. (2020). Concealability beliefs facilitate navigating intergroup contexts. *European Journal of Social Psychology*. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1002/ejsp.2681>
- Le Forestier, J. M.** (2019). *Development and validation of the subjective identity concealability scale* (Master's thesis). University of Toronto. Retrieved from: <http://hdl.handle.net/1807/98088>
- Chasteen, A. L., Bergstrom, V. N. Z., Schiralli, J. E., & **Le Forestier, J. M.** (2019). Age stereotypes. In D. Gu & M. E. Dupre (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of gerontology and population aging*. New York, NY: Springer. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-69892-2_584-1

Talks and Symposia

Le Forestier, J. M. (2020). *Statistical power for a set of tests*. Paper presented at the Social Personality Research Group, Toronto, Canada.

Lai, C. K., Ekstrom, P. D., & **Le Forestier, J. M.** (2020). *Racial disparities in police traffic stops are associated with county-level racial prejudice*. Paper presented at the Minority Politics Online Seminar Series.

Le Forestier, J. M., Logel, C. L., Witherspoon, E. B., & Fotuhi, O. (2020). *A social-belonging intervention benefits higher-weight students' weight stability and academic achievement*. Paper accepted for presentation at the Annual Meeting of the

Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, IL. (Conference cancelled due to Covid-19 pandemic)

Le Forestier, J. M. (2020). *What you don't know won't hurt me: Subjective identity concealability and navigating the costs of identity-based judgment*. Paper presented at the Social Personality Research Group, Toronto, Canada.

Le Forestier, J. M., Logel, C., Witherspoon, E. B., & Fotuhi, O. (2019). *Bodyweight project*. Paper presented at the 2019 Meeting of the College Transition Collaborative, Bloomington, IN.

Le Forestier, J. M. (2018). *Development and validation of the subjective identity concealability scale*. Paper presented at the Social Personality Research Group, Toronto, Canada.

Conference Posters

*Indicates mentored undergraduate

*Shephard, R., Le Forestier, J. M., Page-Gould, E., & Chasteen, A. L. (2021) *Health and wellbeing outcomes of identity concealment beliefs and behaviors*. Poster to be presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology. (To be delivered virtually due to Covid-19 pandemic)

Le Forestier, J. M., Page-Gould, E., & Chasteen, A. L. (2021). *Caught between a rock and a hard place: The social costs of identity concealment*. Poster to be presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology. (To be delivered virtually due to Covid-19 pandemic)

*An, D., **Le Forestier, J. M.**, Hall, W. M., & Page-Gould, E. (2020). *Using race and positive and negative priming in the Subliminal Affective Misattribution Procedure*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC. (Delivered virtually due to Covid-19 pandemic)

*An, D., **Le Forestier, J. M.**, Hall, W. M., & Page-Gould, E. (2020). *Subliminal Affective Misattribution Procedure*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Psychological Association, Montréal, Canada. (Delivered virtually due to Covid-19 pandemic)

*Shephard, R., **Le Forestier, J. M.**, Page-Gould, E., & Chasteen, A. L. (2020). *Changing subjective identity concealability: Investigating the content of belief change experiences*. Poster presented at the University of Toronto Research Forum, Toronto, Canada.

Le Forestier, J. M., Chasteen, A. L., Page-Gould, E., & Lai, C. K. (2020). *Concealability beliefs attenuate the costs of bearing stigma*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.

Le Forestier, J. M., Page-Gould, E., Lai, C. K., & Chasteen, A. L. (2020). *Concealability beliefs facilitate intergroup contact*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Group Processes and Intergroup Relations preconference, New Orleans, LA.

- Le Forestier, J. M.** (2019). *What you don't know won't hurt me: The effects of subjective identity concealability on psychological costs of stigma*. Poster presented at the University of Toronto Psychology Department MA Poster Day, Toronto, Canada.
- Le Forestier, J. M.**, Page-Gould, E., Chasteen, A. L., & Lai, C. K. (2019). *What you don't know won't hurt me: The effects of subjective identity concealability on psychological costs of stigma*. Poster presented at the Weary Symposium on Diversity and Social Identity, Columbus, OH.
- Le Forestier, J. M.**, Chasteen, A. L., Page-Gould, E., & Lai, C. K. (2019). *Subjective identity concealability*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Portland, OR.
- *Vellequette, G., **Le Forestier, J. M.**, & Lai, C. K. (2018). *How implicit attitudes predict behavior*. Poster presented at the Washington University in St. Louis Spring Undergraduate Research Symposium, St. Louis, MO.

Guest Lectures

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| 2020 | Social Identity and Attitude Change PA 70: Data, Evidence and Persuasion University of California, Los Angeles |
| 2019 | Experiencing Prejudice and the Replication Crisis Psychology 322: Intergroup Relations University of Toronto |
| 2019 | Stereotypes and Prejudice Psychology 320: Attitudes University of Toronto |
| 2019 | Experiencing Prejudice and the Replication Crisis Psychology 322: Intergroup Relations University of Toronto |
| 2018 | Experiencing Prejudice Psychology 322: Intergroup Relations University of Toronto |

Student Supervision

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| 2020–Present | Jiawen (Jolina) Jin Senior Independent Project (2020–Present) |
| 2019–Present | Rosemarie Shephard Research Opportunity Program (2019–2020) Senior Independent Project (2020–Present) |
| 2018–2019 | Daniel An (co-supervised with Dr. William Hall) Senior Independent Project (2018–2019) Went on to pursue graduate studies in Educational Psychology at the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education, University of Toronto |

Grants, Scholarships, Fellowships, and Awards

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| 2020 | Replication Project Grant (\$4,339.55 USD) Center for Open Science |
| 2020 | Graduate Student Poster Award Finalist Society for Personality and Social Psychology |
| 2020 | Pre-Registration Award (\$900) Center for Open Science |
| 2020 | School of Graduate Studies Conference Grant (\$750) University of Toronto |
| 2019–2023 | SSHRC Doctoral Fellowship (\$80,000) Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada |
| 2019–2020 | Ontario Graduate Scholarship (\$15,000; declined) Government of Ontario Ministry of Training, Colleges, and Universities |
| 2019 | School of Graduate Studies Conference Grant (\$800) University of Toronto |
| 2019 | Graduate Travel Award (\$500 USD) Society for Personality and Social Psychology |
| 2018–2019 | Canada Graduate Scholarship-Master's (\$17,500) Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada |
| 2018 | Faculty of Arts & Science Graduate Admission Award (\$5,000) University of Toronto |
| 2018 | Graduate Research Fellowship Incentive Award (\$1,000 USD; declined) National Science Foundation |
| 2017 | Valedictorian Renison University College, University of Waterloo |
| 2017 | Dean's Honours List, with Distinction University of Waterloo |
| 2016 | Alyson Woloshyn Award (\$1,000) University of Waterloo |
| 2016 | Federation of Students Leadership Award Federation of Students, University of Waterloo |
| 2015 | MESBURG Marketing Planning Award Department of Economics, University of Waterloo |
| 2013 | Donald M'Timkulu Award (\$500) Renison University College, University of Waterloo |
| 2012–2014 | Renison Principal's Scholarship for Excellence (\$4,000) Renison University College, University of Waterloo |

Service

Ad Hoc Peer Reviewer

Journal of Social Issues
Psychology and Aging

Peer Reviewer (Conferences)

2020 Association for Psychological Science (APS) Methods Track Poster Submissions
2019 Society for Personality and Social Psychology Graduate Student Poster Award

Other

2019–Present Open Science Ambassador; Center for Open Science
2019–Present Recruitment and Orientation Coordinator; Psychology Graduate Student Association

Professional Affiliations

2019–Present Association for Psychological Science (APS)
2018–Present Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues (SPSSI)
2017–Present Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP)