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Education

- 2019–Present** **PhD in Social Psychology**
University of Toronto
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Elizabeth Page-Gould & Dr. Alison Chasteen
- 2018–2019** **MA in Social Psychology**
University of Toronto
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Elizabeth Page-Gould & Dr. Alison Chasteen
Thesis: Development and Validation of the Subjective Identity Concealability Scale
- 2012–2017** **BA in Social Development & 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, & 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 & Dr. Stephanie Denison

Teaching Positions

- 2018–Present** **Teaching Assistant**
Department of Psychology, University of Toronto
PSY 201: Statistics I (twice)
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.
- Le Forestier, J. M.**, Lai, C. K., Page-Gould, E., & Chasteen, A. L. (In prep). Features of intergroup contact are differentially associated with implicit and explicit intergroup 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. (Under review). A social-belonging intervention benefits higher-weight students' weight stability and academic achievement.
- Le Forestier, J. M.**, Page-Gould, E., Lai, C. K., & Chasteen, A. L. (In press). Concealability beliefs facilitate navigating intergroup contexts. *European Journal of Social Psychology*.
- 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

Symposia

- 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*. Annual Meeting of the Association for Psychological Science in Chicago, IL. (Conference cancelled due to 2020 Covid-19 outbreak)

Presentations and Posters

*Indicates mentored undergraduate

- *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 to be presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- *An, D., **Le Forestier, J. M.**, Hall, W. M., & Page-Gould, E. (2020). *Subliminal Affective Misattribution Procedure*. Poster to be presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Psychological Association, Montréal, Canada. (Conference cancelled due to 2020 Covid-19 outbreak)
- *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 to be presented at the University of Toronto Research Forum, Toronto, Canada.
- 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.**, 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.** (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.** (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.**, Logel, C., Witherspoon, E. B., & Fotuhi, O. (2019). *Bodyweight project*. Paper presented at the College Transition Collaborative retreat, Bloomington, IN.
- 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.
- Le Forestier, J. M.** (2018). *Development and validation of the subjective identity concealability scale*. Paper presented at the Social Personality Research Group, Toronto, Canada.
- *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.

Invited Talks

- 2020** **Social Identity and Attitude Change**
UCLA Luskin School of Public Affairs

Guest Lectures

- 2019** **Experiencing Prejudice & Replication Crisis**
Psychology 322: Intergroup Relations
University of Toronto
- 2019** **Stereotypes & Prejudice**
Psychology 320: Attitudes
University of Toronto
- 2019** **Experiencing Prejudice & Replication Crisis**
Psychology 322: Intergroup Relations
University of Toronto
- 2018** **Experiencing Prejudice**
Psychology 322: Intergroup Relations
University of Toronto

Student Supervision

- 2019–Present** **Rosemarie Shephard**
Research Opportunity Program student (2019–2020); Senior independent project student (2020–Present)
- 2018–2019** **Daniel An** (co-supervised with Dr. William Hall)
Senior independent project student; 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

- 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** **Joseph Armand Bombardier 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

Peer Reviewer: Conferences

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

Peer Reviewer: Journals

2019 Psychology and Aging

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)