ERINN BARRY

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EDUCATION

WILFRID LAURIER UNIVERSITY, WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Master of Arts, Psychology (Concentration: Developmental Psychology)

2018 - 2019

- Graduated with High Distinction (GPA: 12.00 / 12.00)
 - Master's thesis: Exploring the Female Autism Phenotype: Personal Identity Formation and Well-Being in Autistic Females

Honours Bachelor of Arts, Psychology (Concentration: Research Specialist)

2013 - 2018

Minor: Philosophy

• Graduated with High Distinction (GPA: 11.62 / 12.00)

Undergraduate Research Projects:

Honours thesis in developmental psychology

2016 - 2017

o Internship: Participatory Action Research study (Qualitative)

2015 – 2016

CONESTOGA COLLEGE, WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Preparatory Communications & Mathematics

2009; 2011 – 2012

Focus for Change Certificate

2009

TEACHING & RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistantships

WILFRID LAURIER UNIVERSITY, WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Research in Developmental Psychology (PS375)

FALL, 2018

Research Assistantships

CHRISTIAN HORIZONS (RESOURCE & LEADERSHIP CENTRE), KITCHENER, ONTARIO

Research Assistant in Clinical and Research Services

SUMMER, 2018

• Conducted literature reviews in diverse topics (e.g., self-determination, quality of life, dignity, respect) as they relate to individuals with developmental disabilities (e.g., Autism, Down Syndrome)

WILFRID LAURIER UNIVERSITY, WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Research Assistant in Dr. Newton's Personality & Development in Adulthood Lab

2017 - 2019

- Regularly attended lab meetings to discuss research projects (e.g., deadlines, responsibilities, etc.)
- Entered participants' data into the system and ran statistical analyses as required
- Aided in developing a report that was disseminated to participants and to the community
- Responsible for updating the lab website as needed

Research Intern at the Centre for Community Research, Learning, and Action (CCRLA)

2015 - 2016

 Designed and implement a qualitative, participatory action research study examining the barriers to participation for girls attending recreational programs in the Waterloo Region

Research Assistant in Dr. Todd Ferretti's Cognitive Psychology lab

SUMMER, 2015

 Helped design and implement an EEG study exploring language comprehension and temporal perspectives

Research Assistant in Dr. Christian Jordan's Social Psychology lab

2014 - 2015

 Observed and instructed participants, organized time-slots, and set up an implicit-association test (IAT) using MediaLab software

OTHER EXPERIENCE

CRAWFORD & COMPANY CANADA, WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Junior Call Centre Agent in Claims Alert Division

2010

- Worked under pressure taking emergency insurance claims, including automobile accidents, fatalities, house fires, floods, and theft from the general public
- Successfully entered hundreds of claims from the general public, brokers, adjusters, and other clients into the Claims Alert database
- Demonstrated ability to use tact in delicate circumstances to handle customer complaints and defuse reactive clients

Office Support Worker for Appraisal Management Services

2007 - 2008

- Entered hundreds of car insurance claims into the Auto Appraisal database
- Was required to have an eye for detail, time management, professionalism in the workplace, and the ability to work independently
- Improved productivity by providing computer technical advice to coworkers to maximize efficiency and reduce time loss.

SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, & AWARDS

Internal Awards

WILFRID LAURIER UNIVERSITY, WATERLOO, ONTARIO

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0	Valued at \$5,000	2018 – 2019
Laurier G	Graduate Fellowship	
0	Valued at \$1,541	2018
Faculty (of Science Students' Association: Research Assistant Scholarship	
0	Valued at \$1,000	2018
0	Valued at \$1,000	2017
Varietas	s Scholarship	
0	Valued at \$1,500	2017
0	Valued at \$1,000	2016
Women	in Science: Hypatia Award	
0	Valued at \$500	2017
	External Awards	

Canadian Graduate Scholarship - Master's (CGS-M) (Awarded)

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0	Valued at \$17,500				2019
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Autism Scholars Award (Alternate)

0	Valued at \$18,000	2019 – 2020

Ontario Graduate Scholarship (OGS) (Awarded)

0	Valued at \$15,000	2018 – 2019

Undergraduate Student Research Awards Program (NSERC-USRA) (Awarded)

2015

Valued at \$5,625

PUBLICATIONS & CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

<u>Publications</u>

*Vokes, S., *Barry, E., Wilson, C., Pulla, V., & Shacter, J. (2019). Gaining insight into Youth Programming & the Inclusion of Girls. Critical Social Work, 20(1), 88-108. doi:10.22329/csw.v20i1.5962

Note: the (*) symbol indicates co-first authorship.

Conference & Poster Presentations

UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO, WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Symposium on Aging Research (SOAR): Rapid-Fire Presentation

MAY 2019

• Presented preliminary findings from Master's thesis

Symposium on Aging Research (SOAR): Poster Presentation

May 2019

- Presented Master's thesis poster
- Awarded Best Poster Presentation

WILFRID LAURIER UNIVERSITY, WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Grad Student Research and Development Symposium: Poster Presentation

Apr. 2019

Presented findings from Master's thesis

Master's Thesis Conference: Poster Presentation

Mar. 2019

Presented findings from Master's thesis

Community Psychology Research Day: Conference Presenter

Apr. 2017

Presented updated research findings from SCRP Internship with fellow intern

Undergraduate Thesis Conference: Poster Presentation

Mar. 2017

Presented research findings from Honours thesis

THE YOUTH ENGAGEMENT COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE, KITCHENER-WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Guest Presenter

MAY 2016

Presented findings from CCRLA Internship to youth service providers

CENTRE FOR COMMUNITY RESEARCH, LEARNING, & ACTION (CCRLA), KITCHENER-WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Conference Presenter

Apr. 2016

o Presented research findings with fellow interns to the community, stakeholders, and fellow researchers

CHRISTIAN HORIZONS, KITCHENER, ONTARIO

Student Conference

 Presented poster: "Investigating Individual Outcomes Over Time: A Desire-Preference Model of Support" Aug. 2018

BROCK UNIVERSITY, St. CATHARINES, ONTARIO

Development 2018 Conference: Poster Presentation

MAY 2018

Presented findings from Honours thesis

Professional Activities

JOURNAL OF AUTISM AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISORDERS

• Peer Reviewer 2018 – Present

WATERLOO REGION DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD, WATERLOO, ONTARIO

Essential Skills Upgrading Tutor

2016