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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Exploring the environmental risk factors that influence cognitive outcomes across child development.

EDUCATION

May 2019 Master of Science in Behavioral and Social Health Sciences
Brown University, Providence, RI
Thesis title: *"Immediate and Long-Term Effects of Maternal Smoking During Pregnancy on Newborn Functioning and Inhibitory Control"*

March 2014 Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
University of California, Santa Cruz

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2016 September – Research Assistant, Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
"Positive Psychotherapy for Smoking Cessation Enhanced with Text Messaging: A Randomized Controlled Trial" NIH R01
Field: Alcohol and Addiction Studies
Principal Investigator: Christopher Kahler

2016 September – 2017 May Research Assistant, Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
"Cardiovascular Risk Perception and Wellness Perspectives in HIV-infected Adults" NIH K23
Field: HIV and Non-Communicable Disease Comorbidity
Principal Investigator: Patricia Cioe

2016 June – December Research Assistant, Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI
"Technical, Relational, & Conditional Process Models of MI Efficacy: Meta-Analysis" NIAAA R21
Field: Alcohol and Addiction Studies

Principal Investigator: Molly Magill

2014 April – July Postbaccalaureate Researcher, Polytechnic and University Hospital
La Fe, Valencia, Spain
*"El Autoconcepto y Los Valores en Adolescentes Adoptados
Internacionales: Relación Con el Sistema de Valores de Los Padres
Adoptivos"*
Field: Clinical Pediatric Psychiatry

Principal Investigator: Gemma Ochando Perales

2013 September – 2014 March Undergraduate Research Assistant, University of California, Santa
Cruz
"Lupe's Story" NSF DRL
Field: Cognitive Developmental Psychology

Principal Investigator: Maureen Callanan

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2016 January – September Benefits Data Coordinator at Hasbro, Inc., Pawtucket, RI
2014 November – 2015 March English Conversation Assistant at FEDAC-Amílcar Elementary
School, Barcelona, Spain

STUDENT MENTORING

Mentorship/Student Supervision: Iman Iqbal
Undergraduate Research Assistant at Brown University, Spring 2017

AWARDS & ACCOLADES

2018 July Conference Travel Award 2018 (\$650)
Brown University Graduate School
2017 May Merit-based Behavioral and Social Sciences Intervention Scholarship, Brown
University
2014 November CAPS (Conversation Assistant Programme for Schools), "Programa Auxiliars de
Conversa" Fundació Escola Cristiana de Catalunya, Barcelona, Spain
2014 April 'Estancia Por Estudios, Investigación De Extranjeros' | Foreign Citizens'
Specialized Research Training Scholarship

TRAINING SEMINARS COMPLETED

2018 November	"Student Leadership Institute 2018," Association of Schools and Programs of Public Health at APHA, San Diego, CA.
2018 Fall	"Teaching Certificate I in Critical Reflection and Inclusive Classrooms, Rhetorical Practice and Classroom, Communication, Learning Design, Engaged Learning." Hosted by the Harriet W. Sheridan Center for Teaching and Learning. Brown University, Providence, RI.
2018 June	PHP 101: Introduction to Public Health An Online Course Offered By The School Of Public Health At Brown University.
2017 July	"Social and Behavioral Research Best Practices for Clinical Research" Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI Program). Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies. Brown University School of Public Health, Providence, RI.

PUBLICATIONS

4. Cioe, P. A., **Gordon, R. E.**, Williams, D. M., & Kahler, C. W. (2019). The effect of increased physical activity on symptom burden in older persons living with HIV. *AIDS care*, 1-7. <https://doi.org/10.1080/09540121.2019.1601675>
3. Kahler, C. W., Surace, A., **Gordon, R. E.**, Cioe, P. A., Spillane, N. S., Parks, A., ... & Brown, R. A. (2018). Positive psychotherapy for smoking cessation enhanced with text messaging: Protocol for a randomized controlled trial. *Contemporary clinical trials*, 71, 146-153. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cct.2018.06.013>
2. Cioe, P. A., **Gordon, R. E.**, Guthrie, K. M., Freiberg, M. S., & Kahler, C. W. (2018). Perceived barriers to smoking cessation and perceptions of electronic cigarettes among persons living with HIV. *AIDS care*, 30(11), 1469-1475. <https://doi.org/10.1080/09540121.2018.1489103>

1. Magill, M., Apodaca, T. R., Borsari, B., Gaume, J., Hoadley, A., **Gordon, R. E. F.**, ... Moyers, T. (2017). A meta-analysis of motivational interviewing process: Technical, relational, and conditional process models of change. *Journal of consulting and clinical psychology, 86*(2), 140–157. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/ccp0000250>

PRESENTATIONS, POSTERS, AND SEMINARS

8. **Gordon, R.E.F.**, Micalizzi, L., & Knopik V.S. (2019) "Environmental Risk Factors Related to MSDP and Their Impact on Inhibitory Control in Adolescence." Abstract accepted for poster presentation at the Cognitive Development Society Bi-ennial Conference, Louisville, KY. October 2019.
7. **Gordon, R.E.F.**, & Cioe, P.A. (2018) "Daily Physical Activity may not be Effective at Reducing the Perceived Burden of HIV-Related Symptoms." Poster session at The American Public Health Association Annual Meeting and Expo, San Diego, CA. November 2018.
6. Cioe, P.A., Merrill, J.E., **Gordon, R.E.F.**, Freiberg, M., Guthrie, K.M., Williams, D.M., Risica, P., Kahler, C.W. "Personalized feedback improves CVD risk perception and physical activity levels in persons living with HIV: A pilot randomized clinical trial." Paper presentation at the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care 31th Annual Conference, Denver, CO. November 2018.
5. **Gordon, R.E.F.**, & Cioe, P.A. (2018) "Daily Physical Activity may not be Effective at Reducing the Perceived Burden of HIV-Related Symptoms." Master's Poster session at School of Public Health Research Day, Brown University. April 2018.
4. Cioe, PA, Guthrie, K, Freiberg, M, **Gordon, R.E.F.**, Williams, D, Kahler, CW. "A Pilot Randomized Trial to Improve CVD Risk Perception and the Adoption of Heart Healthy Behaviors in Persons Living with HIV." Paper presentation at the Eastern Nursing Research Society 30th Annual Scientific Sessions, Newark, NJ. April 2018.
3. Cioe, PA, **Gordon, R.E.F.**, Guthrie, K, Freiberg, M, Kahler, CW. "Perceived Barriers to Smoking Cessation and Perceptions of Electronic Cigarettes among Persons Living with HIV." Poster presentation at the Society for Research on Nicotine & Tobacco (SRNT) Annual Conference, Baltimore MD. February 2018.
2. Cioe, P.A., **Gordon, R.E.F.**, & Morrow, M. (2017) "Perceived Barriers to Smoking Cessation and Perceptions of Electronic Cigarettes among Persons Living with HIV." Paper presentation at the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care 30th Annual Conference, Dallas, TX. November 2017.

1. **Gordon, R.E.F.**, & Cioe, P.A. (2017) "Misperceptions of Electronic cigarette-related harms among persons living with HIV (PLWH)." Poster session at SACNAS New England Regional Conference, Boston, MA. April 2017. Poster.
<https://rebeccagordon.github.io/assets/SPH.Poster.pdf>

CONFERENCES

Upcoming: Cognitive Development Society Bi-ennial Conference, Louisville, KY. October 2019.

American Public Health Association, Annual Meeting and Expo "Creating the Healthiest Nation: Health Equity Now" San Diego, CA. November 2018

School of Public Health Research Day, Brown University. April 2018

School of Public Health Research Day, Brown University. April 2017

Society for Advancement of Chicanos/Hispanics and Native Americans in Science New England Regional Conference, Boston, MA. April 2017

SERVICES

To the University:

2018 November	Student Ambassador Panel, Brown University School of Public Health Open House. November 8, 2018.
2017-2019	Committee Member, Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies (CAAS) Rounds, Brown University School of Public Health
2018-2019	Committee Chair, Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies (CAAS) RA Group, Brown University School of Public Health

To the Community:

2018 November	Donation Sort Volunteer at American Public Health Association Service Event: Home Start Thrift Boutique. November 10, 2018. San Diego, CA.
2018 September	Brown University Research Representative, Operation Stand Down Annual Outreach Weekend for Homeless Veterans. September 14, 2018. Johnston, RI

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS

American Psychological Association Division 7: Developmental Psychology

Cognitive Development Society

American Public Health Association

Rhode Island Public Health Association

LANGUAGES

English

Native Language

Spanish (Castellano)

Intermediate and professional knowledge of reading, writing, and speaking (B1 level Certification)

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