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## EDUCATION

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### **M.A.**

Expected May 2026

*Teachers College Columbia University*

Program: Clinical Psychology (Formally: Psychology in Education)

Department: Clinical and Counseling Psychology

### **B.A.**

May 2024

*Brown University*

Major: Behavioral Decision Sciences, minor equivalent in Entrepreneurship

Overall GPA: 4.0

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### **Research Assistant**

2025

***Galynker Suicide Prevention Research Lab***

*PI: Igor Galynker, MD, PhD*

Responsibilities:

- Conduct research focused on suicide attempts, ideation, and the acute suicidal state known as the Suicide Crisis Syndrome in an inpatient setting at Mount Sinai hospital
- Administer assessments such as the Columbia Suicide Severity Rating Scale, MINI, cognitive tests, and the lab-created Suicide Crisis Syndrome Checklist (SCS-C)
- Work with nursing staff, attendings, and residents to find suitable participants and carry out research effectively and ethically
- Collaborate with members of lab on research papers and poster presentations

### **Research Assistant**

2025

***Loss, Trauma, and Emotion Lab***

*PI: George Bonanno, PhD*

Responsibilities:

- Worked on an EMA study exploring daily emotion regulation strategies in veterans and civilians
- Ran orientation meetings to introduce the study and set up the EMA software
- Followed up with participants during study to troubleshoot and answer questions
- Ran administrative shifts, sending 50+ emails per shift to screen, consent, and schedule participants for the study

**Research Assistant**

2021-2022

***Applied Psychology Program for Eating and Appearance Research****PI: Rachel Rodgers, PhD*

## Responsibilities:

- Attended and helped conduct interviews with research participants, guiding them through different selected social media posts and asking for their reactions
- Transcribed the 33 hour-long interviews with other RAs
- Coded each relevant participant comment to sort them by emotional valence and the justification they provided for feeling that way
- Collaborated with 2 undergraduate students, 1 graduate student, and the PI to complete the project over the course of 2 years
- Met weekly with the lab to discuss ongoing projects and relevant papers

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

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**TA**

2025-Present

**History and Systems of Psychology***Supervisor: Mark Kuras, PhD, Teachers College, Columbia University*

## Responsibilities

- Manage all logistics of the course, including Canvas, rooms, and student questions
- Lead a discussion group of 10-12 students each week to review class material

**TA**

2022-2024

**Management of Industrial and Nonprofit Organizations / Managerial Decision Making***Supervisor: Barrett Hazeltine, PhD, Brown School of Engineering*

## Responsibilities:

- Led a discussion section of ~15 students each week to teach Harvard Business School cases
- Engaged students in novel and interactive ways to make business education accessible and memorable
- Graded 50+ papers each semester and held office hours for students

**Peer Advisor**

2022-2024

**Brown University Transfer and Resumed Undergraduate Education***Supervisor: Avery Danage Jr.*

- Advised a cohort of 6-8 new Transfer and Veteran students during their first year at Brown
- Responsible for helping them get acclimated, register for classes, and get involved with clubs and activities
- Work 1-on-1 to connect them with the necessary resources and people to complete their degree

## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

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Camp Kesem	2023-2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Fundraise money to then serve as a counselor at a camp for kids whose parents have cancer</li><li>● Co-led a cabin of boys ages 12 and 13 for a week with the constant aim of creating community</li><li>● Fostered this community by leading group activities, cabin chats, and welcoming difficult conversations</li></ul>	
Young Entrepreneurs in Providence	2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● YEP is an entirely free entrepreneurship education program for students from under-resourced communities</li><li>● Mentored a group of 6 students over a semester, teaching them how to use entrepreneurship to solve problems</li></ul>	
All Angels Church Pathways Program	2024-Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Coffee server and welcomer</li></ul>	

## PUBLICATIONS

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Rodgers, R. F., Laveway, K., Zalvino, J., **Cardone, W.**, & Wang, L. (2023). #BodyPositive: A qualitative exploration of young people's responses to body positive social media content. *Body Image*, 47, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.bodyim.2023.08.005>. (<https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S1740144523001110>)

## HONORS & AWARDS

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<b>Brown University</b>	
Kapstein Interfaith Leadership Award	2024
<b>Northeastern University</b>	
Northeastern Science Scholar	2021

## SURVEY AND STATISTICAL SKILLS

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Stata, SPSS, Qualtrics

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

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Sigma Xi, Scientific Research Honor Society	2024-Present
Psi Chi, Psychology Honor Society	2025-Present

## REFERENCES

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