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EDUCATION

Ph.D. The University of Mississippi (2015-present)

Clinical Psychology

Anticipated Date of Graduation: 2020

M.A. Pennsylvania State University, Harrisburg (2012-2014)

Applied Clinical Psychology

GPA: 3.9

Supervised Clinical Hours: 700

B.A. The University of California, Irvine (2008-2012)

Major: Cognitive Sciences

Major: Anthropology, Certificate in Global Studies

GPA: 3.797

PUBLICATIONS

Gross, A.M. & **Ho, L.Y.** (2016). Understanding College Sexual Assault Survivors Beyond Victimhood [Review of the book Campus Sexual Assault: College Women Respond, by L.J. Germain]. *PsycCRITIQUES*, *61*(35). doi: 10.1037/a0040503

Harrison, M.A., Murphy, E.A., **Ho, L.Y.**, Zambrana, A.L., & Bowers, T.G. (2015). Female serial killers in the United States: Means, motives, and makings. *The Journal of Forensic Psychiatry & Psychology*. doi: 10.1080/14789949.2015.1007516

Patihis, L., Lilienfeld, S.O., **Ho, L.Y.**, & Loftus, E.L. (2014). Unconscious repressed memory is scientifically questionable. *Psychological Science*, *25*, 1967–1968. doi: 10.1177/0956797614547365

Sabina, C., & **Ho, L.Y.** (2014). Campus and college victim responses to sexual assault and dating violence: Disclosure, service utilization, and service provision. *Trauma, Violence, & Abuse, 15*, 201-226. doi: 10.1177/1524838014521322

Patihis, L., **Ho, L.Y.**, Tingen, I.W., Lilienfeld, S.O., & Loftus, E.L. (2014). Are the "Memory Wars" over? A scientist-practitioner gap in beliefs about repressed memory. *Psychological Science*, *25*, 519-530. doi: 10.1177/0956797613510718

Ho, L.Y. (2013). "Ma vie en graduate school": Advice for future students and for student futures. *The General Psychologist*, 48, 25.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION

Patihis, L., **Ho, L.Y.,** Loftus, E., & Herrera, M. (*Under Review*). Memory Experts' Beliefs about Repressed Memory. *Memory*.

Ho, L.Y., & Bowers, T. (*In Prep*). A Cross-Cultural Literature Review of Suicide in Schizophrenia.

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

- **Ho, L.Y.,** & Gross, A.M. (2018). *Gender roles, sexual assertiveness, and sexual coercion in same-sex individuals*. Paper presented at the Southeastern Psychological Association (SEPA) Annual Meeting, Charleston, SC.
- **Ho, L.Y.,** Weber, M., Gawlik, E. & Schulenberg, S.E. (2018). *Student preparedness and perceptions of violence in higher education*. Interest group conducted at the Southeastern Psychological Association (SEPA) Annual Meeting, Charleston, SC.
- **Ho, L.Y.,** Johnson, J.R., Assenga, S., Courson, C.S., Schulenberg, S.E., & Karim, Z.N. (2016). *Measuring perceived meaning in life among Tanzanian youth and emerging adults.* Poster Presentation at the Association of Psychological Science (APS) Conference, Chicago, IL.
- **Ho, L.Y.,** & Bowers, T. (2014). *A cross-cultural literature review of suicide in schizophrenia*. Poster Presentation at the American Psychological Association (APA) Conference, Washington, D.C.
- **Ho, L.Y.,** & Harrison, M. (2014). *Perceptions, punishments, and prevention of sexual assault.*Poster Presentation at the Association of Psychological Science (APS) Conference, San Francisco, CA.
- Murphy, E.A., **Ho, L.Y.,** Harrison, M.A., & Hughes, S.M. (2014). *Female Serial Killers in the U.S.: Motives, means, and meanings.* Poster Presentation at the Association of Psychological Science (APS) Conference, San Francisco, CA.
- **Ho, L.Y.**, Martinez, S., Debski. S., Patihis, L., Loftus, E.F. (2012). *Memory beliefs of the public, clinical psychologists, and criminal justice system professionals*. Poster Presentation at the Western Psychological Association (WPA) Conference, San Francisco, CA.
- **Ho, L.Y.**, Martinez, S., Debski, S., Patihis, L., Loftus, E.F. (2012). *Memory beliefs of the public, clinical psychologists, and criminal justice system professionals*. Oral and Poster Presentation at University of California, Irvine Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program Symposium (UROP). Irvine, CA.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Fall 2018 Graduate Instructor

PSY 201: Introduction to Psychology

University of Mississippi

Spring 2018 **Teaching Assistant**

PSY 321: Social Psychology (Online)

University of Mississippi

Professor Marilyn Mendolia, Ph.D.

Summer 2017 **Teaching Assistant**

PSY 410: Health Psychology University of Mississippi

Professor Todd A. Smitherman, Ph.D.

Spring 2015 **Adjunct Professor**

PSYCH 238: Introduction to Personality Psychology

PSYCH 100: Introduction to Psychology

Penn State Harrisburg

Adjunct Professor

PSYC 209: Lifespan Development

Harrisburg Area Community College: York Campus

Fall 2014 Adjunct Professor

PSYC 101: Introduction to Psychology (2 sections) Harrisburg Area Community College: York Campus

Adjunct Professor

PSYCH 100: Introduction to Psychology

WMNST 100: Introduction to Women's Studies

Penn State Harrisburg

Spring 2014 **Teaching Assistant**

PSYCH 100: Introduction to Psychology (2 sections)

PSYCH 243: Introduction to Wellbeing and Positive Psychology

Professor Cobi Michael, M.A.

Teaching Assistant

PSYCH 301W: Research Methods in Psychology

Professor Marissa Harrison, Ph.D.

Fall 2013 **Teaching Assistant**

PSYCH 100: Introduction to Psychology (2 sections)

PSYCH 212: Lifespan Development

Professor Cobi Michael, M.A.

Teaching Assistant

PSYCH 100: Introduction to Psychology Professor Marissa Harrison, Ph.D.

Spring 2013 **Teaching Assistant**

SO SC 480W: Quantitative Research Methods

Professor Chiara Sabina, Ph.D.

Fall 2012 **Teaching Assistant**

WMNST 100: Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies

Professor Chiara Sabina, Ph.D.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2017-2018 Provisionally Licensed Mental Health Therapist

Communicare

Supervisor: Scott A. Gustafson, Ph.D.

Hours: 18.75 hours per week

Responsibilities: Provided individual therapy to adults at a community mental

health agency in a rural county

2016-Present Graduate Student Therapist

Psychological Services Center Supervisor: Alan M. Gross, Ph.D

Hours: 2 hours per week

Responsibilities: Provided individual therapy to children and adults at a student

training clinic for the local community.

2016-2017 Graduate Student: Assessment Team

Psychological Assessment Clinic Supervisor: Scott A. Gustafson, Ph.D.

Hours: 2 hours per week

Responsibilities: Administered, scored, and interpreted assessments for ADHD,

learning disabilities, intelligence, achievement, and emotional issues.

2016-2017 Graduate Student Therapist

University of Mississippi Counseling Center Supervisor: Quinton Bud Edwards, Ph.D.

Hours: 20 hours per week

<u>Responsibilities</u>: Provided individual and group therapy services to adult college students within a university counseling center. Co-facilitated a Women of Color

group for minority female students.

2014 Behavioral Health Therapeutic Intern

Holy Spirit Hospital (A Geisinger Affiliate)

Supervisor: Russ Matthews, M.A.

Hours: 18 hours per week

Responsibilities: Provided individual and group therapy services to adults within

an acute crisis therapeutic unit. Created group therapy sessions and worked with individuals with various diagnoses such as schizophrenia, depression, bipolar disorder, substance abuse disorder, and anxiety.

2013-2014 School Psychology Intern

TrueNorth Wellness Services, Inc. <u>Supervisor</u>: Stacy Dove, M.A., LPC

Hours: 8 hours per week

<u>Responsibilities</u>: Provided individual and group therapy services to children in a therapeutic support classroom environment. Facilitated a therapeutic classroom for 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade children with a wide variety of diagnoses through cognitive-behavioral interventions and strategies.

2011-2012 Counseling Center Peer Educator

Counseling Center, UC Irvine

Supervisor: Jeanne Manese, Ph.D., Licensed Psychologist

Hours: 5-10 hours per week

<u>Responsibilities:</u> Collaborated with Counseling Center to promote healthy mental status. Created and presented workshops on psycho-educational mental health for university students. Focused on primary prevention for college students on campus.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2015-2016 Research Assistant

College of Liberal Arts, The University of Mississippi Supervised by Stefan Schulenberg, Ph.D.

12 months

Hours: 10 hours per week

<u>Responsibilities</u>: Reviewed previous literature on college campus shootings. Created an active shooter concern survey. Conducted a review on meaning and sexual assault. Actively collaborated with University of Mississippi's Medical Center to understand how meaning in life influences smoking cessation for individuals with serious mental illness.

2013-2014 Graduate Assistant

School of Behavioral Sciences and Education, Penn State Harrisburg Supervised by Marissa Harrison, Ph.D.

10 months

Hours: 10 hours per week

<u>Responsibilities</u>: Collaborated on various psychological research studies. Created poster presentations for sexual assault perceptions and female serial killers. Conducted literature review on mental health stigma and sexual assault myth acceptance in college students. Compiled questions for both surveys and input questions online.

2012-2013 Graduate Assistant

School of Behavioral Sciences and Education, Penn State Harrisburg

Supervised by Chiara Sabina, Ph.D.

12 months

Hours: 20 hours per week

<u>Responsibilities</u>: Conducted an extensive literature review on the influence of cultural factors on dating violence and other forms of victimization in Latino adolescents. Conducted an extensive literature review on dating violence and sexual assault services on higher education institutions. Compiled questions for campus liaisons regarding campus services. Produced a written manuscript on study findings and past literature for both studies.

2011-2013 Memory Beliefs Undergraduate Research Project

Department of Social Ecology, University of California, Irvine Supervised by Elizabeth Loftus, Ph.D

26 months

Hours: 10 hours per week

<u>Responsibilities:</u> Examined how memory beliefs in repression and trauma have changed within the past twenty years. Compiled questions from a number of different surveys to form a cohesive survey to determine which factors are relevant. Conducted statistical analyses and collaborated to produce a written manuscript on research findings.

2011-2012 Research Assistant Team Member

Department of Education, University of California, Irvine Supervised by Lindsey Richland, Ph.D. and Michael Martinez, Ph.D 12 months

Hours: 6 hours per week

<u>Responsibilities:</u> Tested children from different schools in the Orange County School District on their math and spatial abilities. Conduct experiments on the effects of testing stress on undergraduate college participants. Met weekly for one hour to discuss research projects conducted in lab. Conduct a literature review.

2010-2012 Research Assistant Team Member

Department of Social Ecology, University of California, Irvine Supervised by Elizabeth Loftus, Ph.D.

2 years

Hours: 10 hours per week

<u>Responsibilities:</u> Assisted at experimental lab administering participants. Edited, compiled proper paperwork for the lab director. Collected and analyzed data from the experiment. Studied past experiments extensively to trace the trend of different facets of memory throughout research literature.

OUTREACH EXPERIENCE

2016-2017 TrevorChat Counselor

The Trevor Project: http://www.thetrevorproject.org/

Hours: 2 hours per week

Duties: Provided online support services to LGBTQ youth aged 13-24 who may

present with suicidal ideation.

2015-2016 International Ladies Club

Oxford, MS

<u>Supervisor</u>: Laura R. Johnson, Ph.D. Hours: 1 hour every two weeks

<u>Duties</u>: Facilitated a social support group for women from a diverse range of

countries at the University of Mississippi.

Fall 2013 Hershey Medical Center Social Skills Intervention

Hershey, PA

Supervisor: Amanda Pearl, Ph.D.

Hours: 2 hours per week

Duties: Socialized with young adults with autism spectrum disorders in a social

skills intervention program to improve social skills and abilities.

2010-2012 Spirit League Volunteer

Orange County, CA

Supervisor: Bill Bermingham

Hours: 3 hours per week

<u>Duties:</u> Interacted with children and adolescents with developmental disabilities such as autism in a youth sports league. Encouraged youth to participate and

create social connections in order to stimulate social growth.

2011-2012 Friday Night Club Volunteer

Orange County, CA

Hours: 2 hours per week

<u>Duties:</u> Interacted with adolescents diagnosed with an autism spectrum disorder

to encourage social growth and development of social skills.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

2016-2018 Vice President

Autism Speaks U

University of Mississippi Hours: 1 hour every 2 weeks

<u>Duties</u>: Created a new chapter at the University of Mississippi, collaborated with

executive officers and corporate office, and facilitated chapter meetings.

2013-2014 Vice President

Psi Chi, the International Honors Society in Psychology

Penn State University, Harrisburg

Hours: 2 hours per week

<u>Duties</u>: Conducted meetings and events in the absence of the club President.

Applied for event funding on student wellness and completed club paperwork.

Organized events and delegated responsibilities among club members.

2013-2014 **President**

Applied Psychology Association of Penn State Harrisburg

Penn State University, Harrisburg

Hours: 1 Hours per week

<u>Duties</u>: Supervised all club events and conducted meetings. Applied for event funding through SAF and Student Government Association. Collaborated with faculty members and psychology related organizations for events. Organized events for awareness of mental health issues on campus.

2011-2012 **President**

Psi Chi, the International Honors Society in Psychology

University of California, Irvine

Hours: 2 hours per week

<u>Duties:</u> Supervised all club events and social activities. Completed all organizational paperwork. Directed board meetings and general meetings. Collaborated with the Students for Industrial-Organizational Psychology, Latina/o Student Psychological Association and the Psychology Student Association. Provided educational services and workshops on research and graduate education.

2010- 2012 Founding Board Member, Community Service Coordinator

Autism Speaks U, UC Irvine

University of California, Irvine

Hours: 3 hours per week

<u>Duties:</u> Established relationships with Orange County organizations involved with autistic youth and adults such as OC Kids, Brightstar Care, Friday Night Club, Talking about Curing Autism, and Spirit League. Instituted speaker meetings on campus with individuals involved with autism in various aspects. Launched first Autism Awareness week on university campus.

2011-2012 **Secretary**

Pi Gamma Mu, the International Honors Society in Social Sciences University of California, Irvine

Hours: 2 hours per week

<u>Duties:</u> Bookkeeping of all member attendance and participation. Recorded all board and general meeting events. Communicated to organization members on a weekly basis.

2011-2012 Internal Chair

Community Service and Leadership Program (CSLP)

University of California, Irvine

Hours: 3 hours per week

<u>Duties:</u> Managed all internal affairs of the organization. Directed all board meetings and general meetings. Collaborated with program adviser in weekly meetings. Completed all organizational paperwork.

2010-2011 Support and Development Chair

Community Service and Leadership Program (CSLP) University of California, Irvine

Hours: 2 hours per week

Duties: Encouraged organization cohesion and created member profiles.

Planned all social events and helped establish fundraisers.

ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS

Spring 2014 Division 52 Student Poster Award

Award for 2nd place of students within Division 52 for research on Cross-Cultural Suicide in Schizophrenia at the APA conference in Washington, DC.

Penn State Harrisburg School of Behavioral Sciences and Education

The Outstanding Graduate Student in Applied Clinical Psychology Award with \$100 award.

Association of Psychological Science (APS) Graduate Student Grant

Award for \$200 given for travel funds to present study on Perceptions of Sexual Assault and Female Serial Killers at the APS conference in San Francisco, CA.

American Psychological Association (APA) Graduate Student Grant

Award for \$300 given for travel funds to present Cross-Cultural Suicide in Schizophrenia study findings at the APA conference in Washington, DC.

Fall 2013 Pennsylvania State University Los Angeles (PSULA) Alumni Endowed Scholarship

The Los Angeles Chapter of the Penn State Alumni Association (PSULA) awards exceptional Penn State students who have achieved superior academic records and whose home address of record is within the Chapter geographic area, including Greater Los Angeles and the Counties of Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Ventura, California.

Fall 2012 Penn State University Bunton-Waller Fellowship

The Bunton-Waller Fellows Program attracts students from various ethnic and cultural backgrounds who have demonstrated academic potential and are eligible to attend Penn State. The award for a Graduate Assistant fellowship by Penn State University includes full tuition remission and monthly stipend for the duration of two academic years.

Spring 2012 School of Social Sciences Order of Merit

University of California, Irvine

Certificate in Gender Studies; Law and Policy

University of California, Irvine

Anthropology specialization in gender studies, foreign policy, and law.

Award for \$300 given for excellence within research and to present Memory Beliefs study findings at the WPA conference in San Francisco, CA.

Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)

Received additional \$1100 dollars to conduct and present Memory Beliefs study at WPA Conference and annual UROP symposium.

Spring 2012 Certificate in Global Studies

University of California, Irvine

Anthropology specialization in globalization, global studies and culture.

Spring 2011 Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)

Received \$1000 dollars to conduct and present Memory Beliefs study at annual UROP symposium.

Winter 2011 Social Sciences Academic Resource Center Princeton Review Scholarship

Award given for \$1099 as a scholarship for a GRE preparatory course given by the Princeton Review company.

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Division 52: International Psychology- Student member American Psychological Association (APA)- Member Association for Psychological Science (APS)- Member Phi Beta Kappa Society (2012)- Member Psi Chi Honors Society in Psychology (2011)- Member Pi Gamma Mu Honors Society in Social Sciences (2011)- Member Lambda Alpha Honors Society in Anthropology (2011)- Member Golden Key Honours Society (2011)- Member

OTHER LANGUAGES

Basic Conversational Chinese: Cantonese

REFERENCES

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