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Curriculum Vitae

Wheaton College
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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 2015 – Present** **Associate Professor**
Department of Psychology
Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL
- 2011 – Present** **Research Specialist**
Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Neuroscience
The University of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2011 – 2015** **Assistant Professor**
Department of Psychology
Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL
- 2010 – 2011** **Postdoctoral Fellow, Substance Abuse Treatment and Research**
Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Neuroscience
The University of Chicago, Chicago, I
- 1996 – 2002** **Instructor, Accelerated Undergraduate Degree Program**
Judson University, Elgin, IL

EDUCATION

- 2010** **Ph.D. in Psychology**
Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL
- 2009 – 2010** **Predoctoral Intern at APA-Approved Training Program**
Children's Memorial Hospital (now Ann and Robert H. Lurie Children's
Hospital of Chicago), Chicago, IL
- 2005** **M.A. in Psychology**
Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL
- 1989** **M.A. in Clinical Psychology, Marriage and Family Specialization**
Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL
- 1985** **B.A. in Psychology**
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Journal Articles (* student authors)

- *Smith, L., *Aycock, C., *Hook, K., Chen, P., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (in press). Parental monitoring moderates the relation between radio exposure and adolescent substance use: Preliminary findings from a national survey. *Journal of Child and Adolescent Substance Abuse*.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, & *George, R. (2016). Indirect effects of attributional style for positive events on depressive symptoms through self-esteem in early adolescence. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*. doi: 10.1007/s10964-016-0530-2.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Malecki, C. M., *Pyun, Y., *Aycock, C., & *Coyle, S. (2016). A meta-analytic review of the association between perceived social support and depression in childhood and adolescence. *Psychological Bulletin*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/bul0000058>
- Hu, H.-X., Zang, G.-B., Liu, Z.-L., **Rueger, S. Y.**, McNamara, P., King, A. C., & Hao, W. (2015). Different subjective and objective responses to alcohol among heavy and light drinkers of Han and Uyghur nationalities in China: *Journal of Addictions Nursing*, 26(4), 191–202. <http://doi.org/10.1097/JAN.0000000000000096>
- Malecki, C. M., Demaray, M. D., Coyle, S., Geosling, R., **Rueger, S. Y.**, & Becker, L. D. (2015). Frequency, power differential, and intentionality and the relationship to anxiety, depression, and self-esteem for victims of bullying. *Child Youth Care Forum*, 44, 115-131.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Hu, H. X., McNamara, P., Cao, D. C., Hao, W., & King, A. K. (2014). Differences in subjective response to alcohol in heavy and light drinking Chinese men versus Caucasian-American men. *Addiction*, 110, 91-99. doi: 10.1111/add.12737. PMID: 25203488 [PubMed - in process] PMID: PMC4270853 [Available on 2016-01-01].
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Chen, P., Jenkins, L. N., *Choe, H. J. (2014). Stability and change in perceived support from adults in the development of depressive symptoms during the transition to middle school. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 43, 655-670.
- Rueger, S. Y.** & Jenkins, L. N. (2014). Effects of peer victimization on psychological and academic adjustment in early adolescence. *School Psychology Quarterly*, 29, 77-88.
- King, A. C., Cao, D. C., Zhang, L. J., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2013). Effects of the opioid receptor antagonist naltrexone on smoking and related behaviors in smokers preparing to quit. *Addiction*, 108, 1836-1844.
- Morean, M. E., de Wit, H., King, A. C., Sofuoglu, M., **Rueger, S. Y.**, & O'Malley, S. S. (2013). The Drug Effects Questionnaire: Psychometric support across three drug types. *Psychopharmacology*, 227(1), 177-192. doi: 10.1007/s00213-012-2954-z.
- Rueger, S. Y.** & King, A. K. (2013). Validation of the Brief Biphasic Alcohol Effects Scale (B-BAES). *Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research*, 37(3), 470-6. doi: 10.1111/j.1530-0277.2012.01941.x.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Trela, C. J., Palmeri, M., & King, A. K. (2012). A self-administered web-based Timeline Followback procedure for drinking and smoking behaviors in young adults. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, 73, 829-833.

- King, A.C., Roche, D.J., **Rueger, S.Y.** (2011). Subjective responses to alcohol: A paradigm shift may be brewing. *Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research*, *35*, 1726-1728. PMID: 21919923
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Malecki, C. K., & Demaray, M. K. (2011). Stability of peer victimization in early adolescence: Effects of timing and duration. *Journal of School Psychology*, *49*, 443-464.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, & Malecki, C. K. (2011). Effects of stress, attributional style, and perceived parental support on depressive symptoms in early adolescence: A prospective analysis. *Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology*, *40*, 347-359.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Lovejoy, M. C., Katz, R., & Risser, H. J. (2011). Relationship between parental affect and parenting behavior: A meta-analytic review. *Parenting: Science and Practice*, *11*, 1-33.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Haines, B. A., & Malecki, C. M. (2010). Attributional style from middle childhood to early adolescence: Further validation of the paper and pencil versions of the Children's Attributional Style Interview. *Assessment*, *17*, 294-307.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Malecki, C. K., & Demaray, M. K. (2010). Relationship between multiple sources of perceived social support and psychological and academic adjustment in early adolescence: Comparisons across gender. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, *39*, 47-61.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, McNamara, P., & King, A. C. (2009). Expanding the utility of the Biphasic Alcohol Effects Scale. *Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research*, *33*, 1-9.
- Demaray, M. K., Malecki, C. K., **Rueger, S. Y.**, Brown, S. E., & Hodgson, K. K. (2009). The role of importance ratings of socially supportive behaviors in the relationship between social support and self-concept. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, *38*, 13-28.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Malecki, C. K., & Demaray, M. K. (2008). Gender differences in the relationship between perceived social support and student adjustment during early adolescence. *School Psychology Quarterly*, *23*, 496-514.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, & Malecki, C. M. (2007). Group administration of the Children's Attributional Style Interview. *Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology*, *36*, 1-7.
- Manuscripts In Preparation (* student authors)**
- *Rogers, S., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2016). Effects of friend support and friend characteristics on depression in early adolescent boys and girls.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, *Choe, H. J., & *Kirby, A. E. (2016). Abbreviated assessment tool of learned helplessness and mastery orientation: The Student Behavior Checklist-Brief
- Rueger, S. Y.**, & Hall, S. (2016). Alcohol-related cognitions: The independent and interactive effects of drinking and abstention motives in emerging adults.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, *Smith, L., King, A. C., & *Limberger, S. (2016). Asian American drinking motives during adolescence.

Book Chapters and Booklets

Rueger, S. Y. & Van Dyke, D. (2014). Family systems approaches to treatment. In K. F. Flanagan & S. Hall (Eds.), *Christianity and Developmental Psychopathology* (pp. 353-386). Downers Grove, IL: InterVarsity Press.

Aten, J., Boan, D., Flanagan, K., Canning, S., Hall, S., Eveleigh, E., **Rueger, S.Y.**, Kang, E., Pressley, J. (2012). *Booklet: Helping children cope with traumatic events*. Wheaton, IL: Humanitarian Disaster Institute, Wheaton College.

PRESENTATIONS

National Conferences and Professional Meetings (* student authors)

Rueger, S. Y. (2017, Mar). *Fostering Church-Psychology Collaborations to Address the Mental Health Needs of Asian Americans*. Conference speaker at the annual conference of the Christian Association for Psychological Studies.

*Rogers, S., *Pyun, Y. S., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2016, May). *Effects of friend support and friend characteristics on depression in early adolescent boys and girls*. Poster to be presented at the annual conference of the Association of Psychological Science, Chicago, IL.

*George, R., *Limberger, S., *Loynachan, C., *Case, S., *Oury, H., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2015, August). *Attributional style for positive events, self esteem and depression in early adolescence*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, CA

Rueger, S. Y., King, A. C., & *Smith, L. (2015, May). *Asian American drinking motives during adolescence*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of Research Society on Alcoholism, San Antonio, TX.

*Aycock, C., *Hook, K., *Chen, J., *Lindsey, M., *Smith, L. J., Chen, P., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2014, May). *Parental Monitoring Buffers the Effects of Music-Related Media Exposure on Underage Drinking*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association of Psychological Science, San Francisco, CA.

Rueger, S. Y., *Aycock, C., *Smith, L. J., *Christiansen, E. J., *Hocking, J. E., & *Chen, J. T. (2014, May). *Meta-Analysis of the Relationship between Social Support and Depression in At-Risk Youth*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association of Psychological Science, San Francisco, CA.

*Choe, H. J., *Lindsay, M., Hall, S. & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2013, August). *Psychometric properties of the Abstinence Motives Questionnaire*. Poster presented at the American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Honolulu, HI.

*Daniel, Q., *Meadow, M., *Rabe, K., Hall, S. & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2013, August). *Drinking, Abstaining and Limiting Motives in Young Adult Drinkers*. Poster presented at the American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Honolulu, HI. **APA Division 50 Award Winner – Student or Early Career Scholar category.**

*Hyun, J. I., *Baur, A., *Aycock, C., & *Choe, H. J., *Lindsey, M. & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2013, July). *Relation between youth depression and parent support: A meta-analysis*. Poster presented at the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI.

- Rueger, S. Y.,** Hu, H. X., Hao, .W., McNamara, P., Cao, D., & King, A. K. (2013, June). *Differential alcohol subjective responses among European American, Han and Uyghur Chinese heavy drinking men*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of Research Society on Alcoholism, Orlando, FL.
- Rueger, S. Y.,** & King, A. K. (2012, June). *Ethnic/racial differences in the relationship between alcohol use, depressive symptoms, and stressful life events in young adult social drinkers*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of Research Society on Alcoholism, San Francisco, CA.
- Palmeri, M. D., **Rueger, S. Y.,** Trela, C. J., McNamara, P. J., & King, A. K. (2012, June). *Utilizing Web-Based Technology in the Assessment of Alcohol and Cigarette Use via the Timeline Follow Back*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of Research Society on Alcoholism, San Francisco, CA.
- *Meadows, M. S., Rabe, K. E., *O'Neill, A., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2012, May). *Is Internalizing Distress a Mediator between Victimization and Academic Adjustment?* Poster presented at the annual conference of the Midwest Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- *Jackson, A., *Wu, E., Richmond, A., Ph.D., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2012, May). *Ethnic differences in attributional style across three dimensions in early adolescents*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, IL.
- *Kirby, A. E., *Choe, H. J., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2012, May). *Abbreviated assessment tool of learned helplessness and mastery orientation: Student Behavior Checklist-Brief (SBC-B)*. Poster presented at the annual conference of Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, IL.
- Rueger, S. Y.,** Chen, P., Jenkins, L. N., *Choe, H. J. (2012, May). *Stability and change in perceived support from adults in the development of depressive symptoms during the transition to middle school*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, IL.
- Rueger, S. Y.,** & King, A. C. (2011, June). *Validation of the Brief Biphasic Alcohol Effects Scale (B-BAES) in high risk drinkers*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Atlanta, GA. **Enoch Gordis Research Recognition Winner – Post Doctoral category.**
- Rueger, S. Y.,** Malecki, C. K., & Demaray, M. K. (2010, March). *Stability of early adolescent peer victimization: Timing and duration effects*. Paper presented at the annual convention of the National Association for School Psychologists, Chicago, IL.
- Rueger, S. Y.,** Ortiz, J., Dickson, A., & Malecki, C. K. (2010, March). A meta-analysis of school-based social support and depression. Poster presented at the annual convention of the National Association for School Psychologists, Chicago, IL.
- Malecki, C. K., **Rueger, S. Y.,** & Demaray, M. K. (2009, August). *Concurrent and longitudinal gender differences in social support and adjustment*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Psychological Association, Toronto, ON.
- Demaray, M. K., Davidson, L. M., Malecki, C. K., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2009, February). *Advances in the assessment of bullying behaviors*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the National Association for School Psychologists, Boston, MA.

- Rueger, S. Y., & Malecki, C. K.** (2008, November). *Effects of stress, attributional style, and perceived parental support on depressive symptoms in early adolescence: A prospective analysis*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, FL.
- Demaray, M. K., **Rueger, S. Y.**, Malecki, C. M., & Davidson, L. (2008, November). *What is most important in the measurement of bullying: Frequency, power differential, intention, or emotional response?* Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, FL.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Ibraimovska, A., & Malecki, C. K. (2008, May). *Gender differences in attributional style during early adolescence*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, Illinois.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, & Lovejoy, M. C. (2008, May). *Unique contributions of optimism and pessimism in early adolescence*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, Illinois.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Katz, R., Risser, H. J., & Lovejoy, M. C. (2008, May). *The effects of parental affect on parenting behavior: A meta-analytic review*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Midwest Psychological Association, Chicago, Illinois.
- Malecki, C. K., Demaray, M. D., **Rueger, S. Y.**, & Davidson, L. M. (2007, July). *The measurement of bullying behavior*. Paper presented at the Athens Institute for Education and Research International Conference on Psychology, Athens, Greece.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, & Lovejoy, M. C. (2007, May). *Distinguishing optimism from pessimism in early adolescence*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Psychological Science, Washington, D.C.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, & Haines, B. A. (2007, March). *Measurement of attributional style from childhood to early adolescence*. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Child Development, Boston, MA.
- Malecki, C. K., Demaray, M. K., Davidson, L. M., & **Rueger, S. Y.** (2006, August). *How measurement techniques may affect prevalence rates of bullying*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Haines, B. A., **Rueger, S. Y.**, Miner, A. S., & Lukk, A. A. (2006, August). *Gender variations in parents' attributions as contributors to children's attributional style*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- Rueger, S. Y.**, & Malecki, C. K. (2005, November). *Psychometric properties of a modified version of the Children's Attributional Style Interview in a sample of fifth and sixth grade children*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Washington D.C. **Elsie Ramos Memorial Student Research Award Winner**
- Rueger, S. Y.**, Malecki, C. K., Demaray, M. K., O'Brien, V. A., & Leo, C. A. (2005, August). *Social support for children and adolescents: Review of the literature*. Poster presented at the annual conference for the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.

Rueger, S. Y., & Malecki, C. K. (2005, May). *Reliable measurement of attributional style in children*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Psychological Science, Los Angeles, CA.

Mounts, N. S., Reyes, D., Boswell, M., **Rueger, S. Y.**, & Silvers, S. (2004, March). *Relations between parental management of peer relationships and adolescents' social skills*. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Society for Research on Adolescence, Baltimore, MD.

Invited Community Presentations and Brownbag Lectures

Rueger, S. Y., *Chung, D., & *Hwang, J. (2016, Apr). *Supporting Academic Excellence: Parenting with Cultural Awareness*. Workshop presented for parents of 4th – 11th participants in the National Math and Science Competition (NMSC), Chicago, IL.

Rueger, S. Y. (2016, Feb). *Understanding Risk and Resilience to Depression*. Wheaton College Women's Club, Wheaton, IL.

Rueger, S. Y. (2016, Feb). *Serendipity in Science: Resilience in the Face of Failure*. Clinical Child Psychology Brown Bag at Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL.

***Pyun, Y. S., & Rueger, S. Y.** (2016, Feb). *Advocating for Mental Health in AAPI Communities*. Conference speaker at the "Breaking the Silence" Regional Conference hosted by the Loyola Chapter of Asian and Pacific American Medical Students Association, Stritch School of Medicine, Loyola University, Maywood, IL.

Rueger, S. Y., & *Pyun, Y. S. (2015, Dec). *Navigating Life Effectively in a Bicultural World*. Plenary speaker at the Year-End Celebration of the Korean American Scientists and Engineers Association of Chicago, Arlington Heights, IL.

Rueger, S. Y., & *Pyun, Y. S. (2015, Oct). *Navigating the Pitfalls of Achieving Excellence*. Keynote Address at Saehan Korean American Youth Leadership Summit 2015: Bridging Gaps Between Generations, Korean American Cultural Center of Chicago, Wheeling, IL.

Rueger, S. Y., & *Pyun, Y. S. (2015, Mar). *Asian American Mental Health*. Seminar presented for the Loyola Chapter of Asian and Pacific American Medical Students Association, Stritch School of Medicine, Loyola University, Maywood, IL.

Rueger, S. Y., *Kim, Y. O., & *Pyun, Y. S. (2014, Sept). *The Interplay and Dynamics of the 1.52 Korean-American Identity*. Workshop presentation and panel discussion at the 12th Annual Korean American Coalition National Convention: Building our Future, Chicago, IL.

Rueger, S. Y., *Kim, Y. O., & *Chen, J. (2014, Aug). *Recognizing Signs of Depression and Anxiety and Seeking Support*. Workshop presentation at Saehan Korean American Youth Leadership Summit 2014: Shape Your Future, Korean American Cultural Center of Chicago, Wheeling, IL.

GRANTS**Current****2015 – 2016****Asian-American acculturation and health in Korean-American adolescents: A pilot study**, Wheaton College Psychology Department Faculty Research Grant, \$4,500, Principal Investigator**2015 – 2016****Asian-American acculturation and health in Korean-American parents: A pilot study**, Diversity and Justice Initiative Grant, Wheaton College, \$1,000, Principal Investigator**2013 – 2016****Attributional style and parental support as risk and protective factors to depression: A longitudinal follow-up into young adulthood**, Aldeen Faculty Development Grant, Wheaton College, \$2,520, Principal Investigator**Past****2014 – 2015****Coping motives for alcohol use in Asian American youth**, Aldeen Faculty Development Grant, Wheaton College, \$3,550, Principal Investigator**2012 – 2013****Unique effects of drinking and abstention motives on alcohol use**, Wheaton College Psychology Department Faculty Research Grant, \$7,500, Principal Investigator**2011 – 2013****Attributional style and parental support as risk and protective factors to depression: A longitudinal follow-up into late adolescence**, Wheaton College Psychology Department Faculty Research Grant, \$7,500, Principal Investigator**2010 – 2013****Alcohol stimulation and sedation in binge drinkers**, NIAAA Diversity Supplement Grant #R01 AA013746, \$101,408 total direct costs, Postdoctoral Research Trainee (PI: Andrea C. King, Ph.D.)**Submitted****2017 – 2022****Alcohol misuse prevention in Korean-American youth using integrated genetic and behavioral feedback**, NIAAA Career Development Award Grant # K08AA025130-01-A1, \$920,250.84 total direct costs, Principal Investigator**Submitted/Not Awarded****2014 – 2015****Understanding depression in Korean-American adolescents and their families**, National Council on Family Relations, \$10,000 total award, Co-Principal Investigator (Co-PI, Hana Yoo, Ph.D.)**2013 – 2017****Determinants of underage drinking in Korean American youth**, NIAAA Career Development Award Grant # K08AA022660-01-A1, \$760,915.46 total direct costs, Principal Investigator

PROFESSIONAL HONORS AND RECOGNITIONS

2015 – 2016	Junior Faculty Achievement Award Nominee Wheaton College
2011	Enoch Gordis Postdoctoral Research Award Research Society on Alcoholism
2007 – 2008	Northern Illinois University Dissertation Fellowship \$12,000 stipend, and \$500 research funds
2006 – 2007	Northern Illinois University Dissertation Research Award \$500 research funds
2005 – 2006	Northern Illinois University Lunsford Minority Fellowship \$6,000 stipend
2005	Elsie Ramos Memorial Student Research Award Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapy

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2011-current	Graduate School: Doctoral Program Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family Theory and Therapy (Psy.D. and M.A. programs) • Substance Abuse (Psy.D. and M.A. programs) • Research and Statistics II: Research Design • Advanced Topics in Clinical Psychology: Motivational Interviewing • Advanced Topics in Clinical Psychology: Meta-Analysis • Practica Seminar • Collaborative Research – Research Lab Section (B.A. program)
2010	Guest Lecturer, Clinical Skills 2 sequence (2nd year medical students) University of Chicago Medical School, Chicago, IL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Motivational Interviewing in Smoker Patients
2010	Guest Lecturer, Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Seminar University of Chicago Medical School, Chicago, IL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Motivation Enhancement Therapy (MET) for Drug Dependence
2010	Guest Lecturer, Graduate course in Psy.D. program Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integrative Behavioral Couple's Therapy
2009	Faculty Preceptor, Advanced Communications Topics University of Chicago, Department of Medicine, Chicago, IL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Motivational Interviewing with an Alcoholic
2008	Guest Lecturer, Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Seminar University of Chicago Medical Center, Chicago, IL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cognitive-Behavioral Couple's Therapy

- 1996 – 2002** **Course Instructor, Accelerated Undergraduate Degree Program**
 Judson University, Elgin, IL
- Research and Statistics
 - Personality and Motivation
 - Life Span Development
 - Applied Group Process
 - Introduction to Counseling: Family Therapy

SUPERVISION OF STUDENT RESEARCH

Dissertation Chair

- In progress** **Priscilla Mendez, M.A.**
Healthy Relationships in Latino Couples: Do Changes in Marital Quality Mediate Improvements in the Parent-Child Relationship?
- In progress** **Stephen Case, M.A.**
Effects of Perceived Support from Mothers and Fathers on Academic Outcomes in Middle School Students
- In progress** **Sarah Limberger, Psy.D. candidate**
Coping Motives as a Moderator in the Relationship Between Depression and Drinking Outcomes in a Sample of Emerging Adults
- In progress** **Jacqueline Chen, Psy.D. candidate**
Extending Hope to Chinese Americans in Faith Based Communities
- In progress** **Chase Aycock, Psy.D. candidate**
Meta-analytic Review of Military Tobacco Cessation Interventions
- 2016** **Miranda Meadows, Psy.D.**
Global Positive Expectancies and the Moderating Effects on Sensation Seeking and Drinking Outcomes
- 2015** **Anjelica Jackson, Psy.D.**
The Effects of Social Support from Kin and Fictive Kin on Attributional Style for Positive and Negative Events for African-American Adolescents
- 2015** **Andrea Kirby, Psy.D.**
Reintegrating Learned Helplessness into a Cognitive Vulnerability-Social Support Model of Early Adolescent Depression
- 2015** **Elissa Wu, Psy.D.**
Attributional Style and Depression in Asian-American Adolescents: The Moderating Role of East-Asian Values
- 2014** **Rachel (Posthuma) George, Psy.D.**
The Moderating Effects of Attributional Style for Positive Events in the Relation Between Self-Esteem & Depression in Early Adolescence
- 2014** **Sarah Rogers, Psy.D.**
An Investigation of the Impact of Friend Characteristics on Implications for Social Support Outcomes in Young Adolescents

Dissertation Reader**In progress****Grace Schuler, Psy.D. candidate***The Role of Forgiveness in the Recovery Process of Adult Female Survivors of Sex Trafficking***2016****Mallory Lamb, Psy.D.***Development of Repeated Exposure to Verbal Learning Task: A Pilot Normative Project***2016****Grace Ahn, Psy.D.***Forgiveness Education for Children in a Church Setting***2015****Roger Lin, Psy.D.***Asian American Acculturation and Psychological Help-Seeking Attitudes: Meta Analysis***Thesis Chair****2013****Hyung Joon Choe, M.A.***Assessment of Learned Helplessness and Mastery Orientation in Youth using the Student Behavior Checklist: A Psychometric Analysis of the Full and Abbreviated Versions***CLINICAL WORK EXPERIENCE****1993 – Present****Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist/Licensed Clinical Psychologist**

Rueger & Associates, Ltd., South Elgin/Bloomington, IL

2008 – 2009**Clinical Trial Smoking Cessation Study Therapist**Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Neuroscience
The University of Chicago, Chicago, IL**1991 – 1993****Psychotherapist**

First Baptist Church Counseling Center, Elgin, IL

1989 – 1993**Youth and Family Therapist**

Family Service Association, Elgin, IL

1990 – 1992**Behavioral Consultant, Weight Management Program**

St. Joseph's Hospital, Elgin, IL

1986 – 1989**Case Manager/Crisis Intervention Therapist**

Ecker Center for Mental Health, Elgin, IL

1985 – 1986**Group Home Child Care Worker**

Children's Home and Aid Society, Evanston, IL

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**Institutional Service****2015 – current**

Admissions and Academic Requirements Committee (Psy.D.)

2014 – current

Institutional Review Board Committee (College)

2014 – current

Student Referral Committee, Ad Hoc Member (Psy.D., M.A.)

2014 – current Graduate School Recruitment Visits (College)
2012 – current Ph.D. Program Task Force (Psy.D. Program)
2011 – 2015 Clinical Training Committee (Psy.D. Program)

Journal Co-Reviewer (Ad Hoc Journal Reviewer, Andrea C. King, Ph.D.)

Addiction Biology Archives of General Psychiatry
 Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research Psychopharmacology

Ad-Hoc Journal Reviewer

Addictive Behavior Journal of Early Adolescence
 Alcohol - An International Biomedical Journal Journal of Research on Adolescence
 Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research Journal of School Psychology
 Canadian Journal of Behavioural Science Journal of School Violence
 Child Development Parenting: Science and Practice
 Developmental Psychology PLOS ONE
 Educational Psychology Psychopharmacology
 Journal of Child and Family Studies Social Development
 Journal of Clinical Psychology

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND LICENSURE

Licensed Clinical Psychologist, State of Illinois, # 071008856
 Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist, State of Illinois, #166000356
 American Psychological Association
 Association for Psychological Science
 Research Society on Alcoholism