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EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania, Graduate School of Education, Philadelphia, PA 2009
PhD, Interdisciplinary Studies in Human Development (Developmental Psychology)
Dissertation with Distinction

University of Pennsylvania, School of Arts & Sciences, Philadelphia, PA 2007
Graduate Certificate in Africana Studies

Columbia University, Teachers College, New York, NY 2000
MA, Developmental Psychology

Howard University, Washington, DC 1997
BS, Psychology, Cum Laude

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

University of Texas at Austin College of Education, Austin, TX September 2009 - Present
Assistant Professor of Educational Psychology, Human Development and Culture and Learning Sciences
Faculty Affiliate, African and African Diaspora Studies Department
Faculty Affiliate, Warfield Center for African and African American Studies

University of La Verne Mosaic Cultural Institute, Office of the President, La Verne, CA
September 2001 - August 2005
Director, Intercultural Development

OVERVIEW OF RESEARCH AGENDA

My research has focused on the racial experiences of youth. In particular, I examine how cultural strengths can be used to minimize the negative outcomes related to racism stress, violence and aggression, bullying and community stressors on health and academic outcomes. I have co-developed measurements of racial/ethnic socialization and developed assessments of racial cohesion and perceptions of same-race violence in the Black community and racial/ethnic socialization in White families. These culturally relevant measures ascertain how racial experiences influence youth health and academic outcomes. As a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation New Connection Scholar, I am studying the assessment, treatment and socialization processes of Black children that experience bullying.

PUBLICATIONS (Ψ=CURRENT OR FORMER STUDENTS AS CO-AUTHORS)

Ψ **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Agonafer, E., Edmondson, R., & Flannigan, A. (2016, In Press). If I Can Do For My People, I Can Do For Myself: Examining Racial Factors for Their Influence on Goal Efficacy For Black College Students. *Journal of College Student Development*.

Michael, A., Coleman-King, C., Lee, S., Ramirez, C., & **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (2016). Seeing White Culture. In S. D. Hancock & C. A. Warren (Eds.), *White Woman's Work: Examining the Intersectionality of Cultural Norms, Teaching, and Identity Formation in Urban Schools*. Information Age Publishing.

- Bartoli, E., **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Michael, A., Garcia, A. M., & Ervin, A. (2015, In Press). What do White counselors and psychotherapists need to know about race?: White racial socialization in counseling and psychotherapy training programs. *Journal of Women & Therapy: Special Issue on Whiteness in Therapeutic Relationships*.
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (2014). Hope, Agency or Disconnect: Scale Construction for Measures of Black Racial Cohesion and Dissonance *Journal of Black Psychology*. doi: 10.1177/0095798414557670
- ψ **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, & Chapman-Hilliard, C. (2014). Doing race in different places: Black racial cohesion on Black and White college campuses. *Journal of Diversity in Higher Education*, 7(4). doi: 10.1037/a0038293
- Adams-Bass, V. N., **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, & Stevenson, H. C. (2014). That's Not Me I See On TV: African American youth interpret media images Of Black females. *Women, Gender and Families of Color*, 2(1).
- ψ **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** & Robbins, Paul A. (2014). What Black Parents Need to Know About School Readiness Contradictions. *Psych Discourse*, 48(1).
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, & Adams-Bass, V. N. (2013). The Whole Picture: Examining Black women through the life span. In H. O. Jackson Lowman (Ed.), *Afrikan American Women: Living at the Crossroads of Race, Gender, Class, and Culture*: Cognella Press/University Readers.
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Thomas, D. E., & Stevenson, H. (2013). Raising Consciousness: Promoting healthy coping among African American boys at school. In C. Clauss-Ehlers, Z. Serpell & M. Weist (Eds.), *Handbook of Culturally Responsive School Mental Health: Advancing Research, Training, Practice, and Policy* Springer.
- Thomas, D. E., Coard, S. I., Stevenson, H. C., **Bentley, K. L.**, & Zamel, P. C. (2009). Racial and emotional factors predicting teachers' perceptions of classroom behavioral maladjustment for urban African American male youth. *Psychology in the Schools*, 46(2), 184-196.
- Bentley, K. L.**, Adams, V. N., & Stevenson, H. C. (2009). Racial Socialization: Roots, Processes & Outcomes. In H. Neville, B. Tynes & S. Utsey (Eds.), *Handbook of African American Psychology* (pp. 258-267). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

SUBMITTED / RESUBMITTED

- Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, & Stevenson, H. C. (2014). Evolving with the Times: Recasting racial/ethnic socialization measurement to account for multidimensional processes. (Revise & Resubmit).
- ψ Bartoli, E., Michael, A., **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Stevenson, H. C., Shor, R., & McClain, S. (2013). Chasing colorblindness: White racial and ethnic socialization. (Revise & Resubmit).
- ψ **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, & Flannigan, A. (2014). Race, class and our kind of people: Examining the relationship between social class and racial cohesion or dissonance in African Americans. *Submitted for Publication*.
- Sanchez, D., **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Matthews, J. S., & Granillo, M. T. (2014). Perceived Racial Discrimination and Racial Identity Status Attitudes Among Ethnically Diverse Black Adolescents: The Impact on Psychological Concerns and Risky Behaviors *Submitted for Publication*.
- Adams-Bass, V. N., **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Thomas, D. E., Coleman, C., Thompson, C. I., Miller, G., et al. (2014). Got Skillz? Recasting and Negotiating Racial Tension in Teacher-Student Relationships. *Submitted for Publication*.

- ψ **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Flannigan, A., Oh, H., Reinhart, A. L., Robbins, P. A., & Rackley, K. (2014). Racial Socialization, Racism and Goal Efficacy in Black Youth: Having Honest Conversations About Race Without Being a Dream Crusher. *Submitted for Publication*.
- ψ **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Robbins, P. A., & Smith, L. (In Preparation). Out of the Hood, but Not Out of the Woods: The School Engagement and Cohesion of Black College Students Based on Exposure to Violence and Victimization.

RECENT SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

- 2015 ψ Flannigan, A., & **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (August, 2015). *If We Are Divided, Can We Still Stand? Class Distinctions and Cohesive Forces in the Black Community*. Poster presentation for the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- 2014 ψ **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Robbins, P. A., & Adams-Bass, V. N. (July, 2014). *The School Engagement & Cohesion of Black Students Exposed to Violence*. Paper presented at the Association of Black Psychologists Annual Convention, Indianapolis, IN.
- ψ **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Robbins, P. A., Reinhart, A. L., & Flannigan, A. (April, 2014). *The Power of Perceptions: Examining how Race, Gender, and Athletic Identities Influence Self-Concepts, Efficacy and Stereotype Threat*. Symposium proposed for the American Education Research Association, Philadelphia, PA.
- Adams-Bass, V. N., **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Coleman-King, C., Michaels, A., Thompson, C. I., Bartoli, E., et al. (April, 2014). *Across the Spectrum the Implications of Racial Socialization for Diverse Children and Youth*. Symposium proposed for the American Education Research Association, Philadelphia, PA.
- ψ Flannigan, A., & **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (March, 2014). *Racial Socialization and Goal Efficacy in Black Youth: Having Honest Conversations About Race Without Being a Dream Crusher*. Paper proposed for the Society for Research in Adolescence, Austin, TX.
- ψ Robbins, P. A., Harrison, L., & **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (March, 2014). *Game Changers: Differences in the Academic Self-Concepts of Middle and High School Athletes*. Paper proposed for the Society for Research in Adolescence, Austin, TX.
- 2013 Adams-Bass, V. N., Stevenson, H. C., & **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (October, 2013). *A person, place or thing: How racism and racial encounters influence the social development of Black adolescents*. Paper presented at the Critical Questions in Education Conference, San Antonio.
- ψ Birks, L., & **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (July, 2013). *The Impact of African American Academic-Professional Student Organizations on African American College Students' Adjustment and Career Goals*. Poster presented at the Association of Black Psychologists, New Orleans, LA.
- Bartoli, E., & **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (January, 2013). *White Racial and Ethnic Socialization: From Colorblindness to Anti-racism*. Roundtable for the National Multicultural Conference & Summit, Houston, TX.
- 2012 ψ Bartoli, E., Michael, A., **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, Stevenson, H., Shor, R., & McClain, S. (November, 2012). *Chasing Colorblindness: The Role of Schools and Families in White Racial Socialization* Paper presented at the National Association of Multicultural Education, Philadelphia, PA.

- Bentley, K. L.** (June, 2012). *Painfully obvious, blissfully ignored: confronting race in education*. Paper presented at Law and Society, Honolulu, HI. An Individual Paper presented as part of a symposium on the intersection of race, academic outcomes and education policy.
- 2011 **Bentley, K. L.,** & Jackson-Lowman, H. (July, 2011). *Sistahs in Front: Teaching Black women's psychology*. Symposium presented at the Association for Black Psychologist Annual Conference, Crystal City, VA.
- Ψ **Bentley, K. L.,** & Chapman-Hilliard, C. (April, 2011). *Doing race in different places: Black racial cohesion on Black and White college campuses*. Roundtable Discussion presented at the American Educational Research Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Ψ **Bentley, K. L.,** & Chapman-Hilliard, C. (April, 2011). *A new non-academic variable: Black racial/ethnic socialization exploration*. Paper presented at the American Educational Research Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Adams, V. N., **Bentley, K. L.,** & Coleman, C. (April, 2011). *Racial/Ethnic socialization as a conflict negotiation intervention: Exploring two programs for Black students that work*. Paper presented at the American Educational Research Association, New Orleans, LA.
- Bentley, K. L.** (March, 2011). *Black Racial/Ethnic Socialization From a Developmental Perspective*. Paper presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Montreal, Canada.
- 2010 **Bentley, K. L.** (July, 2010). *The intersection of racial and neighborhood factors in African American social cohesion*. Paper presented for the Association of Black Psychologist Annual Conference, Chicago, IL.
- Bentley, K. L.** (August, 2010). *Community Investment Questionnaire: A culturally relevant measure of social cohesion*. Poster presented at the American Psychological Association Convention, San Diego, CA.
- 2009 **Bentley, K.L.,** Coleman, C., Thompson, C.I., Miller, G., Michaels, A., Stevenson, H. et al. (June, 2009). *You hit my heart: Preparing Black students to manage racially stressful encounters*. Presentation for the Society for Community Research and Action Biennial Conference, Montclair, NJ.
- Thomas, D. E. & **Bentley, K. L.** (March, 2009). *Predictors of Resilience and Social Competence for African American Children Exposed to Aggressive-Disruptive Classrooms*. Pecha Kucha presentation for the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Denver, CO.
- 2008 **Bentley, K.L.** (November, 2008). *Youth-CARES: Measuring and redefining Black experiences of racial socialization*. Colloquium presented at the University of Texas at Austin.
- Bentley, K. L.,** Stevenson, H. C., Moultrie, E., Hayling, C. C., Thompson, C. I., Thomas, D. E., et al. (August, 2008). *Typecasting 101: re-scripting Black student reactions to stereotyping*. Symposium presented at the American Psychological Association Convention, Boston, MA. (Offered as a Continuing Education Unit for APA)
- Bentley, K. L.,** Moultrie, E., & Hayling, C. C. (August, 2008). *What they said: Empowering and diminishing reactions to racial socialization*. Paper presented at the American Psychological Association Convention, Boston, MA.

- Bentley, K. L., & Stevenson, H. C.** (July, 2008). *It Ain't All Good: Examining the empowering and diminishing influence of racial socialization*. Think Tank presented at the Association of Black Psychologists, Oakland, CA.
- Bentley, K. L., Stevenson, H. C., Thompson, C. I., Thomas, D. E., Miller, G., & Hayling, C. C.** (July 2008). *The Fly in the Buttermilk: Negotiating Racial Stress and Resistance in Predominantly White Schools*. Symposium presented at the Association of Black Psychologists, Oakland, CA.
- Bentley, K. L. & Stevenson, H.C** (March, 2008). *You are what you hear: Using racial socialization as a conduit for academic success*. Paper presented at the American Educational Researchers Association Convention, New York, NY.
- Bentley, K. L., Stevenson, H.C., Thompson, C.T. & Miller, G.** (Feb, 2008). *But That Stuff Doesn't Really Happen Anymore: What African American Students Have Been Told About Racial Hierarchies and School Success*. Symposium presented at the Winter Roundtable of Cultural Psychology and Education Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY.
- Bentley, K. L., Stevenson, H.C., Hayling, C. C. & Adams, V.N.** (Feb, 2008). *The Good, The Bad & The Ugly: The Empowering and Diminishing Effects of Racial Socialization Messages*. Roundtable Discussion facilitated at the Winter Roundtable of Cultural Psychology and Education Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY.
- 2007 **Stevenson, H. C. & Bentley, K. L.** (Spring & Winter, 2007). *Race and Identity in School Settings*. Paper presented at the Delaware Valley Minority Student Achievement Consortium Summer Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
- Stevenson, H. C. & Bentley, K. L.** (August, 2007). *Family CARES: Development and analysis of the Cultural and Racial Experiences of Socialization for African American Families*. Poster accepted for the American Psychological Association Annual Convention, San Francisco.
- Bentley, K. L. & Stevenson, H. C.** (June, 2007). *Caring About Race: Black families' perspectives on racial socialization*. Paper presented at the Society for Research on Community Research and Action Biennial Conference, Pasadena, CA.
- Bentley, K. L. & Stevenson, H. C.** (February, 2007). *CARES: Development of the Cultural and Racial Experiences of Socialization for Black Families*. Paper presented at the Winter Roundtable of Cultural Psychology and Education Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY.
- Coard, S. I., Stevenson, H. C., Thomas, D. E., & Bentley, K. L.** (February, 2007). *Validating My Life: Validation of the Daily Life Experiences of Racism Stress Scale for Black Adolescents*. Paper presented at the Winter Roundtable of Cultural Psychology and Education Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY.
- Thomas, D. E., & Bentley, K. L.** (February, 2007). *Racial and Emotional Factors Predicting Teachers' Perceptions of Classroom Behavioral Adjustment for African-American Male Youth*. Paper presented at the Winter Roundtable of Cultural Psychology and Education Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY.

- 2006 **Bentley, K. L., Williams, V., & Stevenson, H. C.** (February, 2006). *The influence of racism experiences on African American adolescent's perceived racial socialization and psychosocial outcomes*. Poster presented at the Winter Roundtable of Cultural Psychology and Education Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, NY.

VISITING SCHOLAR & INVITED LECTURES

- 2015 **Bentley-Edwards, K. L., Adams-Bass, V. N., & Stevenson, H. C.** (May 26 – 28, 2015). Professional Development Training: *Teaching for Social Justice & Improving Racial Literacy in Schools*. Professional Development presented at Lincoln (NE) Public School District. Lincoln, NE.
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, (April, 2015). Invited Presentation: *Translating Multicultural Competence Research to Social Justice-Oriented Practice – Continuing the Conversation*. The Texas Child Study Center Brown Bag Colloquium, Dell's Children's Medical Center of Central Texas - Austin, TX.
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (February 2015). Invited Panelist: *The Resistance to Black Lives Matter: Privilege, Ideological Disconnects, and Racial Inequities*. The Center for African American Studies Conference, University of Texas at Arlington.
- 2014 **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.**, (November, 2014). Invited Presentation: *Translating Multicultural Competence Research to Social Justice-Oriented Practice*. The Texas Child Study Center Brown Bag Colloquium, Dell's Children's Medical Center of Central Texas - Austin, TX.
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L., Adams-Bass, V. N., & Stevenson, H. C.** (October 3-4, 2014). Visiting Scholars Presentation: *Teaching for Social Justice: Enhancing Communication, Improving School Climate*. Plenary Session presented at University of Nebraska-Lincoln's Secondary English Education Program Annual Conference. University of Nebraska-Lincoln.
- Bentley-Edwards, K.L.** (August, 2014). Invited Panelist: *Prominent Women Answering Pressing Questions*. Prepared for Purpose Women's Conference. Austin, TX.
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (May, 2014). *Stressed Beyond Reach: How to Recognize, Identify & Minister to Stressed Out Youth*. Invited Workshop presented at the Transformations: Equipping Churches to Transform Lives, Huston-Tillotson University, Austin, TX
- 2013 **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (November, 2013). Self & Identity in Black Women. In D. R. Berry (Instructor), *Black Women in America (HIS 350R/AFR 374D/ WGS 350)*. University of Texas at Austin.
- 2012 **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (October, 2012). *Promoting Academic Resilience in Black Students Utilizing Cultural Strengths*. Lecture presented at the UT Austin Psychology Department Brown Bag Series, Austin, TX.
- 2011 **Bentley, K. L.** (May, 2011). *Loving the Skin I'm In*. Keynote presented at the Black Studies Annual Awards, Austin, TX.
- Bentley, K. L.** (February, 2011). *Promoting Resilience in Black Students Utilizing Cultural Strengths*. Paper presented at the UT Austin School Psychology Black History Lecture, Austin, TX.
- 2009 **Bentley, K. L.** (September, 2009). *Resilience, Would You Know it if You Saw it?* Professional Development Lecture for instructors and outreach program directors at the Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia, PA

- 2005 **Bentley, K. L.** (March, 2005). *Womanism: Black Feminist Consciousness from Afros to Hip Hop*. Roundtable discussion presented at the Engendering Diversity, Women, Gender & Sexuality Conference, University of La Verne, La Verne, CA.
- 2002 Vergara, D. & **Bentley, K.L.** (October, 2002). *Promoting Successful First Generation and Ethnic Minority Students*. Plenary Session at Ethnicity Matters Symposium: Rethinking how Black, Hispanic and American Indian students prepare for and succeed in college, South Dakota State University, Brookings, SD.

MEDIA APPEARANCES

- 2014 National Public Radio. (2014, December 30). NPR Source of the Week. *NPR Tumbler*. Retrieved from <http://sourceoftheweek.tumblr.com/keishabentleyedwards>
- Latson, J. (2014, December 22). Two Shootings, 30 Years Apart, Linked by Fear. *TIME*. Retrieved from <http://time.com/3640967/bernhard-goetz-history/>
- Madhani, A., & Alcindor, Y. (2014, November 29). Ferguson a defining moment for race relations in USA, *USA Today*. Retrieved from <http://usat.ly/1rG02hD>
- Alcindor, Y. (2014, August 28). Ferguson violence could be a catalyst for change, *USA Today*. Retrieved from <http://usat.ly/1pnydZ9>
- Alcindor, Y. (2014, February 26). Jordan Davis' Parents Talk About The Future And Gun Laws, *USA Today*. Retrieved from <http://usat.ly/1foaZHr>
- Alcindor, Y. (2014, February 13). Again, A Black Teen Is Shot, But Cases Are Not The Same, *USA Today*. Retrieved from <http://usat.ly/1eovAej>
- 2013 Brown, B. (2013, April 25). Girls on Film, *The Hilltop (Howard University)*. Retrieved from <http://www.thehilltoponline.com/life-style/girls-on-film-1.2825770>
- Alcindor, Y. (2013, February 27). A year after Trayvon Martin death, families reflect, *USA Today*. Retrieved from <http://www.usatoday.com/story/news/nation/2013/02/26/trayvon-martin-george-zimmerman-racial-profiling/1949219/>
- 2012 Alcindor, Y. (2012, November 12). Racial slurs at college protests prompt a deeper look, *USA Today*. Retrieved from <http://www.usatoday.com/story/news/2012/11/10/racial-slurs-at-colleges-show-progress-still-needed/1696475/>
- McGuinness, C. (2012, April 18). Billboard showcases rising cost of prom, *Killeen Daily Herald*. Retrieved from <http://www.kdhnews.com/news/story.aspx?s=65679>
- 2010 Lary, B. (Writer). (2010). Educational Psychology in the Classroom [DVD]. In Promedion Productions (Producer), *Educational Psychology in the Classroom*.

MEASURES & RESEARCH TOOLS

- 2014 **Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** (2014). *The Racial Cohesion Questionnaire (RCQ)*. Published in the Journal of Black Psychology.
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L.** & Stevenson, Howard, C. (2014). *The Cultural And Racial Experiences of Socialization (CARES)*. Under 2nd review for publication.
- 2011 Ψ **Bentley, K. L.**, Taylor, D. S., & Rarick, J. (2011). *Black-on-Black Crime Perceptions*. Unpublished Measurement. University of Texas at Austin. Austin, TX.
- 2007 **Bentley, K. L.**, & Stevenson, H. C. (2007). *The Racial Interactions Scale*. University of Pennsylvania.

2006 **Bentley, K. L.** (2006). *The development and scoring of the Scholastic Outlook, Ambition and Resilience (SOAR) measure for children*. University of Pennsylvania.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Bentley-Edwards, K. L., (2014-2016). *Identifying culturally appropriate bullying assessments to address disparities in assessment and treatment of African American bullies and victims* (\$96,319-Direct Funds over 2 years). University of Texas at Austin: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation-New Connections, Junior Investigators.

-This project addresses the gap in research literature and practice regarding Bullying and African American youth. I am conducting an extensive review of the literature to ascertain the degree to which African American youth are included in bullying assessment and intervention efforts, as well as the socialization youth receive about bullying from family, teachers and their communities.

Bentley-Edwards, K. L. (2013). *Using Cultural Strengths To Combat The Deleterious Effects Of Same-Race Violence*. (Course Load Reduction & \$3,000 Research Funds). Austin, TX: University of Texas at Austin College of Education Dean's Fellowship.

-This project investigates racial socialization and racial cohesion for its ability to mediate the relationship between same-race violence exposure and negative outcomes. This project includes the piloting of a measure of same-race violence.

Bentley, K. L. (2009). Lifting as we climb: The influence of Racial and Cultural Experiences on the Community Investment of Black Strivers. *Applied Psychology & Human Development Dissertation Research Award* (\$5,000). Philadelphia, PA: University of Pennsylvania.

Bentley-Edwards, K. L. & Bartoli, E. (In Preparation). *Racial Socialization as a Precursor for Healthy Interracial Outcomes*. University of Texas at Austin: National Institutes of Health (NIH); Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD).

-This resubmitted project expands on qualitative pilot work that examined the prevalence and content of racial/ethnic socialization in White families (Bartoli, et al., 2012). Submitted June 2012, **Percentile: 28th Impact Factor Score: 34**. Resubmitted July 2013, **Percentile: 11th Impact Factor Score: 24**. Unfunded. Will submit as a new proposal in 2015

OVERVIEW OF TEACHING & INSTRUCTION

My teaching revolves around Developmental and Black Psychology, and in some classes, the fields directly intersect (ex. Lifespan Development of Black Women). My goal as a professor is to convey my knowledge to students in digestible ways that allow them to be innovators in their respective fields, or simply to stop and think critically about the world around them. I believe that it was this approach that initiated the UT Austin Society for Teaching Excellence to invite me to their membership.

COURSE INSTRUCTION

University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX Fall 2009 - Present
The Individual Through the Lifespan (Graduate) EDP 385

Psychological Development of Black Women - UT Diversity Flag
EDP 363M /AFR 374D/WGS 340 (New Course to UT)

Psychology of the African American Experience EDP 362

Adolescent Psychosocial Development (Graduate) EDP 385 (Course Revived at UT after 20+ years)

Special Topics in Human Development and Culture: African American Psychology (Graduate) EDP 385 (New Course to UT)

Adolescent Development EDP 363

Intro to Lifespan Development EDP 363

University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Education, Philadelphia, PA Fall 2008 - Spring 2009
Adolescent Development (Graduate)

Psychology of Personal Growth/Culture Gender & Society

University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Education, Philadelphia, PA Spring 2006-Sum 2009
Teaching Assistant, Psychology of the African American (Graduate)

University of La Verne, La Verne, CA Spring 2002 to Fall 2004

- *Multicultural Psychology*
- *The Black Experience in America*
- *Lifespan Development*
- *Service Learning: AVID Tutoring*
- *International/Intercultural Experience*

STUDENT SUPERVISION & COMMITTEE WORK

DOCTORAL SUPERVISION

Dissertation:

- Paul Robbins, Spr 2015
- Leann Smith, Spr 2016
- Kris Scardamalia, Spr 2016

Qualifying Process:

- Alaina Flannigan, Spr 2015
- Paul Robbins, Spr 2013

Practicum & Predoctoral Projects:

- Alyssa Reinhart, Spring 2013
- Paul Robbins, Sum 2014

Complete:

- Alyssa Reinhart, Spr 2014

DOCTORAL COMMITTEES

Complete:

- Yamanda Wright (UT Psych Dept.), Fall 2014
- Chelsea Brewer, Sum 2014
- Andrea Bullock, Sum, 2013
- Bianca Jones, Sum, 2013
- Shannon McLain, Sum 2013
- Sarah Petit, Spring, 2013
- Bridget Lee, Spring 2013
- Collette Chapman-Hilliard, Spring 2013

Current:

- Stacey Jackson
- KyongJoo Hong
- Olufunke Awosogba
- Desiré Taylor
- Betsy Crowe

MASTERS SUPERVISION & COMMITTEES

Masters Reports Supervision:

- Ashley Hurst, Spr 2013
- Brianna Livsey, Spr 2013
- Jason Rarick, Spr 2012
- Whitney McMillan, Spr 2012
- Timberly Lewis, Spr 2011
- Tamara Salas-Tull, Spr 2011
- Shira Butler, Fall 2010

Masters Report Committees:

- Jennifer Deppa
- Erin Foulis

UNDERGRADUATE SUPERVISION

Undergraduate Independent Study

- Jennifer Oruebor, Spr 2015
- Rashida Edmonson, Spr 2012
- Edden Agonafer, Fall 2011-Spr 2012
- Mariizhe Bonier, Spr 2011
- Santeka Grigley, Sum 2010

McNair Scholar Mentor

- Lauren Birks, Spr 2012-Spr 2013
- Alexius Thomas, Spr 2012-Spr 2013

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE & COMMITTEE WORK

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

- Journal of Black Psychology, Editorial Board Fall 2011-Present
- Ad Hoc Reviewer
 - Society for Research in Adolescence 2013
Reviewer, 2014 SRA Biennial Meeting
 - Teachers College Record Fall 2013-Present
 - International Journal of Intercultural Relations Fall 2013-Present
 - Self & Identity Spring 2013-Present
 - Review of Educational Research Spring 2012-Present
 - Child Development Spring 2011-Present
 - Psychology Press/Taylor & Francis Fall 2010-Present
 - Journal of Research on Adolescence Summer 2010-Present
 - Journal of Black Psychology Fall 2009-11

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- GSC Standing Committee-Prospectus and Evaluation Spring 2010-Present
- Academic Educational Psychology Masters Admissions Committee Spring 2012-Present
- McNair Scholars Advisory Board Spring 2012-Present
- African & African Diaspora Dept. Doctoral Student Orientation: Self-Care Workshops 2012 & 2013
- School of Undergraduate Studies, Reading Round-Up 2013
- McNair Scholars Research Advisor Spring 2012-Spring 2013
- Longhorn Center for Academic Excellence: ACE Workshop

UNIVERSITY SERVICE TO STUDENTS

- UMOJA Black Women's Organization, UT Campus
 - Keynote Speaker, UMOJA Annual Conference Spring 2013
 - Keynote Speaker, UMOJA Annual Conference Spring 2011
- TRIO Programs, UT Campus
 - Faculty Mentor, Dine & Learn Luncheon Spring 2013
- The Orange Jackets, UT Campus
 - Panelist, Feminism Happy Hour Spring 2012
- Alpha Kappa Alpha, Inc., UT Campus
 - Keynote Speaker, Knowing Your Worth, Fall 2011
- Texas Gospel Fellowship, UT Campus
 - Panelist, We are not our fathers Spring 2011
- Afrikan American Student Affairs, Black Student Leadership Conference, UT Campus
 - Workshop; You are so articulate & other compliments: working through Black student experiences
Spring 2011
- The Association of Black Psychologist-Student Circle, UT Campus
 - Speaker, Gender Identity Session, Annual Conference Spring 2012
 - Faculty Panelist, Mock Graduate School Interviews Spring 2010
 - Panelist, 2nd Annual Conference Rhymes & Reflections Spring 2010

HONORS & AWARDS

University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX 2011 - Present
Member, Society for Teaching Excellence

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA 2006-2008
Marcus Foster Fellowship

Society for Multivariate Experimental Psychology, APA Div. 5, Baton Rouge, LA 2006
Travel Award & Advanced Statistics Training

University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Education Philadelphia 2005-2006
Dean's Fellowship

University of La Verne, La Verne, CA 2005
Harvel J. Lewis Service Award

University of La Verne, La Verne, CA 2002-2003
Effective Leadership Development Award

University of La Verne, La Verne, CA 2001-2002
Advisor of the Year

Howard University Board of Trustees, Washington, DC 1994 & 1996
Scholar

Howard University School of Arts & Sciences, Washington, DC 1993 -1997
Dean's List

VOLUNTEER & COMMUNITY SERVICE

Preservation Link, Inc., Dallas, TX Summer 2010-Present
Board Member

Joseph Leidy Elementary School, Philadelphia, PA 2008
Invited Guest/Speaker, Career Exploration Day

University of Pennsylvania Upward Bound, Philadelphia, PA 2007
Panelist, HBCU/Ivy League College Information

Bartram Middle School, Philadelphia, PA 2007
Invited Guest/Speaker, Career Exploration Day

United Way, Philadelphia, PA 2005
Volunteer Tutor and Career Aide for Relocated Hurricane Katrina Victims

The Women At Work-Young African American Women Conference, Pasadena, CA 2001
Speaker/Panelist

Los Angeles County Office of Education, Advancement Via Individual Determination, La Verne, CA
Presenter & Organizer Student Leadership Conference November 2001, 2002 & 2003

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS & AFFILIATIONS

- *American Educational Research Association*
- *Association of Black Psychologists*
- *National Black Child Development Institute*
- *Society for Research in Adolescence*
- *Society for Research in Child Development*