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EDUCATION

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The University of Texas at Austin	· G ·) M 2015
Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Psychology (Human Development, Culture, and Lear	
Master of Education in Educational Psychology (Counselor Education)	May 2015
University of South Carolina Upstate, Spartanburg, SC	
Bachelor of Science in Secondary Education Mathematics	May 2005
EMPLOYMENT	
The University of Texas at Austin	
Lecturer, College of Natural Sciences, Statistics and Data Sciences Department	August 2016 – Present
Lecturer, College of Natural Sciences, TIP Scholars	August 2015 – Present
Lecturer, School of Undergraduate Studies, Texas Success Initiative	August 2015 – Present
Lecturer, College of Education, Department of Educational Psychology	June 2016 – July 2016
Researcher and Program Evaluator, School of Social Work	January 2016 – June 2016
Southside High School, Greenville, SC	
Mathematics Teacher	August 2006 – May 2010
Boiling Spring High School, Boiling Springs, SC	
Mathematics Teacher	August 2005 – May 2006
RELEVANT EXPERIENCE	
Center for Sports Leadership and Innovation, Austin, TX	
Program Evaluator & Consultant	May 2015 – Present
The University of Texas at Austin	
Teaching Assistant, SDS 332: Statistical Models for the Health and Behavioral Sciences	January 2015 – May 2016
Charles A. Dana Center, Austin, TX	
Graduate Research Assistant	January 2011 – August 2013

PUBLICATIONS

- Suizzo, M.-A., Rackley, K., **Robbins, P. A.**, Jackson, K., & Rarick, J. (Submitted for Publication). The Effects of Fathers' Warmth and Support on Low-Income Adolescents' Positive Attitudes and Academic Engagement.
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L., & **Robbins, P. A.** (2014). What Black Parents Need to Know About School Readiness Contradictions. *Psych Discourse*, 48(2).
- Robbins, P. A., Bentley-Edwards, K. L., & Harrison, L. (In Preparation). Athlete or Academic: The Relationship Between Athletic Identity and Academic Self-Concept.

SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

- Bentley-Edwards, K. L., **Robbins, P. A.**, & Adams-Bass, V. N. (2014). *The School Engagement & Cohesion of Black Students Exposed to Violence*. Paper presented at the Association of Black Psychologists Annual Convention, Indianapolis, IN.
- Robbins, P. A., Harrison, L., & Bentley-Edwards, K. L. (2014). *Game Changers: Differences in the Academic Self-Concepts of Middle and High School Athletes*. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Adolescence, Austin, TX.
- Bentley-Edwards, K. L., **Robbins, P. A.**, Reinhart, A. L., & Flannigan, A. (2014). *The Power of Perceptions:*Examining how Race, Gender, and Athletic Identities Influence Self-Concepts, Efficacy and Stereotype Threat.

 Symposium presented at the American Education Research Association, Philadelphia, PA.