

# James "Tres" Stefurak, Ph.D.

## Curriculum Vitae

Associate Professor & Chair  
Department of Counseling & Instructional Sciences  
College of Education & Professional Studies  
University of South Alabama

### Credentials

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#### Licensure & Certification

- Licensed Psychologist in Alabama #1356 October, 2015 - present

#### Education

- Ph.D., Counseling Psychology, University of Georgia 2004
  - APA-Accredited Program
  - Dissertation: *Psychological Subtypes of Female Juvenile Offenders: A Cluster Analysis of the Millon Adolescent Clinical Inventory*
  - Chair: Georgia Calhoun Ph.D.
- M.Ed., Community Counseling, University of Georgia 2000
  - CACREP-Accredited Program
- B.A., Psychology, University of Georgia 1996

### Academic Appointments

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#### Associate Dean for Faculty Development, Research, External Relations & Graduate Studies 2020

- College of Education & Professional Studies, University of South Alabama
  - Director of the Office of Contracts & Grants
  - Director of Graduate Studies
  - Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Coordinator

#### Department Chair 2014 – 2020

- Department of Counseling & Instructional Sciences, College of Education & Professional Studies, University of South Alabama
  - Responsible for a department of 12 faculty and 1 staff who administer housing 5 masters programs in: Library Media, Educational Technology, Instructional Design, School Counseling, and Clinical Mental Health Counseling, and 2 doctoral programs in Instructional Design and Clinical & Counseling Psychology, totaling 130-150 students enrolled.
  - Key initiatives
    - New master's program in Educational Technology in 2014

- Initial CACREP accreditation approval in 2014 for counseling programs – awarded 8 years
- Initial APA accreditation approval in 2014 for the Clinical & Counseling Psychology Ph.D. program – awarded 8 years
- 35% rise in enrollment in Counselor Education programs from 2014-2018.
- Initiated departmental colloquium series to promote dissemination of faculty research, grantsmanship, mentorship and collaboration across faculty
- Restructured annual faculty evaluation to increase the use of objective performance benchmarks in teaching, research and service
- Restructuring of Instructional Design Ph.D. program to institute a mentorship model for students, increased departmental assistantship funding of highly qualified research-oriented doctoral students
- Departmental strategic planning to align with college and university strategic plans
- Increase in number of extramural funding submissions and increase in number of faculty serving a PI or Co-PI on extramural funding from an average of 2 faculty per year to an average of 6 faculty per year.

#### **Associate Professor**

**August, 2011 - present**

- Department of Counseling & Instructional Sciences, College of Education & Professional Studies, University of South Alabama
  - Granted Tenure & Promoted to Associate Professor on 8/15/11
  - Academic Program Assignments:
    - Affiliate Faculty Member - Clinical Mental Health Counseling M.S. Program, School Counseling M.Ed. Program
    - Core Faculty Member - Combined-Integrated Clinical & Counseling Psychology Ph.D. Program
  - Administrative Assignments
    - Director of Clinical Training – Combined-Integrated Clinical & Counseling Psychology Ph.D. Program (2013-2014)
    - Associate Director of Clinical Training – Combined-Integrated Clinical & Counseling Psychology Ph.D. Program (2009-2013)

#### **Adjunct Assistant Professor**

**2009 - present**

- Department of Psychiatry, College of Medicine, University of South Alabama:
  - Date of Appointment: 9/1/08
  - Supervise 2<sup>nd</sup> year residents in Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy, Supportive Therapy and Brief Therapy modalities (2010-2011)
  - Teach Psychotherapy Seminar to 1<sup>st</sup> year residents (2008-2010)

#### **Assistant Professor**

**2007 - 2011**

- Department of Professional Studies, College of Education, University of South Alabama
  - Date of Appointment: 8/15/07
  - Administrative Assignments:
    - Counselor Education Graduate Programs Coordinator (2011-2012)
    - Practicum & Internship Coordinator – Clinical Mental Health Counseling M.S. (2007-2012)

**Assistant Professor of Psychology****2004 - 2007**

- Department of Psychology, School of Sciences, Auburn University Montgomery
  - Date of Appointment: 8/15/04
  - Administrative Assignments:
    - Director of Clinical Training – Applied Psychology M.S. (2004-2007)

**Clinical Experiences**

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**Psychologist in Private Practice****2007 - present**

University of South Alabama Psychological Clinic, Mobile, AL

- Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Clinic – provide TF-CBT to adolescents, particularly those referred by juvenile court and child welfare systems.
- Evaluation of children, adolescents and adults for behavioral, emotional and learning/cognitive disorders
- Forensic assessment work including competency evaluations, juvenile court evaluations, child custody evaluations, psychological evaluations requested by District Attorney, and circuit court judges
- Counseling and psychotherapy from social-cognitive, interpersonal and evidenced-based approaches with an emphasis on serving adolescents and their families
- 2-3 client-contact hours per week
- Clinic Director: Elise Labbe, Ph.D., Kim Zlomke, Ph.D.

**Psychologist in Private Practice****2006 - 2007**

Associated Psychologists, Montgomery, AL

- Evaluation of children, adolescents and adults
- Psychological testing for behavioral, emotional and learning/cognitive disorders
- Counseling and psychotherapy with an emphasis on adolescents and their families
- 5-7 client-contact hours per week
- Practice Owners: Daniel Clark, Ph.D., Marnie Dillon, Psy.D.

**Group Psychotherapist****2006**

Innerfit Physical Therapy, Montgomery, AL

- Provide psychoeducation and group counseling for pain management, stress management and interpersonal communication problems at an outpatient physical therapy clinic.

**Pre-Doctoral Psychology Internship****2003 - 2004**

Counseling and Psychological Services Center, Elson Student Health Center, University of Virginia

- APA-accredited internship.
- Individual and group psychotherapy, crisis intervention, case consultation, psychoeducation.
- Advanced training in cognitive-behavioral, psychodynamic and interpersonal psychotherapy.
- ADHD/LD testing & neuropsychological screening at UVA's Learning Needs & Evaluation Center.
- 1500 total hours
- Supervisors: William Anderson, Ph.D., Lic. Psychologist; Rafael Triana, Ph.D., LCSW; Emily Lape, LCSW; Lenny Carter, LPC

## **Doctoral Psychology Practicum II**

**2002 - 2003**

Juvenile Counseling and Assessment Program & G.I.R.L.S. Program, University of Georgia

- Court-ordered psychological assessment/testing of juvenile offenders.
- Consultation to juvenile court judges, probation officers and social workers.
- Individual & group clinical supervision of graduate student therapists
- 500 total hours
- Supervisors: Brian Glaser, Ph.D., Lic. Psychologist, Georgia Calhoun, Ph.D.

## **Doctoral Psychology Practicum I**

**2001 - 2002**

Center for Counseling and Personal Evaluation, University of Georgia

- Individual and group counseling/therapy within a community-based counseling and psychology training clinic.
- Psychological testing: court-ordered, learning disabilities, ADHD, career assessment, general diagnostic.
- 1500 total hours
- Supervisors: Linda Campbell, Ph.D., Lic. Psychologist; Gayle Spears, Ph.D., Lic. Psychologist

## **Master's Counseling Practicum/Internship**

**1999 - 2000**

Juvenile Counseling and Assessment Program (JCAP), University of Georgia

- Individual, family and group counseling/psychotherapy with male and female juvenile offenders in both secure-detention settings and in community-based settings.
- 700 total hours
- Supervisor: Tara Kadish, M.Ed.

## **Professional Employment History**

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### **Graduate Assistant**

**2000 - 2003**

University of Georgia

- CACREP Reaccreditation
  - Compiled narrative and supporting evidence for the Community Counseling portion of the department's CACREP reaccreditation self-study
  - Supervisor: Georgia B. Calhoun, Ph.D.
- The G.I.R.L.S. Project
  - Managed research activities for a federally funded (OJJDP) evaluation of a group counseling program for female juvenile offenders. Responsible for working with juvenile justice officials to gather data from girls and their families before and after the intervention. Maintained and managed a large SPSS database, and coordinated work of Master's students working with the project. Compiled accreditation packet for CACREP applications for School and Community Counseling Master's programs.
  - Supervisor: Georgia Calhoun, Ph.D., Brian Glaser, Ph.D.

**Emergency Services Mental Health Clinician****2000 - 2003**

Emergency and Offender Services Division, Advantage Behavioral Health Systems, Athens, GA

- Provided on-call psychiatric assessment in hospital emergency rooms and prisons; 378 patient contacts over three years.
- Supervisor: James Jenkins, M.Ed., CRC, LPC

**Special Education Teacher****1996 - 1998**

Rutland Psychoeducational Center - Coile Middle School Transitional Classroom, Athens, GA

- Georgia certified special education teacher; lead teacher for self-contained classroom for severely behaviorally and emotionally disturbed (SEBD) middle schoolers.
- Head Wrestling Coach - Clarke Central High School
- Assistant Football Coach - Clarke Middle School
- Supervisor: Diane Brannon, Ed.S.

**Research Assistant****1995 - 1996**

Institute for Behavioral Research, University of Georgia, Athens, GA: 1/95 - 6/96

- Responsible for data entry and database management for CDC-funded research investigating effect of maternal chronic illness (HIV) on children.
- Supervisors: Rex Forehand, Ph.D., & Lisa Armistead, Ph.D.

**Expert Witness Testimony**

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**Juvenile Court Cases**

- Court & Judge: 13<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Court for the State of Alabama, Hon. Edmond G. Naman  
Topics: risk and recidivism prediction, recommendation of intervention and rehabilitation strategies, intellectual disability  
Topics: mental health diagnosis and referral to mental health diversion programs, intellectual disability and treatment recommendations, risk for violence and recidivism.

**Criminal Cases**

- Attorney: Tandice Hogan, Assistant District Attorney, Mobile County District Attorney's Office  
Court & Judge: 13<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Court for the State of Alabama, Hon. Michael A. Youngpeter  
Topics: capacity to consent for sexual intercourse

**Professional Consulting**

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**Veterans Recovery Resources****2019 - present**

- Conducted organizational cultural evaluation of this non-profit agency providing holistic health services to veterans to identify dominant cultural values at present and prospectively. Conducted SWOT analysis and made recommendations for future staffing decisions, cultural values shifts, and strategic direction.
- Conducted an analysis of job performance expectations for clinical staff, general staff and organization leadership using interviews, surveys and focus groups. Created a staff evaluation procedural map and a leadership evaluation procedural map.

**Community Foundation of South Alabama:** 2018 – 2020

- Provide consultation to the CFSA on conducting a needs assessment of its currently funded organizations as to their capacity to engage in high quality program evaluation practices. I also delivered consultative trainings to the grantees in evaluation paradigms and skills. Doctoral students in psychology also assisted in these activities and gained experience in organizational consulting.

**Mobile County Juvenile Court** 2008 – present

- Mobile, Alabama Local Disproportionate Minority Contact Committee of the Alabama Department of Economic and Community Development: 2018 - present
  - Committee to assist in evaluating and recommending strategies for the region on reducing the involvement and secure detainment of racial minorities in the Alabama juvenile justice system.
- **N.E.S.T. of Mobile** 2016 – present
  - Assisting non-profit organization providing guidance and support to at-risk families with setting up and implementing a comprehensive activities documentation system and outcome evaluation system
- **Mental Health Screening Team** 2016 - present
  - Serve on a multidisciplinary team that meets ad hoc to advise judges on appropriate dispositions for complex, high needs juvenile cases characterized by co-morbid mental health problems.
- **Truancy Program Design** 2013
  - Partnered with juvenile court, MCPSS truancy services and school counseling services to create an evidence-based program to screen, identify and refer truant youth who exhibit risk factors for worsening delinquency and drop-out to a school counselor-lead multidisciplinary team that coordinates intervention. Anticipating piloting this program in spring of 2015.
- **Juvenile Mental Health Court Pilot Study** 2008 - 2015
  - Collaborating with USA Psychiatric Residency Coordinator, AltaPointe Health Systems and the Mile Juvenile Court to design and implement a juvenile mental health court that would screen and assess youth involved in the court and make recommendations to judges regarding diversionary referral to psychiatric treatment options. A proposal was finalized, but the initiative eventually transformed into building a more broadly focused MJCC Assessment Project within the court (see below).
  - This project was resurrected at the request of court officials in 2014. I and my students facilitated a year-long series of development meetings culminating in a pilot of the JMHC starting in May of 2015. At present the pilot target of 8 youth have been screened in and are being monitored by a treatment team consisting of multiple stakeholders including child welfare, mental health, juvenile court and university team members.

- **Review & Form of Psychological Assessment Practices** 2012 - 2013

  - An outgrowth of early efforts to initiate a juvenile mental health court. This project involved working with the court to procure specific evidence-based assessment instruments designed specifically to assess psychological and social risks/strengths of youth with externalizing problems. These measures were then used to engage in comprehensive screening of youth detained at the court
  
- **Retrospective File Review Needs Assessment** 2009 - 2011

  - At the judge's request working with colleagues in psychology to conduct a retrospective analysis of risk factors and the effects of court-ordered interventions with serious and violent youth offenders from 2000-2008 in Mobile County. This data will also be used for other research purposes and is funded by an OJJDP grant. We produced a report for the court, which outlined how child abuse and school problems lead to an earlier age of first offense, which emerged as strongest predictor of violent and felony offending.
  - This led to development of enhanced truancy court programs targeting youth entering court system in middle school.
  
- **Program Evaluation of the Transition Diversion Program** 2012 - 2013

  - Conducted as part of a contract a comprehensive evaluation of the processes and procedures of a major treatment program arm of the juvenile court. The evaluation included a mixed-methods research approach including focus groups, individual interviews, objective psychometric survey administration. Results presented to the court administration in February 2013.
  
- **Program Evaluation of the Juvenile Probation Department** 2012 - 2013

  - Conducted as part of a contract a comprehensive evaluation of the processes and procedures of the probation department of the largest juvenile court in Alabama. The evaluation consisted of a mixed-methods approach including focus groups, individual interviews, behavioral coding of participant behaviors in multidisciplinary decision teams and and administration and analysis of objective psychometric surveys that examined predictors of cynicism and burnout among probation staff. Results presented to the juvenile court staff in August of 2013.
  
- **Strickland Youth Center Detention Unit** 2008 - present

  - In 2008 set up an in-house counseling clinic for detention residents
  - In 2009 set up comprehensive mental health screening procedures for all detention residents and initiated structured/manualized group counseling services for detention residents
  - From 2008 and ongoing have provided in-service training for detention staff on identification of mental health issues, crisis-management, trauma-informed care and burnout prevention issues.

**Dauphin Island Elementary School** **2008**

- Served as a mental health professional consultant to Dr. Jean Clark of the Dept. of Professional Studies at USA and Katherine Gallop, Principal of Dauphin Island Elementary, as these professionals worked with elementary school students to help these children grieve in a healthy manner after 4 children in their community were murdered.

**St. Mary's Home** **2014 - 2020**

- Trauma-informed care implementation evaluation work
- Psychological assessment of youth upon request
- Trauma-informed supervision consultation groups with agency supervisors

**The Bridge Inc.** **2017 - present**

- Trauma-Informed Care implementation: Currently working with this agency to conduct a needs assessment for trauma-informed care.

**Continuous Learning Center** **2008 - 2009**

- Assisted the CLC, a special education school, in exploring improving mental health services for students.
- Obtained agreement from the CLC and MCPSS to formally include the CLC as a rotation for interns in the MJCC program. Interns will provide mental health counseling services to youth who are on juvenile probation and attending the CLC.
- Included as a partner with the CLC and MCPSS in their successful submission for a large federal grant to improve their delivery of special education and mental health services to youth.

**Montgomery County Pre-Trial Diversion Program** **2007 - 2008**

- Compiled yearly statistical reports regarding therapy compliance, and statistics related to mental health assessments and outcome assessments.
- Provide on-going feedback regarding program evaluation and clinical supervision.



# RESEARCH

## Publications and Manuscripts Accepted for Publication

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### Edited Books:

1. Surry, D., Stefurak, T., & Gray, R. Eds. (2010). *Technology in Higher Education: Social and Organizational Aspects*. Harrisburg, PA: IGI Global.

### Refereed Book Chapters:

2. Johnson, R.B., Onweugbuzie, A.J., de Waal, C., Stefurak, T., & Hildebrand, D. (2016). Unpacking pragmatism for mixed methods research. In D. Wyse, N. Selwyn, E. Smith, & L.E. Suter (Eds). *BERA/SAGE Handbook of Educational Research*. London: SAGE Publications Inc.
3. Stefurak, T., Johnson, R. B., & Shatto, E. (2015). Mixed methods Dialectical Pluralism applied to an evaluation of a community-based intervention program for juvenile offenders. In L. Jason & D. Glenwick (Eds). *Handbook of Methodological Approaches to Community-Based Research: Qualitative, Quantitative, and Mixed Methods*. New York: Oxford University Press.
4. Stefurak, T. (2011). Legal and Ethical Issues in Counseling Supervision. In Ervin L. Wood & Charles L. Guest (Eds.). *Legal and Ethical Issues for Counselors in Alabama*. Birmingham, AL: Alabama Counseling Association.
5. Surry, D. W., Stefurak, T., & Kowch, E. G. (2010). Technology in Higher Education: Asking the Right Questions. In Daniel Surry, Tres Stefurak & Robert Gray (Eds.) *Technology in Higher Education: Social and Organizational Aspects*: Harrisburg, PA: IGI Global.
6. Stefurak, T., Hayes, R. L., & Surry, D. (2010). Technology in the Clinical Training of Mental Health Professionals: Ethical, Interpersonal and Epistemological Implications. In Daniel Surry, Tres Stefurak & Robert Gray (Eds.) *Technology in Higher Education: Social and Organizational Aspects*. Harrisburg, PA: IGI Global.
7. Hayes, R. L., & Stefurak, T. (2010). Supervision of Group Work. In: L. J. Bradley, and N. Ladany. *Counselor Supervision: Principles, Process, and Practice – 4<sup>th</sup> Ed.* New York: Brunner-Routledge.
8. Calhoun, G.B., Stefurak, T., & Deluca-Johnson, C. (2005). The Effectiveness of Substance Abuse Counseling for the Adolescent Female. In B. Sims, (Ed.) *Substance Abuse Treatment and the Correctional Client: Practical Implications for the Institution and Community Setting*. Binghamton, NY: Haworth Press.

### Refereed Conference Proceedings:

9. Surry, D. W., Stefurak, T., Ouimette, J., & Grubb, A. (2010). Defining an Innovation-Focused Research Agenda for E-Learning. In Gary Marks (Ed.). Conference Proceedings of the E-Learn 2010 -World Conference on E-Learning in Corporate, Government, Healthcare, and Higher Education. Chesapeake, VA: Association for the Advancement of Computing in Education.

### Refereed Commentaries:

10. Johnson, B., & Stefurak, T. (2012). Integrating Practice-to-Theory and Theory-to-Practice. A Commentary on Ziegler & Phillipson. [Peer Commentary on "Towards a Systemic Theory of Gifted Education" by B. Johnson & T. Stefurak]. *High Ability Studies*, 23(1), 77-79.

### Refereed Journal Articles:

11. Lathan, E., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Stefurak, T., & Duncan, J. (in press). Using collaborative, mixed-methods research to determine professional self-care's relation to burnout among police officers at a Sexual Assault Kit Initiative site. *Journal of Police & Criminal Psychology*.
12. Currier, J. M., McDermott, R. C., Steven, L. T., Davis, E. B., Hollingsworth, W. G. L., Archer, G. D. & Stefurak, T. (in press). A practice-based evidence investigation of God representation in spiritually integrated psychotherapies. *Journal of Clinical Psychology*.
13. Stefurak, T., Morgan, R. & Johnon, B. (in press). Public Service Motivation as a predictor of job satisfaction and self-reported job performance among EMT and Paramedic first responders. *Public Personnel Management*.
14. Wolford-Clevenger, C. Kuhlman, S., Morgan, R., Stefurak, T., & Smith, P. N. (2019) Suicidal Behavior Exposure Scale: A study of the factor structure in first responders. *Crisis: The Journal of Crisis Intervention and Suicide Prevention*.
15. Lathan, E., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Duncan, J., & Stefurak, T. (2019). The Promise Initiative: Promoting a Trauma-Informed Police Response to Sexual Assault in a Mid-Size Southern Community. *Journal of Community Psychology*, 47(7), 1733-1749.
16. Stefurak, T., Johnson, R.B., Shatto, E. & Jones, K. (2018). Developing and evaluating programs for youth placed at-risk with the Dialectical Pluralism Metaparadigm. *International Journal of Multiple Research Approaches*, 10(1), 235-250.
17. Johnson, R.B., deWaal, C., Stefurak, T., & Hildebrand, D. (2017). Understanding the philosophical positions of classical and neopragmatists for mixed methods research. *Kölner Zeitschrift für Soziologie und Sozialpsychologie (Cologne Journal of Sociology & Social Psychology)*, 69(20), 345-354.

18. Currier, J., Stefurak, T., Shatto, E., & Carrol, T. (2017). Applying trauma-informed care to community-based mental health services for military veterans. *Best Practices in Mental Health, 13*(1), 47-65.
19. Johnson, B., & Stefurak, T. (2014). Dialectical Pluralism: A Process Philosophy for Understanding, Valuing, and "Dynamically Combining" Our Differences. *Qualitative Methods in Psychology Section Bulletin, 17*, 63-69.
20. Johnson, B., & Stefurak, T. (2013). Considering the Evidence-Based Debate in Evaluation through the Lens of Dialectical Pluralism. *New Directions for Evaluation, 138*, 37-48.
21. Andrews, S., Stefurak, T., & Mehta, S. (2011) Between a Rock and a Hard Place? The Relationship of Locus of Control and Religious Problem Solving with Attitudes towards Psychological Help-Seeking. *Mental Health, Religion & Culture, 14*(9), 855-876.
22. Stefurak, T., Taylor, C., & Mehta, S. (2010). Gender Specific Models of Homosexual Prejudice: Religiosity, Authoritarianism and Gender Roles. *Psychology of Religion & Spirituality, 2*(4), 247-261.
23. Stefurak, T., Elias, S. M., & Lobello, S. G. (2008). Adult Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder: Overview and Implications for the Workplace. *Southern Business and Economic Journal 30*(3&4), 103-110.
24. Smith, B., Ray, G. E., Stefurak, T., & Zachar, P. A. (2007) College Student Evaluations of Parent-Child Disciplinary Situations. *Journal of Family Violence, 22*(8), 757-767.
25. Stefurak, T., Calhoun, Georgia, B. (2007). Subtypes of Female Juvenile Offenders: A Cluster Analysis of the Millon Adolescent Clinical Inventory. *International Journal of Psychiatry and Law, 30*(2), 95-111.
26. Stefurak, T., Calhoun, G. B., & Glaser, B. A. (2004). Personality Typologies of Male Juvenile Offenders Using a Cluster Analysis of the Millon Adolescent Clinical Inventory. *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology, 48* (1), 96-110.
27. Scarborough, Z., Glaser, B., Calhoun, G. B., & Stefurak, T. (2004). Cluster-Derived Groupings of the Behavior Assessment System for Children among Male Juvenile Offenders. *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation, 39* (1), 19-35.
28. Calhoun, G. B., Glaser, B. A., Stefurak, T., & Bradshaw, K. (1999). Preliminary Validation of the Narcissistic Personality Inventory – Juvenile Offender. *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology, 44*(5), 564-580.

#### **Encyclopedia Entries & Dictionary/Glossary Entries:**

29. Stefurak, T. (2009). 22 entries in the Sage Glossary of the Social and Behavioral Sciences. Larry E. Sullivan, R. Burke Johnson, Cynthia C. Mercado, & Karen J. Terry (Eds.) Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

30. Zachar, P., & Stefurak, T. (2008). Phenomenological Personality Theories. In F. T. Leong (Ed.) *Encyclopedia of Counseling – Volume Two*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

#### **Manuscripts in Submission:**

- Shatto, E., Stefurak, T., Jenkins, M. (submitted). *Evaluation as intervention: Organizational assessment for a phased implementation of Trauma Informed Care in a residential treatment facility for child welfare youth*. Manuscript submitted for publication.
- McGill, K., & Stefurak, T. (submitted). *Man Up!: Sex-differentiated pathways of juvenile delinquency through trauma, borderline traits & offense patterns*. Manuscript submitted for publication.

#### **Current Research Activities:**

- Duncan, J., Stefurak, T. "Attitudes towards Criminal Sentencing: Exploring the impact of knowledge of mass incarceration's consequences, demography and personality traits."
- Stefurak, J. R., Jones, K. *A qualitative study of lay person problem solving teams in a juvenile court: A process evaluation of the N.E.S.T. project (On-Going)*  
This project involves collecting qualitative interview data from members of N.E.S.T. teams and the youth and parents of the youth they are serving. N.E.S.T. is a non-profit that pairs lay people interested in mentoring and supporting at-risk families. Volunteers are formed into teams and work with a single family. Research is examining the procedures, embedded values, and apparent impact of such a program, which is without significant precedent in the juvenile justice field.
- Stefurak, J. R., Fields, K., Hill, B. D. "*Intraindividual Variability and Juvenile Offending*"  
Currently writing up results of an analysis of IQ, personality scales and intraindividual variability in scores on both measures as predictors of juvenile offending
- Stefurak, J. R., Bryan, V. L., Jones, K., Kantra, L. "*Predictors of Serious and/or Violent Delinquency: The role of age at first offense.*" (Writing Results)  
Finishing writing manuscript examining predictors of offending, particular violent offending, among 300 juvenile offenders in Mobile County Alabama.
- Stefurak, J. R., Morgan, R., Smith, P. "*PTSD Mediates the Relationship of Occupational Burnout and Suicidal Behaviors in a Sample of First Responders*" (Writing Results)
- Stefurak, J. R., Davis, C. "*Religious Commitment, Depression and African American Female College Students*" (Writing Results)  
Study investigating role of religiosity, social support, and racial identity and depression among White and African American female college students. Currently conducting final manuscript editing and submission. Paper presentation accepted for 2012 Division 36 conference.
- Stefurak, J. R., Chavers, D., Inge, V., Duck, T., Browning, B. R. "*Religious Orientation & Personality*" (Writing Results)

Analysis and final manuscript writing for a data set examining the Big Five personality traits, adult attachment style and religious orientation (intrinsic, extrinsic and quest)

## **Grant and Contract Awards/Grant and Contract Submission**

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### **Grants/Contracts Awarded:**

- **Project Title: Religious Commitment and Orientation during the College Years**
  - Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: AUM New Faculty Grant-In-Aid
  - Award Amount - \$1440
  - Date Awarded: 8/05-8/06
  
- **Project Title: Predictors of Burnout in Human Service Professionals**
  - Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: AUM Faculty Grant-In-Aid
  - Award Amount - \$1770
  - Date Awarded: 8/06-8/07
  
- **Project Title: Preventing Domestic Violence in High Risk Youth**
  - Co-Principal Investigator
  - Granting Entity: Office of Juvenile Justice & Delinquency Prevention
  - Principal Investigator: Jennifer Langhinrichsen-Rohling, Ph.D.
  - Co-Principal Investigators: Lisa Turner, Ph.D., James Stefurak, Ph.D., and Nicole Carr, Ph.D.
  - Relevant Budget Items: Funding for 2 course releases in the summer and for one graduate assistant for the 2008-2009 academic year
  - Total Project Funding: \$329,000
  - Date Awarded: 9/1/08
  
- **Project Title: Mentoring Experiences and Domestic Violence Prevention in Adjudicated Youth**
  - Co-Principal Investigator
  - Granting Entity: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
  - Principal Investigator: Jennifer Langhinrichsen-Rohling, Ph.D.
  - Co-Principal Investigators: James Stefurak, Ph.D., and Valerie Bryan, MSW, Ph.D.
  - Relevant Budget Items: Funding for 3 course releases in the summer and for one graduate assistant for the 2009-2010 academic year
  - Total Project Funding: \$400,000 over one year
  - Date Awarded: 9/1/09
  
- **Project Title: Mobile Juvenile Court Collaborative Assessment Project**
  - Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Contracting Entity: Mobile County Commission/Mobile Juvenile Court
  - Relevant Budget Items: Approximately \$70,000 over 15 months to fund 2 doctoral psychology assistants who will perform court-ordered assessments under supervision, and to fund a 1 course buy out
  - Date Awarded: 5/25/10

- Project Title: Behavioral Assessment & Intervention in the Continuous Learning Center
  - Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Co-Principal Investigator: Kim Zlomke, Ph.D.
  - Contracting Entity: Mobile County Commission/Mobile County Public Schools
  - Relevant Budget Items: Approximately \$62,000 over 12 months to fund 1 doctoral psychology assistants who will perform behavioral and psychosocial assessments under supervision, 2 undergraduates trained in applied behavior analysis, and to fund a 1 course buy out for each PI/CO-PI.
  - Date Awarded: 5/25/11
  
- Project Title: Mobile Juvenile Court Collaborative Assessment Services
  - Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Contracting Entity: Mobile County Commission/Mobile Juvenile Court
  - Relevant Budget Items: Approximately \$62,000 over 12 months to fund 2 doctoral psychology assistants who will perform court-ordered assessments under supervision, and to fund a 1 course buy out
  - Date Awarded: 8/15/11
  
- Project Title: Mobile Juvenile Court Collaborative Program Evaluation Project
  - Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Co-Principal Investigator: Valerie Bryan, Ph.D.
  - Contracting Entity: Mobile County Commission/Mobile Juvenile Court
  - Relevant Budget Items: Approximately \$38,000 over 12 months to fund 1 doctoral psychology assistants and faculty time to perform a program evaluation of two youth services programs funded by the juvenile court.
  - Date Awarded: 8/15/12
  
- Project Title: The Gaining Insight into Relationships for Lifelong Success (G.I.R.L.S.) Group Treatment Program
  - Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Contracting Entity: Alabama Department of Youth Services
  - Relevant Budget Items: Approximately \$55,000 over 12 months to fund 1 doctoral student and 1 masters student and faculty time to deliver a series of 8-week group counseling intervention for female juvenile offenders.
  - Date Awarded: 8/15/12
  
- Project Title: Educational Needs Assessment & Consultation Team
  - Principal Investigators: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D., and Kim Zlomke, Ph.D.
  - Contracting Entity: Mobile County Public School System/Continuous Learning Center
  - Relevant Budget Items: Approximately \$80,000 over 12 months to fund 2 masters students and 1 doctoral student to deliver of functional behavior assessments and a female-specific group counseling program to youth attending a special education school.
  - Date Awarded: 8/15/12

- Project Title: Sexual Assault Kit Initiative FY 2015
  - Principal Investigator: Jennifer Lanhinrichsen-Rohling, Ph.D.
  - Key Personnel: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D. (consultant)
  - Sponsoring Organization: U.S. Department of Justice via Mobile County Police Department
  - Relevant Budget Items: Approximately \$200,000 total funding to serve as evaluators for this grant, the purpose of which is to identify, track and test untested sexual assault kits. Funding for me as consultant engaging in qualitative program evaluation tasks and buying out 8.3% of my annual time (\$8,762), and funding one graduate student at a cost of \$24,000.
  - Date Awarded: 9/1/16
  
- Project Title: Sexual Assault Kit Initiative FY 2017 - Creation of a SVU & Family Justice Center
  - Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Sponsoring Organization: Bureau of Justice Assistance, U.S. Department of Justice via Mobile Police Department
  - Relevant Budget Items: \$235,000 over three years to fund 11% of annual effort of PI and fund one doctoral graduate assistant.
  - Date Awarded: November, 2017
  
- Project Title: Attachment to God in spiritually integrated psychotherapies: A practice-based evidence investigation
  - Principal Investigator: Joe Currier, Ph.D.
  - Co-Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Sponsoring Organization: Templeton Foundation
  - Relevant Budget Items: \$87,129 total budget
  - Date Awarded: September, 2017
  
- Project Title: N.E.S.T. Integration with Parent-Management Training
  - Principal Investigator: N.E.S.T. of Mobile LLC Inc.
  - Key Personnel (Evaluator): Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Sponsoring Organization: Alabama Department of Economic and Consumer Affairs
  - Total Budget: \$47,000
  - Date Awarded: October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018
  
- Project Title: SAKI FY18 - Investigation and Prosecution
  - Principal Investigator: James "Tres" Stefurak, Ph.D..
  - Granting Entity: Bureau of Justice Assistance, Department of Justice via Mobile Police Department
  - Relevant Budget Items: Funding of 11.5% of my annual effort. Total grant budget = \$135,000 over 2 years.
  - Date Awarded: October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019

- Project Title: Mobile Justice and Mental Health Collaboration (MJMHC)
  - Principal Investigator: James “Tres” Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: Bureau of Justice Assistance, U.S. Department of Justice via subaward from Altapointe Health Systems
  - Relevant Budget Items: \$90,000 over three years to serve as external program evaluator
  - Date Awarded: March, 2021
  
- Project Title: Establishing multi-pronged, trauma-informed campus-based sane program at the university of south alabama
  - Principal Investigator: Candice Selwyn, Ph.D.
  - Key Personnel: James “Tres” Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: U.S. Department of Justice
  - Relevant Budget Items: 3% annual effort for 3 years.
  - Date awarded: October, 2020

### **Grants/Contracts Submitted but Not Funded**

- Project Title: A mixed-methods investigation of the impact of trauma-informed policies on sexual assault case processing outcomes and experiences
  - Principal Investigator: Sarah Koon-Magning, Ph.D.
  - Co-Principal Investigator: James “Tres” Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: National Institute of Justice, U.S. Department of Justice
  - Relevant Budget Items: 5% annual effort
  - Date submitted: 4/13/20
  
- Project Title: Crisis intervention team-network expanded training project
  - Principal Investigator: Richard Carter, Ph.D.
  - Key Personnel: James “Tres” Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: U.S. Department of Justice
  - Relevant Budget Items: 20% annual effort
  - Date submitted: 10/4/19
  
- Project Title: Evaluation of a Multisystemic Model to Prevent Youth Violence and Discrimination
  - Principal Investigator: Krista Mehari, Ph.D.
  - Co-Principal Investigator: James “Tres” Stefurak, Ph.D., Joel Billingsley, Ph.D., Benterah Morton, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: National Institutes of Health
  - Relevant Budget Items: Funding of 16.7% of my annual effort for 3 years. Total grant budget = \$3,410,620 over three years.
  - Date submitted: 5/25/18



- Project Title: Collective Healing Demonstration Site Initiative
  - Principal Investigator: Stefurak, T. (Principal),
  - Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J. (USA Gulf Coast Behavioral Health & Resiliency Center; USA Dept. of Psychology), Ding (USA Medical Center), L., Hailflich, A. (USA Medical Center)
  - Granting Entities: International Association of Chiefs of Police, NAACP, Office of Victims of Crime, & Yale Medicine Child Study Center
  - Relevant Budget Items: Funding of \$237,147, including buy out of 8.3% of my annual time and funding one doctoral graduate assistant.
  
- Project Title: Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation Program – Research Partner Subaward
  - Principal Investigator: James "Tres" Stefurak, Ph.D..
  - Consultant: Jennifer Langhinrichsen-Rohling, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: U.S. Department of Justice; Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance via Mobile Alabama Police Department
  - Relevant Budget Items: \$200,000 over three years to fund 11% of annual effort of PI and consultant, and fund one doctoral graduate assistant.
  - Date Submitted: February 2017
  
- Project Title: Minority Youth Violence Prevention II – Research Partner Subaward
  - Principal Investigator: James "Tres" Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Consultant: Jennifer Langhinrichsen-Rohling, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: Department of Health & Human Services via Mobile Alabama Police Department
  - Relevant Budget Items: \$365,000 over four years to fund 12.5% of annual effort of PI and 4.2% of annual effort of consultant
  - Date Submitted: April 2017
  
- Project Title: Empowered Communities for a Healthier Nation – Research Partner & External Evaluator Subaward
  - Principal Investigator: Kelly Warren, LGSW, MPH, Mobile County Health Department
  - Consultant: James Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: Office of Minority Health; U.S. Department of Health & Human Services
  - Relevant Budget Items: \$150,000 over three years to fund 8.3% of annual effort of consultant and one doctoral graduate assistant.
  - Date Submitted: August 1st, 2017
  
- Project Title: Culturally and Linguistically Relevant Teen Dating Violence Program
  - Principal Investigator: Jennifer Langhinrichsen-Rohling, Ph.D.
  - Co-Principal Investigators: James Stefurak, Ph.D., Jack Shelley-Tremblay, Ph.D. and Valerie Bryan, MSW, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: National Institutes of Health – Recovery Act Challenge Grant
  - Relevant Budget Items: Funding for 2 course buyouts in summer and one graduate assistant for the 2009-2010 academic year.
  - Requested Total Project Funding \$855,175 over 2 years
  - Date Submitted: 5/1/09

- Project Title: Developing a Collaborative, Evidence-Based and Multisystemic Prevention Program for High School Dropout
  - Principal Investigator: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Co-Principal Investigators: Richard, L. Hayes, Ed.D., H. George McMahon, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: Institute for Education Sciences: US Dept. of Education
  - Relevant Budget Items: 2 course buyout in summer for three years and funding of 4 graduate assistants for three years.
  - Requested Total Project Funding: \$1,500,000 over three years
  - Date Submitted: 10/1/09
  
- Project Title: Enhancements to Youth Mentoring Programs
  - Consultant/Subcontractor: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
  - Grant submitted by: Youth Advocates Program Inc.
  - Sub-contract to deliver and evaluate counseling services to YAP clients.
  - Total sub-contract budget: \$42,868 to fund 2 graduate assistantships, and purchase computers and assessment instrumentation.
  
- Project Title: Juvenile Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Planning Grant
  - Consultant/Subcontractor: Tres Stefurak, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
  - Submitted by: Altapointe Health Systems
  - Sub-contract to assist in facilitation and program evaluation of a series of community planning meeting to organize a Juvenile Mental Health Court.
  - Total sub-contract budget: \$21,094 to fund 1 graduate assistantship
  
- Project Title: Evaluation of Girls Delinquency Intervention Program
  - Principal Investigator: James "Tres" Stefurak, Ph.D..
  - Co-Principal Investigators: Valerie Bryan, MSW, Ph.D. (University of South Alabama), Georgia B. Calhoun Ph.D., Brian A. Glaser, Ph.D. (University of Georgia)
  - Granting Entity: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
  - Relevant Budget Items: Funding of 1 course buyout for in the summer for three years; funding of one doctoral graduate assistant for three years. Total grant budget = \$400,000 over three years.
  
- Project Title: Screening, Assessment, and Evidence-Based Treatment of Depression and Suicidality within Juvenile Justice
  - Principal Investigator: James "Tres" Stefurak, Ph.D..
  - Co-Principal Investigators: Valerie Bryan, MSW, Ph.D.; Jennifer Langhinrichsen-Rohling, Ph.D.; Kimberly Zlomke, Ph.D.
  - Granting Entity: National Institutes of Mental Health
  - Relevant Budget Items: Buyout of 2 courses and funding of 2 doctoral graduate assistants. Total requested funding over three years: \$517,866
  - Date Submitted: October, 2010
  
- Project Title: Evaluation of Girls Delinquency Intervention Program (resubmission)
  - Principal Investigator: James "Tres" Stefurak, Ph.D..

- Co-Principal Investigators: Valerie Bryan, MSW, Ph.D. (University of South Alabama), Georgia B. Calhoun Ph.D., Brian A. Glaser, Ph.D. (University of Georgia)
- Granting Entity: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
- Relevant Budget Items: Funding of 2 course buyout for in the spring and summer for three years; funding of one doctoral graduate assistant for three years. Total grant budget = \$400,000 over three years.
- Date Submitted: February, 2011

### Grants/Contracts Currently Submitted

## Papers, Posters, Symposia & Workshops at Professional Conferences:

### International

1. Fields, K.N., Stefurak, T., & Hill, B.D. (February, 2017). *Predicting juvenile recidivism with the Wechsler Index Scores and Personality Assessment Inventory Scores: The role of intraindividual variability*. Poster presentation at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society. New Orleans, LA.
2. Shatto, E.H., Wilson, K., Myers, J., & Stefurak, J. (2014, March). Evaluation of placement intervention decisions for minority and traumatized youth by an interdisciplinary team: A mixed methods approach. Poster, International Counseling Psychology Association in Atlanta, GA.
3. Var, M., Wilson, K., Stefurak, T. (March, 2014). Counseling Psychology Conference, "Combined-Integrated Training Programs: Panacea or Pandora's Box?," Society for Counseling Psychology, Atlanta, GA. (March 2014).
4. Calhoun, G., & Stefurak, T. (2008). Issues in Clinical Supervision of Work with Juvenile Offenders. Paper presentation at the annual conference of the American Counseling Association – European Branch, Wiesbaden-Niedernhausen, Germany.
5. Calhoun, G., Glaser, B., Stefurak, T., McDonald, J, & Shearer, R. (2005, July). Female Juvenile Offenders: A Unique Challenge for Law and Mental Health Collaboration. Symposium conducted at the 29th International Congress on Law and Mental Health, Sorbonne University, Paris, France.
6. Calhoun, G., & Stefurak, T. (2002, November). The nature of female juvenile offending and a relational approach to group intervention. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Counseling Association – European Branch, Augsburg, Germany.

### National

7. Stefurak, T. (2021). *Vicarious Trauma in Working with Rape and Sexual Assault Cases*. Sexual Assault Kit Initiative, Assembly of Cities.

8. Stefurak, J. R., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Lathan, E., Duncan, J., McGill, K. (2019). *Understanding rape myth acceptance among sworn officers: The roles of masculinity, depersonalization and moral injury*. Society for Police & Criminal Psychology Annual Conference. Scottsdale, AZ.
7. McGill, K., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Lathan, E., Duncan, J., Stefurak, T. (2019). *Diverse police forces: Female and male police officers differing attitudes about sexual assault*. Society for Police & Criminal Psychology Annual Conference. Scottsdale, AZ.
8. Kathryn, M., Stefurak, T., Rice, D. (2019). *Sex moderates the relationship between trauma and borderline symptoms and juvenile offending patterns*. American Psychological Association Annual Conference. Chicago, IL.
9. Duncan, J., Lathan, E., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Stefurak, J. R. (2018). "Suspicious or a crime? Examining the classification of unsubmitted sexual assault kits in Mobile, Alabama. Post Presented at the American Society of Criminology Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
10. Stefurak, J., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Duncan, J., Lathan, E. (2018). *Mission Impossible: Determining the Prevalence of Rape Crimes in Mobile, Alabama*. Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
11. Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Stefurak, J. R., Duncan, J., & Lathan, E. (2018). *Unsubmitted Sexual Assault Kits: Secondary Trauma from Secondary Data*. Paper presented at the American Society of Criminology Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
12. Duncan, J., Stefurak, T., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., & Lathan, E. (2018). *Examining Police Officer's View of Sexual Assault Victim Credibility in Assaults Labeled "Suspicious"*. Poster presented at the Society of Police & Criminal Psychology Annual Conference, Sarasota, FL.
13. Stefurak, T., Duncan, J., Lathan, E., & Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J. (2018). *Resolving the Dilemma of Untested Sexual Assault Kits: A Qualitative Study of Multiple Stakeholders' Experiences in a SAKI Site*. Paper presented at the Society of Police & Criminal Psychology Annual Conference, Sarasota, FL.
14. Stefurak, T., Morgan, R., & Smith, P. (2018). *Suicidal Behaviors among First Responders: The Role of Burnout and PTSD Symptoms and Possible Moderators*. Poster presented at the Society of Police & Criminal Psychology Annual Conference, Sarasota, FL.
15. Lathan, E., Duncan, J., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., & Stefurak, T. (2018). *Victim Cooperation: An Important and Delicate Component of Moving Sexual Assault Cases through Prosecution*. Poster presented at the Society of Police & Criminal Psychology Annual Conference, Sarasota, FL.
16. Duncan, J., Mitchell, A., & Stefurak, T. (2017). *Dark Triad traits and racial identity as predictors of criminal sentencing decisions*. Paper presentation at the Diversity Challenge Conference, sponsored by the Institute for the Study and Promotion of Race and Culture, Boston College.

17. Lathan, E., Duncan, J., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Stefurak, T. (2017). *Mobile AL police department's implementation of trauma-informed victim notification polices regarding sexual assault cases*. Society for Police & Criminal Psychology Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.
18. Duncan, J., Lathan, E., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Stefurak, T. (2017). *Working untested sexual assault kits: Preliminary findings of the Mobile, Alabama Promise Initiative*. Society for Police & Criminal Psychology Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.
19. Fields, K., Stefurak, T., & Hill, B.D. (2017). *Wechsler and PAI-A Scales and Intraindividual Variability as Predictors of Juvenile Offending*. Paper presentation at the 125<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington D.C.
20. Bryan, V., & Stefurak, T., (2016). *A Comparative Analysis of Violent and Serious Versus Chronic Youthful Offenders*. Paper presentation at the Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
21. Stefurak, T. (2016). *Designing and evaluating the implementation and outcomes of a juvenile mental health court*. In B. Johnson (Chair), *Dialectical Pluralism: Mixed Methods Evaluation in the Juvenile Justice System*. Symposium conducted at Evaluation 2016: American Evaluation Association Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
22. Jones, K., & Stefurak, T. (2016). *Laying the groundwork for gender-specific programming in the juvenile court: needs assessment and implementation and outcome evaluation of a pilot positive masculinity group*. In B. Johnson (Chair), *Dialectical Pluralism: Mixed Methods Evaluation in the Juvenile Justice System*. Symposium conducted at Evaluation 2016: American Evaluation Association Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
23. Wright, C, Kantra, L., Davis, R., & Stefurak, T. (2016). *A Qualitative Evaluation of Success-Promoting Factors of a Juvenile Mental Health Court Case*. Poster presentation at the American Psychological Association Convention, Denver, CO.
24. Jones, K., & Stefurak, T. (2016). *Development of a prosocial masculinity group intervention based upon male role norms outlined in the Male Role Norms Inventory – Short Form*. Poster presentation at the American Psychological Association Convention, Denver, CO.
25. Stefurak, T., Bryan, V. L., Kantra, L., & Jones, K. (2016). *Predicting serious and violent juvenile crime and overall juvenile crime: A retrospective file review*. Poster presentation at the American Psychological Association Convention, Denver, CO.
26. Kantra, L., Wright, C., & Stefurak, T. (2016). *Trauma-informed supervision*. Paper presentation at the National Organization of Forensic Social Work, New Orleans, LA.
27. Stefurak, T., Kantra, L., & Wright, C. (2015). *Trauma Informed Care & Trauma Informed Supervision*. Workshop at the Foster Family Treatment Association: Alabama Chapter 7th Annual Fall Conference. Orange Beach, AL.

28. Shatto, E.H., Selwyn, C., Wright, C., & Stefurak, T. (2015). Mismatched treatments for delinquent girls: How patriarchy leads to re-traumatization of intersectional youth. Poster presentation at the Diversity Challenge, Boston, MA.
29. Shatto, E.H., Kantra, L., Bodiford, R.S., Wright, C.N., & Stefurak, J.R. (2015, August). Increasing evidence-based practice: Examining iatrogenic practices within a juvenile court. Poster presentation at the American Psychological Association Convention. Toronto, Canada.
30. Wright, C.N., Stefurak, J.R. (2015, August). Program development, pilot, and evaluation of a juvenile mental health court. Poster presentation at the American Psychological Association convention. Toronto, Canada.
31. Shatto, E. H., Wright, C.N., & Stefurak, J. (2014, October) Benevolent and malevolent patriarchy enacted upon intersectional youth in a juvenile court. Poster presentation at the Diversity Challenge. Boston, M.A.
32. Shatto, E.H., Fucillo, S.J., Bryan, V., & Stefurak, J. (2014, July). Foundations and barriers to implementation of Trauma Informed Care: Results of a needs assessment of a youth residential treatment facility. Poster, National Organization for Forensic Social Work, NYC.
33. Bryan, V., & Stefurak, T. (2012). University-Community Partnerships to Improve Juvenile Justice Services: Bridging the Research-Practice Gap. Paper presentation at the 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Council on Social Work Education Program Meeting, Washington D.C.
34. Johnson, B., & Stefurak, T. (2012). Examining and Improving Evidence through Dialectical Pluralism. Paper presentation at the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign.
35. Stefurak, T., Chavers, D., & Davis, C. (2012). Does Religious Commitment have an Independent Relationship with Depressive Symptoms unique to African American women? An Investigation of White and African American Female College Students. Paper Presentation at the American Psychological Association Division 36 Society for the Psychology of Religion & Spirituality Mid-Year Research Conference, Columbia, MD.
36. Bryan, V., Stefurak, T., Bodiford, R. (2011). Predicting Violent Youthful Offending Through and Evaluation of Risk and Protective Factors. Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting. Atlanta, GA.
37. Powell, A.E., Bodiford, R. S., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Stefurak, T., & Inge, V. (2011). The relationship of parent and youth suicide proneness with self-reported youth delinquency. Poster Session at the Association for Cognitive & Behavioral Therapies National Conference.
38. Stefurak, T., Duck, T., Chavers, D., & Inge, V. (2010). Religious Orientation, Adult Attachment Style and Personality. Poster session at the Annual Mid-Year Research Conference on Religion & Spirituality: Division 36 of the American Psychological Association. Loyola College in Maryland, Columbia, MD.

39. Stefurak, T., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., & Friend, J. (2010). The Vagaries of Prevention Groups in the Juvenile Justice System: The Building Strong Relationships Program. Workshop Conducted at the Association for Specialists in Group Work, New Orleans, LA.
40. Stefurak, T. (2008). Personal Epistemology and its Relationship to Multiple Facets of Religiosity. Paper presentation at the Mid-Year Research Conference on Religion & Spirituality: Division 36 of the American Psychological Association, Loyola College in Maryland, Columbia, MD.
41. Andrews, S., & Stefurak, T. (2008). Locus of Control and Religious Problems Solving as Predictors of Attitudes Towards Psychological Help-Seeking. Paper presentation at the Mid-Year Research Conference on Religion & Spirituality: Division 36 of the American Psychological Association, Loyola College in Maryland, Columbia, MD.
42. Stefurak, T. (2007, March) Attachment Style, Personality Traits and Cognitive Style as Predictors of Religious Orientation: The Moderating Effect of Gender and Race. Poster presentation at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Mid-Year Research Conference on Religion & Spirituality: Division 36 of the American Psychological Association, Loyola College in Maryland, Columbia, MD.
43. Calhoun, G. B., Scarborough, Z., Cohen, P., Morris, M., Pryzbleck, E., Stefurak, T. (2000, April). Group Interventions with Male Juvenile Offenders in a Short-Term Detention Facility. Focus Group Discussion conducted at the annual meeting of the Association of Specialists in Groupwork, Deerfield Beach, Florida.
44. Calhoun, G. B., Stefurak, T., & Ottley, S. (2001, October). The G.I.R.L.S. Project: A Relational Approach to Intervening with Youthful Female Offenders. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Association of Criminology, Atlanta, Georgia.
45. Calhoun, G.B., Bartolomucci, C, McClean, B., Ottley, S., & Stefurak, T. (2001, March). Group Interventions with Female Juvenile Offender: An Overview of the G.I.R.L.S. Project. Symposium presentation at the 4<sup>th</sup> National Conference of the APA: Division 17 (Counseling Psychology) Conference, Houston, Texas.
46. Glaser, B. A., Calhoun, G.B., Bates, J., Clemmens, K., Cohen, P., Ottley, S. Scarborough, Z., & Stefurak, T. (2001, March). Adaptive Assessment Approaches with Juvenile Offenders. Symposium presentation at the 4<sup>th</sup> National Conference of the APA: Division 17 (Counseling Psychology) Conference, Houston, Texas

### **Regional, State, Local**

48. Stefurak, T. (2018). *Trauma Informed Care & Trauma Informed Supervision*. Alabama Conference of Social Work, Gulf Shores, AL. (February 2018).
49. Richard, M., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., & Stefurak, T. (2018). *Unwanted pursuit behaviors following a breakup: Being intolerant of uncertainty might increase the risk*. Poster presentation at the Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Meeting. Charleston, SC.

50. Richard, M, Stefurak, T., Jones, K. & Hudson, K. (2018). *Double jeopardy: Are there compounding risks for juvenile offenders for family income and community income levels?* Paper presentation at the Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Meeting. Charleston, SC.
51. Stefurak, T., & Kerns, M. (2017). *Program Evaluation of N.E.S.T. Youth Mentoring*. N.E.S.T. Annual Luncheon. Byrne Memorial Hall, Spring Hill College. Mobile, AL.
52. Stefurak, T. (2017). *Traumatology, Trauma-Informed Care & Trauma-informed Clinical Supervision*. Workshop at the annual retreat of the Alabama Mental Health Clinical Directors Group, Orange Beach, AL.
53. Stefurak, T. (2016). *Ethical dilemmas: Right, wrong, and it depends: Ethical issues in supervising counselors treating trauma*. Workshop at the Alabama Counseling Association Chapter XIII & Chi Sigma Iota, Upsilon Sigma Chapter, Counseling Honor Society, University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL.
54. Stefurak, T., Kantra, L, Presley, L., Fields, K., Wright, C., & Jones, K. (2016). *Collaborative program development, delivery & evaluation in the juvenile justice system*. Symposium at the Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.
55. Stefurak, T., & Fields, K. (2015). *Getting the most out of psychological assessment reports in child welfare*. Foster Family Treatment Association: Workshop at the Alabama Chapter 7th Annual Fall Conference. Orange Beach, AL.
56. Stefurak, T., Kantra, L., Presley, L., Fields, K., Wright, C., & Jones, K., (March 2016). *Collaborative program development, delivery & evaluation in the juvenile justice system*. Symposium Presentation at the Southeastern Psychological Association 2013 Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
57. Stefurak, T., Kantra, L., & Wright, C. (November, 2015). *Trauma informed care & trauma informed supervision*. 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Foster Family Treatment Association Alabama Chapter Conference. Orange Beach, AL.
58. Stefurak, T., & Fields, K. (November, 2015). *Getting the most out of psychological assessment reports in child welfare*. 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Foster Family Treatment Association Alabama Chapter Conference. Orange Beach, AL.
59. Holt-Rager, B., Stefurak, T., & Wright, C. (2015). *Mental health disparities*. University of South Alabama Center for Healthy Communities: Regional Health Disparities Symposium. Mobile, AL
60. Shatto, E., & Stefurak, T. (2015). *Trauma-Informed Supervision*. Alabama Department of Human Resources Annual Child Welfare Directors' Retreat. Orange Beach, AL.



61. Kantra, L., Alexander, A., & Stefurak, T. (2015). Psychopathy, intelligence, and offense patterns in detained adolescents. Paper, 2014 Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Conference, Hilton Head Island, S.C.
62. Shatto, E.H., Fucillo, S.J., Stewart, M., & Stefurak, J.R. (2015, March). A tale of two systems: Trauma and behavioral and physical health status in child welfare and juvenile justice youth. Poster, 2014 Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Conference, Hilton Head Island, S.C.
63. Wright, C.N., Shatto, E.H., Stefurak, J.R. (2015, March). Malevolent and benevolent patriarchy in referred interventions for intersectional youth within a juvenile detention. Faculty Development Council Spring Research Forum, Mobile, A.L.
64. Shatto, E.H., Wright, C.N., Stefurak, J.R. (2015, March). Recreating trauma: Parallel process in systems designed to treat child trauma. Faculty Development Council Spring Research Forum, Mobile, A.L.
65. Stewart, M., Shatto, E.H., Wright, C.N., & Stefurak, J.R. (2015, March). Emotional labor: Religious coping with burnout as an intersectional experience. Faculty Development Council Spring Research Forum, Mobile, A.L.
66. Wright, C.N., Shatto, E.H., Headland, C., Stefurak, J.R. (2015, March). Relational charting in organizational consultation: Applications of Bowen theory to the development of a juvenile mental health court. Faculty Development Council Spring Research Forum, Mobile, A.L.
67. Wright, C., Shatto, E.H., Headland, C., & Stefurak, J. (2015, March). Relational charting in organizational consultation: Applications of Bowen theory to the development of a juvenile mental health court. Poster, Faculty Development Council Research Forum, University of South Alabama, Mobile
68. Shatto, E.H., Fucillo, S. J., & Stefurak, J.R. (2014, November). Emotional labor and staff support: Does personal history of trauma impact the degree to which staff feel supported in trauma-specific work? Poster, Alabama Counseling Association, Huntsville, AL.
69. Headland, C., Shatto, E.H., & Stefurak, J.R. (2014, November). The utility of the MAYSI in screening for trauma exposure in delinquent youth. Poster, Alabama Counseling Association, Huntsville, AL.
70. Stewart, M., Shatto, E.H., & Stefurak, J.R. (2014, November). Spirituality and coping with burnout. Poster, Alabama Counseling Association, Huntsville, AL.
71. Washington, S., Shatto, E.H., & Stefurak, J.R. (2014, November). From school to prison: A different pipeline for delinquent youth. Poster, Alabama Counseling Association, Huntsville, AL.
72. Wilson, K., Shatto, E., Var, M.A., & Stefurak, J. (2013, November). Gaining insight into relationships for lifelong success: An interpersonal process approach to group therapy for female youth. Paper, Alabama Counseling Association in Birmingham, AL.

73. Blanton, S., Myers, J., Pruden, M., Bryan, V., & Stefurak, J. (2013, March). The Massachusetts Youth Screening Inventory-2 project at the Mobile County Juvenile Court and Strickland Youth Center. University of South Alabama Spring Research Forum.
74. Murphy, J., Zlomke, K., Stefurak, T., & Cook, N. (2013). Conducting Research in Applied Community Settings: Opportunities and Challenges. Symposium Presentation at the Southeastern Psychological Association 2013 Annual Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
75. Var, A., Shatto, E.H., Wilson, K., & Stefurak, J. (2013, November). Vocational counseling with at-risk youth. Paper, Alabama Counseling Association in Birmingham, AL.
76. Cole, T., Shatto, E.H., & Stefurak, J. (2013, November). Transdiagnostic uses for mindfulness and relaxation training in adolescents. Poster, Alabama Counseling Association in Birmingham, AL.
77. Stewart, M., Jones, Z.K., Boone-Brown, K., Myers, J., Shatto, E.H., & Stefurak, J. (2013, November). Utilizing a risk assessment tool to determine level of care in at-risk youth. Poster, Alabama Counseling Association in Birmingham, AL.
78. Murphy, J., Zlomke, K., Shatto, E.H., Wilson, K., Stefurak, J., & Cook, N. (2013, Mar). Conducting research in applied community settings: Opportunities and challenges. Symposium, Southeastern Psychological Association in Atlanta, GA.
79. Stefurak, T. (2012). Juvenile Psychopathy: Current Research, Theory & Assessment Practice. Department of Psychiatry Grand Rounds Presentation, College of Medicine, University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL.
80. Pope, A., Packer-Williams, C., Guest, C.G., & Stefurak, T. (2012). The Perfect Storm: Seeking CACREP Accreditation while Weathering the Economic Downturn. Paper presentation at the 2012 Southeastern Association for Counselor Education & Supervision Conference, Savannah, GA.
81. Stefurak, T., Friend, J., & Powell, A. (2012). Integrating Clinical and Counseling Psychology. Paper presentation at the Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA
82. Pruden, M., Bodiford, R.S., Stefurak, T. & Byrd, D. L. (2012). Affective States and Traumatic Experiences Predict Alcohol and Drug Use in Juvenile Offenders. Paper Presentation at the Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.
83. Byrd, D. I., Jackson, E. & Stefurak, T. (2012). A Psychosocial Intervention to Enhance Adolescent Community Investment and Empowerment. Poster Session at the Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.

84. Bodiford, R.S., Pruden, M., Stefurak, T., Lanhinrichsen-Rohling, J. & Bryan, V. (2012). Co-Occurring Substance Abuse and Mental Illness: Treatment Matching for Adjudicated Youth. Paper Presentation at the Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA
85. Bodiford, R. S., Stefurak, T., & Mininger, L. (2011). An examination of MAYSI-2 in predicting recidivism. Paper presentation at the 2011 Annual Conference of the Southeastern Psychological Association. Jacksonville, FL.
86. Stefurak, T. (2011). Suicide Assessment, Crisis Management & Intervention. Combined-Integrated Clinical & Counseling Psychology Doctoral Program Grand Rounds Presentation. Mobile, AL.
87. Stefurak, T., Roberts, N., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J. & Jackson, E. (2011). Trauma and Delinquency: Moderators and Mediators. Paper presentation at the 2011 Annual Conference of the Southeastern Psychological Association. Jacksonville, FL.
88. Wolford, C., Stefurak, T., & Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J. (2011). Risk and protective factors for delinquency in adjudicated youth. Paper presentation at the 2011 Annual Conference of the Southeastern Psychological Association. Jacksonville, FL.
89. Stefurak, T., & McMahon, H. G. (2010). Community Collaboration as an Essential Feature of Counselor Education. Paper Presentation at the Alabama Counseling Association Annual Conference. Mobile, AL.
90. Stefurak, T. (2010). Mental Health and Health Care Reform. Presentation to Hospital Oriented Professionals Educators Annual Conference. Mobile, AL.
91. Stefurak, T., Bodiford, S., McGee, G., Roberts, N., & Dumas, J. (2010). Collaboration between Counselors and Youth Advocates to Reduce Delinquency: The Mobile Juvenile Court Collaborative & the Youth Advocates Program. Paper Presentation at the Alabama Counseling Association Annual Conference. Mobile, AL.
92. Stefurak, T., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Calhoun, G. B., Friend, J., Powell, A., & Bodiford, R. S. (2010). University/Juvenile Justice Collaborations: Benefits and Challenges. Southeastern Psychological Association, Chattanooga, TN
93. Bodiford, S., McGee, G. L., & Stefurak, T. (2009). Occupational Burnout, Compassion Fatigue & Secondary Traumatization: Unique Risk Factors for Counselors Working with At-Risk Youth. Poster Presentation at the Alabama Counseling Association Annual Conference. Birmingham, AL.
94. Carr, N.T., Stefurak, T., Langhinrichsen-Rohling, J., Turner, L., & Shelley-Tremblay, S. (2009). In Their Own Words: The Importance of Authenticity (Keeping it Real) in Treatment Programs. Paper Presentation at the Annual Conference of the Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA.

95. Bodiford, S., & Stefurak, T. (2009). An Investigation of Burnout in Juvenile Correctional Workers. Poster Presentation at the annual Southeastern Psychological Association Conference. New Orleans, LA.
96. Stefurak, T. (2008). Juvenile Offenders: What Works & Why. University of South Alabama Chapter of Chi Sigma Iota: 2008 Speaker's Conference, Mobile, AL.
97. Andrews, S., & Stefurak, T. (2008). Locus of Control and Religious Problems Solving as Predictors of Attitudes Towards Psychological Help-Seeking. Poster presentation at the Southeastern Psychological Association Annual Convention, Charlotte, NC.
98. Stefurak, T. (March, 2008). Religious Fundamentalism, Authoritarian Attitudes and Prejudice towards Homosexuals. Presentation to the "Brown Bag" Lecture Series, sponsored by the University of South Alabama Department of Psychology.
99. Stefurak, T. (February, 2008). The Philosophy and Psychology of William James: Continued Relevance in Education and the Social Sciences. "Theory Tuesdays" Lecture Series, sponsored by the On-Line Learning Lab of the University of South Alabama.
100. Andrews, S.; Stefurak T. (2007). Locus of Control and Religious Problems Solving as Predictors of Attitudes Towards Psychological Help-Seeking. Poster presentation at the Alabama Psychological Association Fall Mini-Conference, Birmingham, AL.
101. Stefurak, T. (2006, March). Adult Attachment Style, "Big Five" Personality Traits, & Cognitive Style as Predictors of Religious Orientation. Poster presentation at the annual convention of the Southeastern Psychological Association, Atlanta, GA.
102. Stefurak, T. (2005, April). Subtypes of Female Juvenile Offenders: A Cluster Analysis of the MACI. Paper Presentation at the annual meeting of the Southeastern Psychological Association, Nashville, TN. (Nominated for Outstanding Professional Paper Award)
103. Stefurak, T. (2003, March). Psychological Diversity within Female Juvenile Offenders: A Cluster Analysis of the BASC-SRP. Poster Presentation at the annual meeting of the Southeastern Psychological Association, New Orleans, LA.
104. Stefurak, T., Scarborough, Z., Calhoun, G. B., & Glaser, B. A. (2001, March). Comparison of Cluster Analysis of the MACI and BASC-SRP with a Sample of Male Juvenile Offender Detainees. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the Southeastern Psychological Association, Atlanta, Georgia.
105. Calhoun, G. B., Glaser, B. A., Stefurak, T., Bradshaw, K., & Kinoshita, Naoko (1999, March). Validation of a revised Narcissistic Personality Inventory through correlations with the Behavioral Assessment System for Children in a sample of incarcerated juvenile offenders. Poster presented at the meeting of the Southeastern Psychological Association, Savannah, GA.

## Participation in Professional Organizations:

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### Membership in Professional Organizations

- International
  - International Academy of Family Psychology 2009 - 2014
- National
  - American Counseling Association 1998 - 2016
  - American Psychological Association 1995-present
  - Society for Criminal & Police Psychology 2017 - present
  - Society for the Scientific Study of Religion 2007 - 2011
- Regional, State, Local
  - Southeastern Psychological Association 1998 - present

### Committee Service/Offices Held in Professional Organizations

- International
  - International Academy of Family Psychology 2010 - 2014
  - Treasurer March 2010 - March 2014
- National
  - Division 17 of the American Psychological Association - 2007 - 2012  
The Society for Counseling Psychology
    - Membership Committee of the Supervision and Training Section 2007 - 2010
  - Council of Applied Master's Programs in Psychology (CAMPP) 2005 - 2006
    - Served on a three-person committee to draft a revised version of the CAMPP practica/internships standards for terminal masters programs in applied psychology.
- Regional, State, Local
  - Alabama Psychological Association
    - Member: Academic and Scientific Affairs Committee 2007 - 2010
    - Member: Legislative Committee 2007 - 2010

## Editorial Activities

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### Ad Hoc Reviewer

- International Journal of Law & Psychiatry
- Journal of Child & Family Studies
- Journal of Juvenile Justice
- Religions
- Journal of the Psychology of Religion & Spirituality
- Journal of Counseling and Development

- Journal of Adolescence
- Poster & Paper Submissions for the Annual Convention of the Southeastern Psychological Association: 2006, 2007, 2008
- Reviewer - student poster/paper submissions, Mini-Conference, Birmingham, AL: 2007

## Panel Discussion & Workshops

- Panel Discussions:
  - Panel Discussant for *School-to-Prison Pipeline*, College of Arts & Sciences, University of South Alabama 2019
  - Panel Discussant for *All My Sons*. Laidlaw Performing Arts Center, University of South Alabama 2014
  - Panel Discussant for *Boys Interrupted: Improving Outcomes for Boys and Young Men in Baldwin & Mobile Counties*. Crescent Theater, Community Foundation of South Alabama. Panel Discussion following viewing of clips from the documentary film *The Interrupters*. 2013
  - Panel Discussant for the viewing of the documentary *Mobile in Black and White*. Innovations in Learning Center. University of South Alabama 2012
  - Panel Discussant for the Play *Women of Lockerbie*. Laidlaw Performing Arts Center, University of South Alabama 2010
  
- Workshop Leader:
  - Stefurak, T. (2019). *Mobile's Sexual Assault Kit Initiative: The Promise Initiative*. Department of Counseling & Instructional Sciences Colloquium. Department of Counseling & Instructional Sciences, College of Education & Professional Studies, University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL.
  - Stefurak, T. (2019). *Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy*. Gulf Coast Conference on Addiction & Recovery. Drug Education Council, Orange Beach, AL.
  - Stefurak, T. (2019). *Trauma-Informed Care*. Gulf Coast Conference on Addiction & Recovery. Drug Education Council, Orange Beach, AL.
  - Stefurak, T. (2019). *Trauma-Informed Care*. 2nd Annual Jaguar Physician Assistant Medical Symposium, University of South Alabama Physician Assistant Program, Mobile, AL.
  - Stefurak, T. (2019). *An Introduction to Mental Illness*. AACOP Conference. Alabama Association of Chiefs of Police, Orange Beach, AL.
  - Stefurak, T. (2019). Planning for & Implementing Program Evaluation. South Alabama Non-Profit Summit. South Alabama Coalition of Non-Profits, Mobile, AL.
  - Stefurak, J. R., McGil, K., Pusey, K., (2019). Taylor Hardin Postdoctoral Seminar Series, "Juvenile Forensic Assessment", Taylor Hardin Forensic Hospital, Tuscaloosa, AL.
  - Stefurak, T. (2018). *Juvenile Psychopathy: Etiology, Predictive Validity and Treatment*. Alabama Mental Health Clinical Directors Group, Orange Beach, AL. (May 2018).
  - Stefurak, T., & Kerns, M. (2018). *Program Evaluation of N.E.S.T. Youth Mentoring*. N.E.S.T. Annual Luncheon. Byrne Memorial Hall, Spring Hill College. Mobile, AL.
  - Stefurak, T. (2018). *Principles of Evaluating Health, Psychosocial & Educational Programs*. Community Foundation of South Alabama (November, 2018).

- Stefurak, T. (2018). *Introduction to Mental Illness for Public Safety Professionals*. Crisis Intervention Team Program. University of South Alabama Center for Continuing Education and Conference Services.
- Stefurak, T. (2019). *Program Evaluation*. South Alabama Nonprofit Summit. Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, J. R., McGil, K., Pusey, K. (2019). *Juvenile Forensic Assessment*. Taylor Hardin Postdoctoral Seminar Series. Taylor Hardin Forensic Hospital, Tuscaloosa, AL
- Stefurak, J. R. (2018). *Principles of Evaluating Health, Psychosocial & Educational Programs*. Community Foundation of South Alabama Grantees Meeting. Community Foundation of South Alabama, Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, J. R. (2018). *Introduction to Mental Illness for Public Safety Professionals*. Crisis Intervention Team Program. University of South Alabama Center for Continuing Education and Conference Services, Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, J. R. (2018). *Juvenile Psychopathy: Etiology, Predictive Validity and Treatment*. Alabama Mental Health Clinical Directors Group Annual Retreat. Alabama Mental Health Clinical Directors Group, Orange Beach, AL.
- Stefurak, T. (2017). *Trauma-Informed Supervision*. Presentation to the Site Supervisors for the University of South Alabama Clinical Mental Health Counseling M.S. Program. Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, T. (2016) *Trauma, PTSD & Complex PTSD*. Presentation to the clinical staff of the Westwood Program at the Bridge Inc. Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, T. (2016). *De-escalation & conflict management training*. Presentation to staff of of the Mobile Bar Association Volunteer Lawyers Program. Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, T., Wright, C., Fucilo, S., & Kantra, L. (2015). *Trauma-informed Care & Trauma-informed Supervision*. Presentation to the Chi Sigma Iota Speaker's Day. Counselor Education Graduate Programs, Department of Professional Studies, College of Education, University of South Alabama.
- Shatto, E., & Stefurak, T. (2015). *Dealing with vicarious trauma & burnout*. Catholic Social Services of Mobile: Refugee Resettlement Program Worker Training Meeting. Mobile, AL.
- Shatto, E., & Stefurak, T. (April, 2015). *Trauma-Informed Care & Trauma-Informed Supervision*. Presentation to the annual retreat of the Alabama Association of Child Care Agencies (AACA). Orange Beach, AL.
- Stefurak, T. (2013). *Results of a Program Evaluation of the Mobile County Juvenile Court Probation Department*. Workshop delivered at the 2013 Mobile County Juvenile Court/Strickland Youth Center Staff Retreat.
- Stefurak, T. (2013). *Dealing with difficult people*. Workshop conducted as part of the Back to Basics: Tailoring your Toolkit: Evidence-Based Practices for School Professionals. Sponsored by the Gulf Coast Behavioral Health & Resiliency Center.
- Stefurak, T. (2012). *Ethical & legal issues in counseling supervision*. Chi Sigma Iota Speaker's Day. Counselor Education Graduate Programs, Department of Professional Studies, College of Education, University of South Alabama.
- Stefurak, T. (2012). *Mobile County juvenile offenders: Predictors of offense patterns & implication for intervention*. Presentation to the Leadership Team of the Mobile County Juvenile Court & Strickland Youth Center.
- Stefurak, T., & Bryan, V. (2012). *Mobile County juvenile offenders: Predictors of offense patterns & implication for intervention*. Presentation to the Mobile County Children's Policy Council, Mobile, AL.

- Stefurak, T., & Bryan, V. (2012). *Family & demographic factors among Mobile juvenile offenders*. Presentation to Hon. Judge Edmond Naman and Leadership Team of the Mobile Juvenile Court & Strickland Youth Center.
- Stefurak, T. (2012). *Juvenile psychopathy: Current research, theory & assessment practice*. Workshop for the Mobile Area Licensed Professional Counselor Association.
- Stefurak, T., & Bryan, V. (2012). *Predictors of violent & felony offending among juvenile offenders in Mobile County: Results of a retrospective file review study*. Presentation to the Hon. Judge Edmond Naman & Probation Supervisors of Mobile Juvenile Court & Strickland Youth Center.
- Stefurak, T., Powell, A., & Bodiford, R. (2011). *Complex trauma: Assessment & intervention*. Alabama Foster Family-Based Treatment Association – Alabama Chapter Annual Training Conference. Orange Beach, AL.
- Stefurak, T., Powell, A., & Bodiford, R. (2010). *Female delinquency – Research findings & clinical strategies*. Alabama Foster Family-Based Treatment Association – Alabama Chapter Annual Training Conference. Orange Beach, AL.
- Stefurak, T. (2011). *The 2009 CACREP standards: Challenges and opportunities for collaborating agencies*. University of South Alabama Community Counseling M.S. Program Collaborating Agencies Summit.
- Stefurak, T. (2011). *Clinical supervision: Towards an evidence-based model of supervision*. University of South Alabama Community Counseling M.S. Program Collaborating Agencies Summit.
- Stefurak, T. (2010). *Assessment in the juvenile court and matching youth with services*. Presentation to the Mobile Bar Association.
- Stefurak, T. (2010). *Religion may make you happy, but may not make you good: The intertwining of fundamentalism, authoritarianism, prejudice & altruism*. Presentation for The Lenten Talks at St. Luke’s Episcopal Church. Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, T. (2009). *Services for juvenile offenders: Core reasons for problems and hope for change*. Presentation at Mobile United’s Adolescent Risky Behavior Prevention Forum. Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, T., Burkett, D. (July, 2008). *Stress management in correctional occupations*. Workshop performed for the supervisors and staff of Strickland Youth Center. Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, T. (March, 2008). *Introduction to the Mobile Juvenile Court Collaborative*. Workshop performed for the supervisors and staff of the Strickland Youth Center.
- Stefurak, T. (May, 2008). *Behavioral, emotional and mental health problems among juvenile offenders: Strategies for identification and referral*. Workshop performed for the supervisors and staff of Strickland Youth Center. Mobile, AL.
- Stefurak, T. (2006, July). *The role of critical thinking in college*. Workshop for incoming college students with disabilities, as part of Auburn University Montgomery’s Center for Special Services college preparation program.
- Stefurak, T. (October, 2006). *Dealing with difficult clients in human services settings*. Workshop for the annual statewide Alabama Department of Public Health/WIC Training Institute.
- Calhoun, G.B., Glaser, B.A., Ottley, S., & Stefurak, T. (2001, May). *Research findings regarding female juvenile offenders: implications for referral practice and decision-making*. Presentation to the probation officers, court services workers and juvenile court judges of Athens-Clarke County Unified Government, Athens, GA.



# TEACHING

## Courses Taught

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### Undergraduate

- History & Systems of Psychology
- Introductory Psychology
- Psychological Assessment
- Psychology & Cinema
- Psychology & Religion

### Master's

- Addictions Counseling
- Child & Adolescent Counseling
- Counseling & Psychotherapy Theories & Skills
- Career Counseling
- Counseling Practicum
- Counseling Internship
- Crisis & Trauma Counseling
- History & Systems in Psychology
- Statistics
- Program Development & Evaluation with At-Risk Youth

### Doctoral

- Group & Systems Psychology
- Clinical Supervision
- Ethics in Professional Psychology
- Clinical & Counseling Psychology Practicum
- Foundations of Professional Psychology

## Student Advising & Mentoring

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### Auburn University Montgomery

- Advise 30-50 psychology undergraduate majors: Fall 2004 – Summer 2007
- Advise 3-4 master's students per year: Fall 2004 – Summer 2007

### University of South Alabama

- Advise Community Counseling Students
  - Approximately 20 students per year or 50% of the Community Counseling program census - Fall of 2007 – Summer 2010

- Approximately 40 students per year or 100% of the Community Counseling program census, Fall of 2010 – Summer 2013
- Advise and Mentor at least one student within each Combined-Integrated Clinical/Counseling Psychology doctoral cohort:
  - Class entering Fall 2009 – Ashley Powell – currently staff psychologist Bexar County Texas Juvenile Probation Unit
  - Class entering Fall 2010 – Sheree Bodiford - currently private practice psychology at Alabama Psychiatry, Montgomery, AL
  - Class entering Fall 2010 - Marlinda Pruden – currently staff psychologist Washington State Department of Corrections
  - Class entering Fall 2011 – Kelley Wilson – currently Assistant Professor of Psychology, University of Mobile
  - Class entering Fall of 2012 – Erynne Shatto – currently research psychologist U.S. Department of the Navy, Christina Wright – currently post doctoral fellow at Pennsylvania Counseling Services
  - Class entering Fall of 2013 – Kane Jones – currently Captain and pre-doctoral intern at Lackland Airforce Base, Wilford Hall Hospital
  - Class entering Fall of 2014 – Lacy Kantra – currently in private practice at the Center for Calm Living, Fairhope, AL
  - Class entering Fall of 2015 – Arianna Mitchell
  - Class entering Fall of 2016 – Jessica Duncan
  - Class entering Fall 2017 – Melissa Kern
  - Class entering Fall 2018 – Kathryn McGil
  - Class entering Fall 2018 – Kimberly Pusey

## Supervision of Student Research

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### Auburn University Montgomery

- Psychology M.S. Theses
  - (Chair) Shiquina Andrews, *Between a Rock and a Hard Place? Locus of control, religious problem-solving and psychological help-seeking* (defended 2007)
  - (Chair) Crystal Taylor, *Exploration of Gender-Specific Correlates of Prejudice Towards Homosexuals* (defended 2007)
  - (Chair) Curtisha Davis, *College Campus Racial Demographics and Depression Among African American Women* (defended 2008).

### University of South Alabama

- Undergraduate honors theses (committee member)
  - Danny McCarty (2012). *The effect of shame on forgiveness among college students*. Undergraduate honors thesis.
  - Malaya Richard (2017). *Unwanted pursuit behaviors following a breakup: Being intolerant to uncertainty might increase the risk of unwanted pursuit behaviors*. Undergraduate honors thesis.

- Shelby Bradley (2019). *The association between narcissistic personality and first impressions.*
- Directed Studies:
  - Deanna Burkett, Summer Semester 2008: Exposure to Violence, and Trauma Based Interventions in Juvenile Offender Populations (Summer 2009)
  - Marlinda Pruden – Creating and Orientation Manual for Mental Health Professionals Working in a Juvenile Court Setting (Summer 2013)
  - Erynne Shatto – Trauma-Informed Care (Summer 2013), Patriarchy in Juvenile Justice (Fall, 2015)
  - Elena Sharycheva – Juvenile Psychopathy Etiology, Treatment & Policy (Fall, 2018)
  - Victoria Dixon – Juvenile Criminal Psychology (Spring 2019)
  - Lauren Parker – Juvenile Criminal Psychology (Spring 2019)
  - Rachel Rothbardt – Sexual Assault Investigatio & Prosecution (Spring, 2020)
  - Allison Hickman – Sexual Assault Investigation & Prosecution (Spring, 2020)
- Instructional Specialist Research Project Committees
  - Cathy Youngblood – Educational Leadership (defended Spring 2009)
- Master’s Applied Research Project Committees
  - Marilyn O’Brien – Applied Sociology (defended Fall 2010)
- Master’s Thesis Committees
  - Committee Member
    - Jennifer Boutwell – Experimental Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Cherish Kobitz – Applied Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Courtney Cavin – Applied Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Laura Sprinkle – Applied Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Jessica McCain – Experimental Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Adrienne McCullars – Applied Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Mark Williams – Applied Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - David Chavers – Combined-Integrated Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Jillian Murphy – Combined-Integrated Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Caitlin Wolford – Combined-Integrated Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Christina Wright - Combined-Integrated Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Selena Jackson – Combined-Integrated Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Imani Turner – Brain & Behavioral Sciences M.S. (defended)
    - Wesley McCormick – Combined-Integrated Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Melissa Kern – Brain & Behavioral Sciences M.S. (defended)
    - Emma Lathan – Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - Kristen Mechanic – Brain & Behavioral Sciences M.S. (defended)
    - Fallon Richie – Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - Steven Isaak – Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - Jennifer Raley – Brain & Behavioral Scirences (in process)
  - Committee Chair
    - Kane Jones - Combined-Integrated Psychology M.S. (defended)
    - Ariana Mitchell – Combined-Integrated Psychology M.S. (defended)

- Jo Lauren Weaver – Clinical Mental Health Counseling M.S. (defended)
  - Jessica Duncan – Combined-Integrated Clinical & Counseling Psychology Program Research Readiness Project
  - Kim Pusey – Combined-Integrated Clinical & Counseling Psychology M.S. (defended)
  - Victoria Dixon – Clinical Mental Health Counseling M.S. (proposed)
- Dissertation Committees
- Committee Member
    - Lisa Carwie – Instructional Design (defended)
    - John Friend – Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - Tiffany Misra – Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - Stacy Weston – Instructional Design (defended)
    - Charles McPherson– Instructional Design (defended)
    - Aimee Varr – Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - David Chavers - Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - Alexis Mayfield – Instructional Design (proposal defended)
    - Ron Morgan – Instructional Design (defended)
    - Kelly N. Fields – (defended)
    - Alyna Huennekens– Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - Brandon Moss – Instructional Design (proposal defended)
    - Rachel Hoadley - Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - Oluwafunmilayo Fagbongbe – Educational Leadership (proposal defended)
    - Betty Dixon – Educational Leadership (defended)
    - Matthew Kridel – Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended)
    - Brook Sims – Combined-Integrated Psychology (proposal defended)
    - Nathan Booth – Combined-Integrated Psychology (proposal defended)
    - Dawn Greathouse - Combined-Integrated Psychology (proposal defended)
    - Sarah Taylor – Combined-Integrated Psychology (proposal defended)
    - Laura Marie – Combined-Integrated Psychology (proposal defended)
    - April Berry - Combined-Integrated Psychology (in process)
    - Steve Isaak - Combined-Integrated Psychology (in process)
  - Committee Chair
    1. Ashley Powell – Combined-Integrated Psychology (chair) (defended June 2013)
    2. *Exposure to Trauma and Self-Reported Female Juvenile Delinquency: Examining the Mediating Roles of PTSD Symptoms, Interpersonal Impairment, and Emotional Regulation*
    3. Marlinda Pruden - Combined-Integrated Psychology (defended December 2013)
    4. *Organizational Readiness to Adopt Evidence-Based Risk/Need Assessment in Juvenile Probation Services*
    5. Sheree Bodiford – (defended October of 2014)
    6. *Do Mental Health Factors Moderate the Relationships between Measures of Poverty and Juvenile Delinquency?*
    7. Kelley Wilson – (defended January of 2015)
    8. *Depression in African American Women: Examining the Effects of Racial Identity, Religiosity and Social Support*
    9. Erynne Shatto – (defended June of 2015)

10. *Organizational Psychosocial Capacity to Adopt Evidence-Based Services in a Child Residential Treatment Facility.*
  11. Christina Wright – (defended June of 2016)  
*The Roles of Adult Attachment and Racialized Experiences in Help-Seeking Intentions*
  12. Lacy Kantra – (defended June of 2017)  
*Psychopathy, Intelligence & Offense Patterns in Detained Adolescents*
  13. Kane Jones – (defended May of 2019)  
*Mixed Methods Analysis of Determinants Of Gun Ownership: Comparing Social Determinants, Self-Protection, And Masculinity Ideology In Rural And Urban Environments*
  14. Ariana Mitchell – (proposal defended August 2018)  
*Body Image and Mental Health Among Black Women: Examining Culture-Specific Factors*
  15. Emma Lathan – (proposal defended September, 2019) *Reducing the Acceptance of Rape Myths and Burnout Culture Through a Trauma-Informed Police Investigations Training*
  16. Jessica Duncan – (proposal defended September, 2019) *Rape by any other name...: The impact of labeling sexual assault reports “suspicious circumstances”*
- University Council for Undergraduate Research:
    - Caitlin Wolford – University Committee on Undergraduate Research Summer Fellowship – 2010. Project Title: Risk and Protective Factors among Youth involved in a Truancy Court. This presentation was selected as one of 10 oral presentations from UCUR projects across the university - Fall 2010.
    - Malaya Richard – University Committee on Undergraduate Research Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship – 2017. Project Title: Double jeopardy: The compounding risks posed by community poverty and family poverty among juvenile offenders.
  - Adult Interdisciplinary Studies Senior Theses:
    - Bernadette Bush – Adult Interdisciplinary Studies undergraduate; Adult Interdisciplinary Studies Senior Thesis entitled: Occupational Burnout Among Staff in Adolescent Residential Group Homes – Spring 2010

## SERVICE

### University

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#### Auburn University Montgomery

- Counseling Center Planning Committee (Ad Hoc) Spring 2007
- Institutional Review Board 2006 - 2007
- Faculty Senate 2006 - 2007
- Wellness Center Committee 2005 - 2006
- Consulting Psychologist to AUM Counseling Center 2005 - 2006
- Administrator Evaluation Committee 2004 - 2005
- Faculty Mentor: AUMQUEST New Student Orientation 2004 & 2005

#### University of South Alabama

- Faculty Senate 2011 - 2014
- College of Education Dean's Search Committee Fall 2015
- Faculty Development Council 2015-2017
- Marketing Committee Fall 2015 - present
- Search Committee Chair: Director, Counseling & Testing Center 2017 - 2018
- University Research Committee 2020 - present

### College

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#### Auburn University Montgomery School of Sciences

- AUM School of Sciences Undergraduate Research Committee 2006 - 2007

#### University of South Alabama College of Education & Professional Studies

- Representative for United Way Campaign 2007 - 2008
- Committee Memberships
  - Academic Standards Committee 2014 - present
  - Retention Committee 2014 - 2018
  - Electronic Recruitment Subcommittee 2015 - present
  - Diversity Council 2012 - present
  - Student Honors & Awards Committee 2010 - 2015
  - Community Partnership Advisory Council 2007 - 2015
  - NCATE Accreditation Committee 2011 - 2013
  - Field Placement, Clinical Training Workgroup Assessment Committee 2009 - 2014
- Faculty Council 2008 - 2013
  - Chair Elect 2008 - 2009
  - Chair 2009 - 2010

- Chair 2010 - 2011
- Professional Studies Dept. Delegate: 2007-2008, 2011 - 2013

## Academic Department

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### Department of Counseling & Instructional Sciences (formerly the Department Professional Studie) at the University of South Alabama

- Faculty Search Committees
  - Associate/Full Professor of Counseling or School Psychology Fall/Spring 2007/2008
  - Associate/Full Professor of Counseling Psychology Fall/Spring 2008/2009
  - Chair, Assistant Professor of Counselor Education Counseling Psychology Fall/Spring 2010-2011
  - Chair, Assistant/Associate Professor of Counselor Education Spring/Summer 2012
  - Chair, Assistant Professor of Counseling Psychology Fall/Spring 2012-2013
  - Director of Assessment, College of Education Fall 2014 - Spring 2015
  - Dean of College of Education Fall 2015
  
- Counseling Masters Programs Service
  - Community Counseling M.S. Program Practicum/Internship Coordinator 2007 - 2012
    - Redesign of Practicum & Internship Procedures
    - Expansion of practicum/internship sites: 8 sites vetted and added over 2 years
    - Standing relationships with high quality practicum/internship sites
    - Formalized practicum interview and placement procedures
    - Complete redesign of student evaluation procedures
    - Use of formal written and legally approved practicum placement procedures
    - Wrote practicum/internship manual
    - Wrote site supervisors guide
  
  - Counseling Programs Coordinator 2011-2012
    - Redesign of annual program evaluation proceures: alumni survey, current students survey, exit survey, practicum/internship evaluation by students
    - Initiated use of admissions interviews
    - Initiated use of doctoral psychology students to provide clinical supervision of counseling graduate students
  
  - CACREP-Related Accreditation Service 2008 - 2014
    - Conducted an initial CACREP feasibility study 2008
    - Designed new courses to meet CACREP standards: Addictions Counseling, and Crisis & Trauma Counseling 2009
    - Compiled data on programs across the country who have recently shifted to new CACREP standards to determine how they are structuring the curriculum to meet these standards 2009
    - Attended CACREP Self Study Training Workshop in New Brunswick, NJ Fall 2010

- Responsible for advising department chair on initial curriculum and clinical training reforms necessary to meet CACREP standards: 2010-2011
- Conducted a curriculum cross walk in which faculty compared existing syllabi to 2009 CACREP standards to determine changes needed to individual courses and the program curriculum as a whole 2011
- Assisting in writing the CACREP self-study and continued refining of course syllabi to reflect CACREP, NCATE and Alabama Dept. of Education School Counseling standards: 2011-2014
- Serving as Department Chair during CACREP site visit 2014

### **Combined-Integrated Clinical & Counseling Psychology (CCP) Ph.D. Program**

- Combined Clinical & Counseling Psychology (CCP) Ph.D. Program Committees
  - Combined Clinical & Counseling Psychology Doctoral Program Proposal Committee 2007 - 2009
  - CCP Admissions Committee Chair 2011
  - CCP Research Research Comprehensive Exams Committee 2010 - 2011
  - CCP Core Faculty Committee 2009 - present
- Program Development Activities
  - Assisted in writing CCP student manual 2009 - present
  - Assisted in writing CCP Program Bylaws 2008 - 2010
  - Designed new courses: 2009
    - Clinical Supervision
    - Ethics & Professional Foundations: designed foundations curriculum to orient students to the program's unique training model and professional identity
- APA-Accreditation
  - Attended APA Commission on Accreditation Assembly in Minneapolis, MN 2008
  - Assisted DCT in writing self-study 2011 - 2012
  - Oversaw the site visit as the DCT 2013
  - Wrote responses to APA Commission on Accreditation post site visit inquirie: 2013
- CCP Associate Director of Clinical Training 2009 - 2012
  - Attended Council of Counseling Psychology Training Programs conference annually
  - Meet with DCT weekly, Department Chairs monthly and Deans annually regarding program's progress
- CCP Director of Clinical Training May, 2012 – January, 2013
- CCP Program Web Master 2009 - present
  - Designed and edited program web page



- Responsible for ongoing updates to web page to disseminate program information and meet APA accreditation requirements for program web resources
- <http://www.southalabama.edu/ccp>

**Department of Leadership & Teacher Education Service**

**September, 2009**

- Secondary Science Education – Supervision of Pre-Service Teachers Work Group
- Served as consultant to faculty of secondary science education program regarding methods and principles of clinical supervision for students in initial methods courses and student teaching experiences

**University of South Alabama Psychology Department Service**

- Search Committees
  - Associate/Full Professor of Clinical Psychology and Director of Clinical & Counseling Training, Search Committee Fall/Spring 2008/2009
  - Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychology, Search Committee Fall/Spring 2007/2008
  - Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychology, Search Committee Fall/Spring 2010 - 2011
  - Assistant Professor of Clinical/Counseling Psychology, Search Committee Fall/Spring 2012 - 2013
  - Assistant Professor of Clinical or Counseling Psychology, Search Committee, Fall/Spring 2016 - 2017

**Auburn Montgomery University Psychology Department Service**

- AUM Director of Clinical Training 2004 - 2007
  - Arrange and manage practica sites, including designing evaluation forms, maintaining department records for all practica students, and serving as the liason for all practica sites.
  - Brokered agreements for 6 standing practica sites
  - Provide direct individual clinical supervision to approximately 2-3 students per semester not reflected in teaching load.
  - Wrote initial draft of the department’s first graduate student manual 2006 - 2007
  - Co-Sponsor AUM Psychology Club 2005 - 2007
  - Departmental Search Committee – tenure-track faculty position in Developmental Psychology 2005 - 2006
  - Careers in Psychology Workshop – annually 2004 - 2007
  - Preparing Future Faculty (through the Biggio Center at Auburn University) - Mentor 2004 - 2005

## **University-Related Community Service**

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### **Mobile County Department of Human Resources – Board Member**

**2010 – 2015**

- Attend quarterly DHR board meetings and provide input on DHR policies and practices, particularly in regards to children’s welfare and protective services.
- Assisted Mobile DHR Board Chair in planning and implementing the first ever DHR regional summit in the spring of 2010 at Faulkner State University. The meeting focused on sharing information across south Alabama counties in regards to workforce development and economic development efforts in the region and how these efforts intersect with the work of DHR.

### **Mobile Juvenile Court Committees & Task Forces**

**2008 – present**

- Autism Task Force 2008 - 2009
- Annie E. Casey Foundation - Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative 2008-2011
  - Attended and participated as a collaborator with the juvenile court in the Juvenile Detention Alternative Initiative’s consultation workshop and interviews in Fall of 2008. Participated in workshop to construct a Vision Statement for the court and provided responses to an individual interview with JDAI consultants regarding the current functioning and practices of the court.
  - Risk Assessment Work Group – assisted in developing and testing an objective risk assessment instrument to be used during the intake process in the court and determine whether youth needs to be placed in secure detention.
  - Alternatives Workgroup – assisted in developing alternatives to detention and incarceration such as electronic monitoring. Wrote a draft plan for an Evening Reporting Center. Wrote a white paper for the court on evidence based practices in juvenile justice.
- Mobile County Children’s Policy Council – Group Leader: Parental Involvement Committee: 2008-present

### **Alabama Rural Action Commission: Region 8 Board Member**

**2009 – 2010**

- Participated in planning meetings for implementation of an evidence-based teen pregnancy prevention program in Mobile, AL – Spring & Summer 2009.

## Honors and Awards:

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- Award for Distinguished Contributions to Improving Our Community  
College of Education, University of South Alabama, 2012
- Lisa Mitchell Bukstein Foundation Scholarship for Developing  
Faculty in Education  
College of Education, University of South Alabama 2011
- AUM School of Sciences Teaching Award  
School of Sciences, Auburn University Montgomery 2006
- Finalist - Outstanding Professional Paper Award  
Southeastern Psychological Association - Annual Conference 2005
- Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant  
Department of Counseling and Human Development Services,  
University of Georgia 2003
- Inducted into Psi Chi Psychology Honor Society  
University of Georgia 1995