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EDUCATION

Undergraduate B.A., Marietta College, Marietta, OH, July, 2007
Major: Psychology

Graduate M.A., Marietta College, Marietta, OH, May, 2008
Major: General Psychology

 Ph.D., University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, August, 2014
Major: Clinical Psychology
Minor: Clinical Health Psychology

POSTGRADUATE TRAINING

Internship Brown University Clinical Psychology Consortium, Providence, RI
APA-approved internship in Clinical Psychology
Psychology intern (Adult Track)
July 2013 – June 2014

Postdoctoral Research Fellowship
NIDA T-32 (DA016184)
Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies, Department of Behavioral & Social Sciences
Brown University School of Public Health, Providence RI 02912.
July 2014-June 2016

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Aug 2016-present Assistant Professor and Graduate Faculty
Dept. of Health Education and Behavior, College of Health and Human Performance
Research Faculty: Center for Addiction Research & Education
University of Florida

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2006 Michael S. Dorfman Memorial Prize
Marietta College, Department of Psychology
- 2007 Ohio Regents Fellowship Grant
Marietta College
- 2008-2012 Student Coordinating Council Research Travel Award
The University of Memphis, Department of Psychology
- 2008-2011 Student Government Association Research Travel Award
The University of Memphis, College of Arts and Sciences
- 2011 Student Merit Award
Research Society on Alcoholism
- 2012 Student Council Travel Grant
APA Division 38 (Health Psychology)
- 2012 NIDA/NIAA Early Career Award
National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) and the
National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)
American Psychological Association Annual Convention
- 2013 Clinical Program Director's Award
University of Memphis, Department of Psychology
- 2015 NIDA Directors Travel Award
The College on Problems of Drug Dependence

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

Ad Hoc Journal Reviewing (5-10 per year)

Addiction,
Addictive Behaviors
Addiction Research and Theory
Campbell Social Welfare
Clinical Psychology Review
Journal of Adolescent Health
Journal of Ethnicity and Substance Abuse
Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs
Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment
Psychology of Addictive Behaviors
Substance Use and Misuse,
SpringerPlus
The American Journal of Drug and Alcohol Abuse

Conference Programming

2016 Abstract Reviewer for Collaborative Perspectives on Addiction

National

2011-2012 APA Division 38 Communications Student Council

Departmental

2013-2014 Member, Diversity Committee, Brown University

2016 Member, Graduate Program Advisory Committee, University of Florida

2016 Member, Computing Committee, University of Florida

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies

Addictive Behaviors Special Interest Group

Forensic Issues and Externalizing Behaviors Special Interest Group

Research Society on Marijuana

College on Problems of Drug Dependence

Collaborative Perspectives on Addiction

Psi Chi, National Honor Society in Psychology

PUBLICATION LIST

ORIGINAL PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS

2010

1. Smith, A.E., Martens, M.P., Murphy, J.B., Buscemi, J., **Yurasek, A.M.**, & Skidmore, J. (2010). Reinforcing efficacy moderates the relationship between impulsivity -related traits and alcohol use. *Experimental and Clinical Psychopharmacology*, 521-529.

2011

2. **Yurasek, A.M.**, Murphy, J.G., Dennhardt, A., Skidmore, J.R., Buscemi, J., McCausland, C., & Martens, M.P. (2011). Drinking motives mediate the relationship between reinforcing efficacy and alcohol consumption and problems. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, 72, 991-999.
3. Buscemi, J., Martens, M.P., Murphy, J.G., **Yurasek, A.M.**, & Smith, A.E. (2011). Moderators of the relationship between physical activity and alcohol consumption in college students. *Journal of American College Health*, 59, 503-509.

2012

4. Buscemi, J., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Dennhardt, A.A., Martens, M.P., & Murphy, J. G. (2012). A randomized trial of a brief intervention for obesity in college students. *Clinical Obesity*, 1, 131-140.

2013

5. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Murphy, J. G., Hum, A. M., Dennhardt, A. A., & MacKillop, J. (2013). Smokers report greater demand for alcohol on a behavioral economic purchase task. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, 629-634.
6. Murphy, J. G., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Dennhardt, A. A., Skidmore, J. R., McDevitt-Murphy, M. E., MacKillop, J., & Martens, M. P. (2013). Symptoms of depression and PTSD are associated with elevated alcohol demand. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*, 127, 129-136.

2014

7. Murphy, J. G., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Meshesha, L. Z., Dennhardt, A. A., MacKillop, J., Skidmore, J. R., & Martens, M. P. (2014). Family history of problem drinking is associated with less sensitivity of alcohol demand to a next-day contingency. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, 75, 653-663.

2015

8. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Dennhardt, A. A., & Murphy, J. G. (2015). A randomized controlled trial of a behavioral economic intervention for substance abuse. *Experimental and Clinical Psychopharmacology*, 23, 332-338.
9. Dennhardt, A. A., **Yurasek, A. M.**, & Murphy, J. G. (2015). Change in delay discounting and substance reward value following a brief alcohol and drug use intervention. *Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior*, 103, 125-140.
10. Amlung, M., **Yurasek, A. M.**, McCarty, K. N., MacKillop, J., & Murphy, J. G. (2015). Area under the curve as a novel metric of behavioral economic demand for alcohol. *Experimental and Clinical Psychopharmacology*.
11. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Borsari, B., Magill, M., Mastroleo, N. R., Hustad, J. T. P., O'Leary Tevyaw, T., Barnett, N. P., Kahler, C. W., Monti, P. M. (2015). Descriptive norms and expectancies as mediators of a brief motivational intervention for mandated college students receiving stepped care for alcohol use. *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors*.
12. Murphy, J. G., Dennhardt, A. D., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Skidmore, A. Y., Martens, M. P., MacKillop, J. & McDevitt-Murphy, M. E. (2015) Behavioral Economic Mediators and Moderators of Brief Alcohol Intervention Outcomes. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*.

2016

13. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Hadley, W. (2016). Adolescent marijuana use and mental health amidst a changing legal climate. *The Journal of Pediatric Psychology*. Advance online publication.
14. **Yurasek, A.M.**, Robinson, L.A., & Parra, G. (2016). Ethnic and Gender Differences in Strategies Used by Adolescents When Attempting to Quit or Reduce Smoking *Journal of Child and Adolescent Substance Abuse*. Advance online publication.

15. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Miller, M. B., Mastroleo, N. R., Lazar, V., & Borsari, B. (2016). Pregaming, Drinking Duration, and Movement as Unique Predictors of Alcohol Use and Cognitions among Mandated College Students. *Substance Use & Misuse*, *51*, 993-1001.
16. Miller, M. B, **Yurasek, A. M.**, Mastroleo, N. R., & Borsari, B. (2016). Summer versus school-year alcohol involvement among mandated college students. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, *77* (1), 51-57.
17. Borsari, B., Merrill, J., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Miller, M. B., & Carey, K. B. (In Press) Does a Brief Motivational Intervention Reduce Frequency of Pregaming in Mandated Students? *Substance Use and Misuse*.
18. Miller, M. B., Borsari, B., Fernandez, A., **Yurasek, A. M.**, & Hustad, J. T. P. (In Press). Drinking location and pre-gaming as predictors of alcohol intoxication among mandated college students. *Substance Use and Misuse*.
19. Borsari, B., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Murphy, J. G., McDevitt-Murphy, M. E., Darcy, M., Martens, M., & Carey, K. B. (In press). Student service members/veterans on the college campus: A comprehensive review. *The American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*.
20. Borsari, B., Apodaca, T. R., **Yurasek, A. M.**, & Monti, P. M. (In Press). Does mental status impact therapist and client communication in emergency room brief motivational interventions? *Journal of Studies on Alcohol Treatment*

PUBLICATIONS SUBMITTED

1. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Merrill, J., Metrik, J., Miller, M. B., Fernandez, A., & Borsari, B. (Under Review). Marijuana use in the context of a brief alcohol intervention for mandated college students. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*.
2. Fernandez, A. C., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Merrill, J. E., Miller, M. B., Zamboanga, B. L., Carey, K., Borsari, B. (Under Review). Do Brief Motivational Interventions Reduce Drinking Game Frequency in Mandated Students? *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors*.
3. Fernandez, A. C., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Borsari, B., Prochaska, J. O. (Under Review). HPV vaccine completion and refusal among college students: Theory-based and self-reported predictors. *Health Education Research*

CHAPTERS AND BOOKS

1. Dennhardt, A. A., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Murphy, J. G. (2013). Motivational Interviewing. In R. Cautin & S. Lilienfeld (Eds.), *The Encyclopedia of Clinical Psychology*. Wiley-Blackwell.
2. Murphy, J. G., Dennhardt, A. A., & **Yurasek, A. M.** (in press). In N. Heather, and G. Segal (Eds.) *Addiction and Choice: Rethinking the Relationship. Behavioural economics as a framework for brief motivational interventions to reduce addictive behaviours*. Oxford University Press.

PUBLICATIONS IN PREPARATION

1. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Nestor, B., Graves, H., Hernandez, L., & Spirito, A. (in preparation). *The effects of parent, sibling, and peer substance use on adolescent drinking behaviors.*
2. Liu, R. T., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Case, B. G., & Spirito, A. (in preparation). *Substance use disorder symptoms and service use in US adolescents.*
3. Monahan, C. J., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Williams, J., Clark, K., McDevitt-Murphy, M (in preparation). *A prospective evaluation of PTSD symptoms following CPAP treatment for sleep-disordered breathing in veterans.*

SYMPOSIA AND OTHER INVITED TALKS

1. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Pedrelli, P., Murphy, J. G., & Dennhardt, A. A. (2014, May). *Addressing Behavioral Economic and Stress Related Variables to Reduce Substance Abuse in a Diverse College Sample.* Paper presented at the Alcoholism and Stress: A Framework for Future Treatment Strategies, Volterra, Italy.
2. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Murphy, J. B., & Dennhardt, A. A. (2014, February). *A Randomized Controlled Trial of a Behavioral Economic Intervention for Substance Abuse in a Diverse College Sample.* Paper presented at the Collaborative Perspectives on Addiction Conference, Atlanta, GA.
3. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Murphy, J. G., Dennhardt, A. A., Skidmore, J. R., Martens, M. P., & McDevitt-Murphy. (2012, November). *Alcohol demand as a mechanism of change in brief motivational interventions.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Psychology, National Harbor, Maryland.
4. Murphy, J. G., Dennhardt, A. A., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Skidmore, J. R., Martens, M. P., & McDevitt-Murphy, M.E. (2012, November). *Delay Discounting as a Mechanism of Change in Brief Alcohol Interventions for College Students.* In A. A. Dennhardt (Chair) Behavioral Mechanisms of Change in Substance Abuse Treatment Symposium presented at the 2012 Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies Annual Convention. National Harbor, MD
5. Hum, A. M., Robinson, L. A., Jackson, A. A., Ali, K. S., & **Yurasek, A. M.** (2010, April). *Ethnic differences in the impact of physician behaviors on adolescent smoking.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Seattle, Washington.
6. **Yurasek, A.M.**, Robinson, L.A., Jackson, A.A., & Ali, K.S. (2009, April). *Strategies used spontaneously by teens to quit smoking.* Paper Presented at the 2009 national convention of the Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco, Dublin, Ireland.

PEER REVIEWED POSTER PRESENTATIONS

1. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Nestor, B., Graves, H., Hernandez, L., & Spirito, A. (October, 2016). *The effects of parent, sibling, and peer substance use on adolescent drinking behaviors.* Poster accepted for presentation at the 2016 Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies Annual Convention, New York, NY.
2. Fernandez, A.C., **Yurasek, A.M.**, Merrill, J. E., Miller, M., Zamboanga, B. L., Carey, K.B., Borsari, B. (June, 2015). *Can brief motivational interventions reduce drinking game participation? Examination of data from two randomized trials.* Poster presented at the 39th annual meeting of the Research Society on

Alcoholism, June 25 – June 29, 2016, New Orleans, LA.

3. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Merrill, J., Miller, M. B., Carey, K., & Borsari, B. (2015, November). *Does a Brief Motivational Intervention Reduce Frequency of Pregaming in Mandated Students?* Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Chicago, Illinois.
4. Miller, M. B., Borsari, B., Fernandez, A., **Yurasek, A.**, & Hustad, J. T. P. (2015, November). *Is It Where or How that Matters? Drinking Location and Pregaming as Predictors of Level of Intoxication.* Poster presented at the annual convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Chicago, Illinois.
5. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Fernandez, A., Miller, M. B., Metrik, J., & Borsari, B. (2015, June). *Do Alcohol-focused Interventions Reduce Marijuana Use in Mandated College Students?* Poster presented at the 2014 College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Convention. Phoenix, AZ.
6. Fernandez, A. C., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Jackson, K. M., Apodaca, T. R., Mastroleo, N., Magill, M., Barnett, N. P., Miller, M.B., Carey, K.B., Borsari, B. *Profiles of Change Language in Brief Motivational Interventions for Mandated College Students.* Poster presented at the 2015 Research Society of Alcoholism Annual Convention. San Diego, CA.
7. Miller, M. B., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Mastroleo, N. R., & Borsari, B. (2015, June) Summer versus School-Year Alcohol Involvement Among Mandated College Students. Poster presented at the 2015 Research Society of Alcoholism Annual Convention. San Diego, CA.
8. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Borsari, B., Peterson, C., Wheeler, H., Mastroleo, N., Muprhy, J. G., McDevitt-Murphy, M., Martens, & Carey, K. B. (2014, November). *Student Veterans on the College Campus: A Comprehensive Review.* Poster presented at the 2014 Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies Annual Convention. Philadelphia, PA.
9. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Fernandez, A. C., Magill, M., Mastroleo, N., Hustad, J. T. P., & Borsari, B. (2014, June). *Investigating Potential Mediators of a Brief Motivational Intervention with Mandated College Students.* Poster presented at the 2014 Research Society of Alcoholism Annual Convention in Bellevue, Washington.
10. Fernandez, A. C., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Jackson, K. M., Apodaca, T. R., Mastroleo, N., & Magill, M. (2014, June). *In-Session Processes of a Brief Motivational Intervention for Mandated College Student Drinkers: A Two Site Trial.* Poster presented at the 2014 Research Society of Alcoholism Annual Convention in Bellevue, Washington.
11. Amlung, M., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Murphy, J. M., & MacKillop, J (2014, June). *Investigating Drinking Motives as Moderators of Increased Subjective Craving and Behavioral Economic Value of Alcohol Under Acute Stress.* Poster presented at the 2014 Research Society of Alcoholism Annual Convention in Bellevue, Washington.
12. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Murphy, J. G., Amlung, M., & MacKillop, J. (2013, November). *Area Under the Curve as a Measure of Alcohol Demand.* Poster presented at the 2013 Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies Annual Convention, Nashville, TN.
13. Dennhardt, A. A., Yurasek, A. M., & Murphy, J. G. (2013, November). *The Reinforcing Efficacy of Alcohol*

and Change after a Brief Intervention. Poster presented at the 2013 Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies Annual Convention, Nashville, TN

14. **Yurasek, A. M.,** Murphy, J. B., & Dennhardt, A. A. (2013, September). *A Randomized Controlled Trial of a Behavioral Economic Intervention for Substance Abuse in a Diverse College Sample.* Poster presented at the 30th Anniversary for the Brown University Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies, Providence, RI.
15. **Yurasek, A. M.,** Murphy, J. G., Hum, A. M., Dennhardt, A. A., & Mackillop, J. (2012, April). *Smokers report greater demand for alcohol on a behavioral economic purchase task.* Poster presented at the 2012 annual Society for Behavioral Medicine conference, New Orleans, Louisiana.
16. **Yurasek, A. M.,** Murphy, J. G., Dennhardt, A. A., Mackillop, J., Skidmore, J. R., & Martens, M. P. (2012, June). *The relationship between depressive symptoms and alcohol demand.* Poster presented at the 2012 annual Research Society on Alcoholism conference, San Francisco, California.
17. Gilbert, L. G., **Yurasek, A. M.,** Murphy, J. G. (2012, June). *A behavioral economic analysis of the effect of next-day responsibilities on drinking.* Poster presented at the 2012 annual Research Society on Alcoholism conference, San Francisco, California
18. Simmons, J. L., Murphy, J. G., Dennhardt, A. A., & **Yurasek, A. M.** (2012, June). *Risk factors for drinking and among heavy drinking college students.* Poster presented at the 2012 annual Research Society on Alcoholism conference, San Francisco, California
19. **Yurasek, A. M.,** Murphy, J. G., Dennhardt, A. A., Gilbert, L., Simmons, J., Skidmore, J. R., Mackillop, J., & Martens, M. P. (2012, August). *Symptoms of depression and PTSD in relation to alcohol demand.* Poster presented at the 2012 annual American Psychological Association, Orlando, Florida.
20. Brooks, R.J., Dennhardt, A.A., **Yurasek, A.M.,** Bracken-Minor, K.L., Parra, G.R., McDevitt-Murphy, M.E., & Murphy, J.G. (2012, November). *Don't cry over spilled drinks: The effect of emotion regulation difficulties on alcohol related problems.* Poster accepted for presentation at the 2012 annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, National Harbor, Maryland.
21. **Yurasek, A. M.,** Murphy, J. G., Skidmore, J. R., Dennhardt, A. A., & Martens, M. P. (2011, November). *Family history of problem drinking is associated with less sensitivity of alcohol demand to next-day responsibilities.* Poster presented at the 2011 annual convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Toronto, Canada.
22. **Yurasek, A. M.,** Murphy, J. G., Dennhardt, A. A., Skidmore, J.R., & Martens, M.P. (2011, June). *Drug use outcomes among college students who reduce heavy episodic drinking.* Poster presented at the 2011 annual Research Society on Alcoholism, Atlanta, GA.
23. **Yurasek, A.M.,** Jackson, A.A., Buscemi, J., & Murphy, J. G. (2010, June). *Utilization of computerized smoking cessation programs among college students.* Poster presented at The World Congress of Behavioral Cognitive therapy, Boston, MA.
24. Buscemi, J., Murphy, J. G., **Yurasek, A. M.,** Pederson, A. A., & Martens, M. P. (2010, November). *A randomized clinical trial of a brief motivational intervention for obesity in college.* Poster presented at the 2010 annual convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, San Francisco, CA.

25. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Robinson, L. A., Jackson, A. A., Hum, A. M. (2010, November). *Smoking Cessation strategies preferred and utilized by adolescents*. Poster presented at the 2010 annual convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, San Francisco, CA.
26. Hum, A. M., Robinson, L. A., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Jackson, A. A., & Ali, K. S. (2010, November). *The impact of physician behaviors on smoking among teens with asthma*. Poster presented at the 44th Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies. San Francisco, California.
27. Jackson, A. A., Robinson, L. A., Hum, A. M., **Yurasek, A. M.**, & Ali, K. S. (2010, November). *Perceived barriers to adolescent smoking cessation*. Poster presented at the 44th Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies. San Francisco, California.
28. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Robinson, L. A., Jackson, A. A., Hum, A. M., & Ali, K. S. (2010, April). *Smoking cessation strategies used by adolescents who are cutting down vs. quitting*. Poster presented at the Society for Behavioral Medicine, Seattle, Washington.
29. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Buscemi, J., Smith, A. E., Skidmore, J. R., Martens, M. P., & Murphy, J. G. *Drinking motives as mediators of the relationship between relative reinforcement value and alcohol consumption*. (2009, November). Poster presented at the 2009 annual convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, NY.
30. Buscemi, J., Smith, A. E., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Martens, M. P., & Murphy, J. G. (2009, November). *Moderators of the relationship between physical activity and alcohol consumption in college students*. Poster presented at the 2009 annual convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, NY.
31. Smith, A. E., Buscemi, J., **Yurasek, A. M.**, Skidmore, J. R., Martens, M. P., Murphy, J. G. (2009, November). *Relative reinforcing value moderates the relationship between impulsivity and alcohol use*. Poster presented at the 2009 annual convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, NY.
32. Robinson, L. A., Jackson, A. A., Ali, K. S., & **Yurasek, A. M.** (2009, April). *Parental attitudes toward tobacco use predict offsprings' smoking habits in young adulthood*. Poster presented at the 2009 national convention of the Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco, Dublin, Ireland.
33. **Yurasek, A.M.**, Fox, R., & May, R. K. (2008). *Family history, sensation seeking and impulsivity as predictors of alcohol abuse*. Poster presented at 2008 Tennessee Psychological Association Conference, Nashville, TN.
34. **Yurasek, A. M.**, & May, R. K. (2007). *Perceptions of aggression in high school children using the Middle Eastern ethnicity*. Poster presented at the 2008 Midwestern Psychological Association Conference, Chicago, IL.
35. **Yurasek, A. M.**, & May, R. K. (2007). *Perceptions of aggression in high school children using the Middle Eastern ethnicity: A research proposal*. Poster presented at the 2007 Tri-State Psychology Conference, Huntington, WV.

PRESENTATIONS

1. Monahan, C. J., & **Yurasek, A. M** (2011, October). *At Risk Behavior Class*. Invited speaker for behavior change seminar for individuals awaiting trial for solicitation charges, Memphis City Pretrial Services, Memphis, TN.
2. **Yurasek, A. M.**, & De Fouw, J. (2011, July). *New student orientation: Student Health Services*. Presentation for incoming University of Memphis students and parents, Student Health Services, The University of Memphis, TN.
3. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Peasant, C., & De Fouw, J. (2010, September). *Healthy behaviors with college students*. Presentation for residence life and college students, Student Health Services, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN.
4. **Yurasek, A. M.**, & De Fouw, J. (2010, September). *Alcohol use in college students*. Presentation for residence life to prevent and educate college students on risky drinking, Student Health Services, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN
5. **Yurasek, A. M.**, & De Fouw, J. (2010, October). *Stress management*. Presentation for student services on managing stress as a college student, Student Health Services, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN.
6. **Yurasek, A. M.** (2010, March). *Strategies used spontaneously by teens to quit smoking*. Presentation at Clinical Forum, Department of Psychology, The University of Memphis, Memphis, TN.

INVITED TRAININGS AND PRESENTATIONS

1. **Yurasek, A. M.**, Conrad, Selby (2016, January). *Motivational Interviewing and Brief Interventions*. Invited Speaker to present to Child Psychiatry fellows on using motivational interviewing, screening and brief interventions. Bradley Hospital, East Providence, RI.
2. **Yurasek, A. M.** (2016, January). *Motivational Interviewing*. Invited Speaker to present on using MI with juvenile justice involved youth at a monthly forensic training for probation officers, social workers, clinicians, and staff. Rhode Island Training School, Cranston, RI.
3. **Yurasek, A. M.**, & Conrad, S. (2015, August). *Motivational Interviewing and Brief Interventions for Substance Abuse*. Invited Speaker to train physicians and trainees on using motivational interviewing. Rhode Island Training School, Cranston, RI.
4. **Yurasek, A. M.**, & Becker, S. (2015, January). *Adolescent Substance Use: Epidemiology, Practice Guidelines, and Clinical Challenges*. Invited speaker for Developmental-Behavioral Pediatric Fellows, Brown University

RESEARCH SUPPORT

Research Support under Review

K23 DA041591-01A1

Yurasek (PI) Submitted 02/2016

A Behavioral Economic Intervention to Reduce Marijuana Use in Truant Youth

Role: Principal Investigator

Ongoing Research Support

NIH Loan Repayment Grant, NIDA

Yurasek (PI) 7/16-6/18

A Behavioral Economic Intervention to Reduce Marijuana Use in Truant Youth

The goal of this project is to adapt a single session BE intervention that involves truant youth and their parents (Substance Free Activity Session-Parental; SFAS-P). This project will examine the acceptability, feasibility, and initial efficacy of the SFAS-P with truant youth who are referred to a specialty court program.

Role: Principal Investigator

Completed Research Support

T32 DA016184

Rohsenow (PI) 07/01/14 – 06/30/16

Substance Abuse Intervention Outcome Research Training

This is a National Research Service Award geared toward training future clinical scientists in the conduct of substance abuse research.

Role: Postdoctoral Fellow (Mentors: Anthony Spirito, PhD & Brian Borsari, PhD)

3rd Millennium Classroom Research Grant

Yurasek (PI) 1/12-8/13

A Randomized Clinical Trial Examining an Online Alcohol Prevention Program.

The goal of this project was to examine an online alcohol prevention program (Alcohol-Wise) relative to an assessment only control group in an ethnically diverse college sample.

Role: Principal Investigator (Mentor: James Murphy, PhD)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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| 2012-2013 | Project Director, NIAAA Grant RO1 AA020829, University of Memphis (PI: Murphy) |
| 2011-2013 | Graduate Research Assistant and Clinical Interventionist, NIAAA Grant R21 AA016304-01A2, University of Memphis (PI: Murphy) |
| 2008-2010 | Graduate Research Assistant, ABMRF Grant, University of Memphis (PI: Murphy) |

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

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| 8/2014-6/2016 | Rhode Island Training School
Substance Abuse Unit
Individual and Group Therapist |
| 7/2013 – 6/2014 | Predoctoral Intern, Clinical Psychology
Brown Medical School, Providence, RI
Butler Hospital, Partial Hospital Program
VA Medical Hospital, Substance Abuse Treatment Program
Butler Hospital, Women's Partial Program |
| 2009 – 2012 | University of Memphis, Psychology Services Center
Individual Therapist in Community Clinic |

2011	Memphis Veteran Affairs Medical Center SCI Unit/Mental Health Clinic Individual and Group Therapist
2008-2013	Health, Addiction and Behavioral Intervention Team, University of Memphis Clinical Interventionist
2010-2011	University of Memphis, Student Health Services Behavior Change Specialist
2009-2010	Project Legacy, University of Memphis Smoking Cessation Interventionist
2009-2010	College Health and Fitness Study, University of Memphis Weight Loss Interventionist
2008-2011	Tigers Feel Great Outreach Program, University of Memphis Group Therapist for Weight Loss

UNIVERSITY TEACHING ROLES

Guest lecturer, Schizophrenia and Other Psychotic Disorders Brown University, Summer at Brown Program, Providence, RI	July 24, 2015
Teaching assistant, Abnormal Psychology Brown University, Summer at Brown Program, Providence, RI	Summer 2015
Guest lecturer, Empirically Supported Treatments for Substance Use Disorders Department of Psychology, Connecticut College, New London, CT	October, 27, 2014
Teaching assistant, Research and Statistics Department of Psychology, University of Memphis, Memphis, TN	Spring, 2012
Teaching assistant, Clinical Assessment Department of Psychology, University of Memphis, Memphis, TN	Fall, 2011
Teaching assistant, Psychology of Good and Evil Department of Psychology, Marietta College, Marietta, OH	Winter, 2007

MENTORING EXPERIENCE

Brown University Clinical Psychology Training Consortium (Forensic Rotation) Clinical Psychology Internship Supervisor/Mentor	2015-2016
University of Florida, Health Education and Behavior Department Major Professor Shipway, Bethan (PhD Expected 2020)	2016