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EDUCATION

Post-doctoral Fellowship:	Brown Medical School
Specialty:	NIH F32 NRSA (NIDDK), Obesity research
Attended:	2008-2010
Internship:	Brown Medical School
Specialty:	Behavioral Medicine, obesity research
Attended:	2007-2008
Graduate:	Kent State University
Major Field:	Clinical Psychology
Minor Field:	Health Psychology
Degrees:	Master of Arts, 2004 Doctor of Philosophy, 2008
Undergraduate:	State University of New York at Binghamton
Major Field:	Psychology
Degree:	Bachelor of Arts, 2002

HONORS & AWARDS

Citation Award for, "Serious games for weight loss: A novel approach to attract, engage, and promote weight loss in high-risk young adults," The Society of Behavioral Medicine's 37th Annual Meeting, Washington DC, March 2016.

Invited Faculty Member, NIH OBSSR / NHLBI Summer Institute on the Design and Conduct of Randomized Clinical Trials Involving Behavioral Interventions. Coordinator: Peter Kaufmann, PhD, Deputy Chief, Clinical Applications and Prevention Branch, NHLBI, 2013-2015

The Obesity Society's Annual Award for Excellence in Science with a Focus on eHealth / mHealth, 2013

Research Mentor Award, Brown Alpert Medical School's Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, 2012-2013

The Obesity Society's Annual Award for Excellence in Science with a Focus on eHealth / mHealth, 2012

NIH OBSSR / NHLBI 2011 Summer Institute on the Design and Conduct of Randomized Clinical Trials Involving Behavioral Interventions, distinguished Fellow

NIH Loan Repayment Program, NIDDK, 2009-2012

NIH Ruth L. Kirschstein Award (F32), 2008-2010

The Obesity Society's Pat Simmons Travel Grant, 2007

Lillian Friedman Fellowship, 2006-2007

Kent State University Research Fellowship Award, 2006-2007

Northeastern Ohio College of Medicine Best Student Research Presentation, 2006

Kent State University Best Student Research Award, 2006

Kent State University-wide Distinguished Teaching Award, 2005

GRANTS

AWARDED GRANTS

- 1) NIDDK: R01 DK05674614
"Internet assisted obesity treatment: Enhanced by financial incentives"
08/01/2015-07/31/2020
\$3,444,620
Consultant
- 2) PMCC Innovation Fund
"Financial incentives for exercise adherence in cardiac rehabilitation"
10/15/2014-10/14/2015
\$147,141
Co-Investigator
- 3) NIDDK: R01 DK 10366801
"Low intensity weight loss for young adults: Autonomous vs. extrinsic motivation"
09/01/2014-08/31/2019
\$3,531,253
Principal Investigator of Subcontract
- 4) NIDDK: U01 DK056992 14
"Action for Health in Diabetes Continuation (Look AHEAD)"

09/01/13-08/15/14
\$851,685
Co-Investigator

- 5) NIDDK: R01 DK095771
“A randomized trial testing lay health coaches for obesity treatment”
07/01/12 – 06/30/17
\$2,185,112
Principal Investigator
- 6) NIDDK: U01 DK056992
“Study of Health Outcomes of Weight Loss-SHOW Trial”
08/01/12 – 07/31/13
\$1,205,573
Behavioral Specialist
- 7) NIDDK: R01 DK087704
“Acceptance-based behavioral intervention for weight loss: A randomized trial”
04/01/11 – 08/15/15
\$1,570,396
Co-Investigator
- 8) NIDDK: R18 DK083248
“Using a statewide initiative to disseminate effective behavioral weight loss strategies”
04/01/10 – 03/31/15
\$1,100,546
Principal Investigator of Subcontract, Co-Investigator
- 9) NHLBI: RC1 HL100002
“Innovative technology to improve patient adherence to weight loss recommendations”
09/30/09-07/31/11
\$930,320
Co-Investigator
- 10) NCI: U01 CA150387
“Increasing Sleep Duration: A Novel Approach to Weight Control”
09/28/09-08/31/15
\$3,729,255
Co-Investigator (2010-2014), Consultant (2014-2015)
- 11) NIDDK: F32 DK082128
“A social comparison intervention to enhance weight loss in obese individuals”
08/14/08 – 08/13/11
\$145,818
Principal Investigator
- 12) SUNY Binghamton Undergraduate Research Grant: Unnumbered
“Self-mutilation and disordered eating”

08/15/01-08/14/02
\$1,000
Principal Investigator

PENDING / SUBMITTED GRANTS

- 1) NIH: R42
“Development and evaluation of an evidence-based weight loss game for young adults”
09/01/2015-8/31/2018
\$1,149,119
Principal Investigator
- 2) NIH: R41
“Development of an evidence-based internet weight loss maintenance game”
09/01/2015-08/31/2016
\$149,626
Principal Investigator
- 3) NIH: R01
“A behavioral economics approach to weight loss maintenance”
07/01/2015-06/30/2010
\$3,555,194
Principal Investigator
- 4) NIH: R01 AG051029
“Stress, self-regulation, health behavior habits, and health disparities in mid-life”
07/01/2015 – 06/31/2020
\$3,216,445
Co-Investigator
- 5) NIH: R01
“Self-regulation assays to understand the intention-health behavior gap”
10/01/2015 – 09/31/2020
\$4,056,104
Co-Investigator

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Associate Professor
Department of Allied Health Sciences
University of Connecticut
2014-present

Adjunct Professor
Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior
Brown Medical School

2014-present

Assistant Professor (Research)
Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior
Brown Medical School
2010-2014

Lecturer
Department of Psychology
Kent State University
2006

Instructor
Department of Psychology
Kent State University
2004-2006

HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

Staff Psychologist
Centers for Behavioral and Preventive Medicine
The Miriam Hospital
Providence, RI
2010-2014

Behavioral Specialist
Department of Psychiatry
SUMMA Health Systems
Akron, OH
2006-2007

OTHER APPOINTMENTS

GRANT REVIEWS

Co-Chair, NIH Psychosocial Risk and Disease Prevention Study Section (PRDP), R01, R03, and R21 mechanisms (October, 2015). CSR Scientific Review Officer, Stacey Fitzsimmons.

Invited External NIH Grant Reviewer, University of South Carolina, 2015.

Scientific Reviewer, Center for Health Intervention and Prevention and Connecticut Children's Seed Grants, 2015.

Standing Member, NIH Psychosocial Risk and Disease Prevention Study Section (PRDP), R01, R03, and R21 mechanisms (August, 2013-July, 2017). CSR Scientific Review Officer, Stacey Fitzsimmons.

Invited External NIH Grant Reviewer, University of Houston, 2012.

Ad-hoc Member, NIH Psychosocial Risk and Disease Prevention Study Section (PRDP), R01, R03, and R21 mechanisms (May, 2012). CSR Scientific Review Officer, Stacey Fitzsimmons.

EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBERSHIP / SCIENTIFIC REVIEWER

Invited Scientific Session Co-Chair, Society of Behavioral Medicine, Weight Loss Maintenance, 2016.

Data and Safety Officer for NIH grant R34 DK100981, "TEEN JOIN: A scalable weight control intervention for adolescents," 2014-2016.

Invited Scientific Session Chair, Society of Behavioral Medicine, Weight management and weight loss, 2015.

Chief Scientist, Waybetter, Inc., 2014-present

Invited Scientific Reviewer, University of Connecticut's College of Agriculture, Health, and Natural Resources' Research Forum, 2014.

Invited Scientific Session Co-Chair, Society of Behavioral Medicine, Evaluations of weight loss interventions, 2014.

Obesity and Eating Disorders Special Interest Group Student Awards Committee Abstract Reviewer, Society of Behavioral Medicine, 2014.

Invited Abstract Reviewer, Medicine 2.0: Social Media, Mobile Apps, and Internet/Web 2.0 in Health Medicine and Biomedical Research Conference, 2014.

Invited Scientific Reviewer, NIH/NIDDK's Weight Control Information Network: *Getting on Track: Physical Activity and Healthy Eating for Men*, 2014.

Expert Advisory Board, DietBet, Inc., 2013-2014.

Editorial Board, *Journal of Psychology, Neuropsychiatric Disorders, and Brain Stimulation*, 2013-present.

Editorial Board, *Journal of Neurology and Psychology*, 2013-present.

Invited Scientific Reviewer, NIH/NIDDK's Weight Control Information Network: *Tips to Help you Get Active*, 2013.

Invited Abstract Reviewer, The Obesity Society, 2013.

Member, Standing Reviewer, *The Journal of the American Dietetic Association*, 2012-present.

Scientific Advisory Board, *Journal of Behavioral Health*, 2012-present.

Lead Editor, Special Section: Social networks and obesity, *Journal of Obesity*, 2012-2013.

Invited Member, Society of Behavioral Medicine Rapid Submission Abstract Review Committee, 2012, 2013.

Technical Expert, Comparative effectiveness review on approaches to weight maintenance in adults, John Hopkins University Evidence-based Practice Center, 2012.

Invited Member, Harvard Medical School's 5th World Congress on Social Media, Mobile Apps, and Internet/Web 2.0 Conference Abstract Review Committee, 2012.

Ad-Hoc Reviewer

<i>Appetite</i>	<i>Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health</i>
<i>BMC Family Practice</i>	<i>Journal of Medical Internet Research</i>
<i>BMC Public Health (x1)</i>	<i>Journal of Obesity</i>
<i>BMC Medical Research Methodology</i>	<i>Journal of Psychosomatic Research</i>
<i>Behavior Therapy</i>	<i>Journal of the Society for Clinical Trials</i>
<i>Body Image</i>	<i>New England Journal of Medicine</i>
<i>Clinical Nutrition</i>	<i>Nutrients</i>
<i>Contemporary Clinical Trials (x1)</i>	<i>Nutrition Journal</i>
<i>Diabetes Research and Clinical Practice</i>	<i>Obesity</i>
<i>European Journal of Clinical Nutrition</i>	<i>Patient Education and Counseling</i>
<i>Health Education and Behavior</i>	<i>Preventive Medicine</i>
<i>Health Psychology</i>	<i>Social Science and Medicine</i>
<i>International Journal of Obesity</i>	<i>Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases</i>
<i>Journal of Behavioral Health</i>	<i>Translational Behavioral Medicine</i>
<i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i>	<i>Western Journal of Nursing Research</i>
<i>Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology</i>	

HOSPITAL COMMITTEES

Clinical Psychology Internship Admissions Committee – Obesity Research
Brown Medical School
Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior
Weight Control and Diabetes Research Center
2008-2013

Clinical Psychology Internship Admissions Committee – Behavioral Medicine Track
Brown Medical School
Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior
2007-2008

UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES

College of Agriculture Health and Natural Resources Annual Retreat Working Group
University of Connecticut
2015-2016

Department Head Search Committee
University of Connecticut
Department of Allied Health Sciences
2014-2015

Graduate Certificate Subcommittee
University of Connecticut
Department of Allied Health Sciences
2014-2015

Substance Abuse Faculty Search Committee Student Representative
Kent State University
Department of Psychology
2005-2006

Clinical Training Committee Student Representative
Kent State University
Department of Psychology
2005-2006

MEMBERSHIP IN SOCIETIES

The Obesity Society, 2007-present
Society of Behavioral Medicine, 2011-present
American Psychological Association, 2001-present

PUBLICATION LIST

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

*=student/mentee

- 1) Demos, K.E., **Leahey, T.M.**, Hart, C.N., Trautvetter, J., Coward, P.R., Duszlack, J., & Wing, R.R. (in press). A pilot randomized controlled trial testing the effects of a routine-based intervention on outcomes in a behavioral weight loss program. *Obesity Science and Practice*.
- 2) Unick, J., Dorfman, L., **Leahey, T.M.**, Wing, R.R. (in press). A preliminary investigation into whether early intervention can improve weight loss among those initially non-responsive to an Internet-based behavioral program. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*.
- 3) Mitchell, M.*, Goodman, J., Alter, D., Oh, P., **Leahey, T.M.**, & Faulkner, G.E. (in press). A feasibility study of financial incentives to increase exercise among Canadian cardiac rehabilitation patients. *Archives of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation*.
- 4) **Leahey, T. M.**, Xu, X.*, Doyle, C.*, Bihuniak, J., Wing, R. R. (2015). Social networks and social norms are associated with obesity treatment outcomes. *Obesity*, 23, 1550-1554.
- 5) Unick, J. **Leahey, T.M.**, Kent, K.*, Wing, R. R. (2015). Examination of whether early weight loss predicts 1-year weight loss among those enrolled in an Internet-based weight loss program. *International Journal of Obesity*. [Epub ahead of print]
- 6) Lillis, J., Neimeier, H. M., Middleton, K., Thomas, T. G., **Leahey, T.**, Unick J., Kendra, K. E., Wing, R. R. (2015). Weight loss intervention for individuals with high internal

disinhibition: Design of the Acceptance Based Behavioral Intervention (ABBI) randomized controlled trial. *BMC Psychology*, 3, 17-27.

- 7) Xu, X.* , Demos, K., **Leahey, T.M.**, Hart, C., Trautvetter, J., Coward, P., Middleton, K., Wing, R.R. (2015). Failure to replicate depletion of self-control. *Plos One*, 9, 1-5.
- 8) Thomas, J. G., **Leahey, T.M.**, & Wing, R. R. (2015). An automated internet behavioral weight-loss program by physician referral: A randomized controlled trial. *Diabetes Care*, 38, 9-15.
- 9) **Leahey, T.M.**, Subak L. L., Fava, J., Schembri, M., Thomas, J. G., Xu, X.* , Krupel, K., Kent, K.* , Boguszewski, K.* , Kumar, R., Weinberg, B., & Wing, R. R. (2015). Benefits of adding small financial incentives or optional group meetings to a web-based statewide obesity initiative. *Obesity*, 23, 70-76.
- 10) Rancourt, D.* , **Leahey, T. M.**, & Crowther, J. H. (2015). Effects of weight-focused social comparisons on diet and activity outcomes in overweight and obese women. *Obesity*, 23, 85-89.
- 11) **Leahey, T.M.**, Xu, X., Unick, J., Wing, R. R. (2014). A preliminary investigation of the role of self-control in behavioral weight loss treatment. *Obesity Research and Clinical Practice*, 8, 115-200. (PMID: Pending)
- 12) Wing, R.R., **Leahey, T.M.**, Jeffery, R., Coday, M., Hill, J. O., Johnson, K. C., Espeland, M. A., & the Look AHEAD Research Group (2014). Do weight loss and adherence cluster within behavioral treatment groups? *Obesity*, 22, 638-44. (PMID: Pending)
- 13) **Leahey, T.M.**, Thomas, J. G., Fava, J., Subak, L., Schembri, M., Krupel, K., Weinberg, B., Kumar, R., & Wing, R. R. (2014). Adding evidence-based behavioral weight loss strategies to a statewide wellness campaign: A randomized clinical trial. *American Journal of Public Health*, 104, 1300-1306.
- 14) **Leahey, T. M.**, Rosen, J. (2014). DietBet: A web-based program that uses social gaming and financial incentives to promote weight loss. *Journal of Medical Internet Research: Serious Games*, 2, 2-8.
- 15) Wing, R. R., **Leahey, T. M.**, Espeland, M. (2014). Response to: "Clustering effects in group based-behavioral weight loss trials." *Obesity*, 22, 1771.
- 16) **Leahey, T.M.** & Wing, R.R. (2013). A randomized controlled pilot study testing three types of health coaches for obesity treatment: Professional, peer, and mentor. *Obesity*, 21, 928-34. (PMCID: PMC3484232)
- 17) LaRose, J., **Leahey, T. M.**, Hill, J. O., & Wing, R. R. (2013). Differences in motivations and weight loss behaviors in young adults and older adults in the National Weight Control Registry. *Obesity*, 21, 449-53. (PMCID: 3630273)
- 18) Luce, K. H., Crowther, J. H., **Leahey, T. M.**, Buchholz, L. J. (2013). Do restrained eaters restrict their caloric intake prior to drinking alcohol? *Eating Behaviors*, 14, 361-5.

- 19) **Leahey, T. M.**, Thomas, J. G., LaRose, J., & Wing, R. R. (2012). A randomized trial testing a contingency-based weight loss intervention involving social reinforcement. *Obesity, 20*, 324-9.
- 20) **Leahey, T. M.**, Bond, D. S., Raynor, H., Roye, D., Pohl, D., Vithiananthan, S., Ryder, B., Sax, H. C., & Wing, R. R. (2012). Effects of bariatric surgery on food cravings: Do food cravings and the consumption of craved foods “normalize” after surgery? *Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases, 8*, 84-91. (PMID: 21925967)
- 21) Niemeier, H. M., **Leahey, T. M.**, Palm, K., Brown, R., & Wing, R. R. (2012). An acceptance-based behavioral intervention for weight loss: A pilot study. *Behavior Therapy, 43*, 427-35. (PMCID: PMC3535069)
- 22) **Leahey, T.M.**, Kumar, R., Weinberg, B., Wing, R.R. (2012). Teammates and social influence affect weight loss outcomes in a team-based weight loss competition. *Obesity, 20*, 1413-8. (PMCID:3676749)
- 23) LaRose, J., **Leahey T. M.**, Weinberg, B., Kumar, R., & Wing, R. R. (2012). Young adults’ performance in a low-intensity weight loss campaign. *Obesity, 20*, 2314-6. (PMCID:3671910)
- 24) **Leahey, T. M.**, LaRose, J., Fava, J., & Wing, R. R. (2011). Social influences are associated with BMI and weight loss intentions in young adults. *Obesity, 19*, 1157-1162. (PMCID: PMC3079776)
- 25) **Leahey, T. M.**, Crowther, J. H., & Ciesla, J. (2011). An ecological momentary assessment of the effects of weight and shape social comparisons on women with eating pathology, high body dissatisfaction, and low body dissatisfaction. *Behavior Therapy, 42*, 197-210. (PMCID: PMC3491066)
- 26) Thomas, J. G., Bond, D. S., Ryder, B., **Leahey, T. M.**, Vithiananthan, S., Roye, D., & Wing, R. R. (2011). Ecological momentary assessment of recommended postoperative eating and activity behaviors. *Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases, 7*, 206-212. (PMID: 21130703)
- 27) McCaffery, J. M., Franz, C. E., Jacobson, K., **Leahey, T. M.**, Xian, H., Wing, R. R., Lyons, M. J., Kremen, W. S. (2011). Effects of social contact and zygosity on 21-year weight change in male twins. *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition, 94*, 404-9.
- 28) Bond, D. S., Jakicic, J. M., Vithiananthan, S., Thomas, G., **Leahey, T. M.**, Sax, H. C., Pohl, D., Roye, D., Ryder, B. A., Wing, R. R. (2010). Objective quantification of physical activity in bariatric surgery candidates and normal-weight controls. *Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases, 6*, 72-78. (PMCID: PMC2818132)
- 29) **Leahey, T. M.**, Crane, M., Pinto, A. M., Weinberg, B., Kumar, R., & Wing, R. R. (2010). Effect of teammates on changes in physical activity in a statewide campaign. *Preventive Medicine, 51*, 45-49. (PMCID: PMC20394768)
- 30) Marquez, B., **Leahey, T. M.**, & Wing, R.R. (2009). Overweight and obesity in Rhode Island: Developing programs to combat the obesity epidemic. *Medicine and Health: Rhode Island, 92*, 45-47. (PMID: 19288683)

- 31) Bond, D.S., **Leahey, T. M.**, Vithiananthan, S., & Ryder, B. (2009). Bariatric surgery for severe obesity: The role of patient behavior. *Medicine and Health: Rhode Island*, 92, 58-60. (PMID: 19288687)
- 32) **Leahey, T. M.**, Bond, D.S., Irwin, S.R., Crowther, J.H., & Wing, R.R. (2009). When is the best time to deliver a behavioral intervention to bariatric surgery patients, pre- or post-operatively? *Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases*, 5, 99-102. (PMID: 19071068)
- 33) Bond, D. S., Phelan, S., Leahey, T. M., Hill, J. O., & Wing, R.R. (2009). Weight-loss maintenance in successful weight losers: Surgical vs. non-surgical methods. *International Journal of Obesity*, 33, 173-180. (PMCID: PMC2624545)
- 34) Bond, D. S., Vithiananthan, S., **Leahey, T. M.**, Thomas, J. G., Sax, H. C., Pohl, D., Ryder, B., Roye, D. G., Giovanni, J., Wing, R. R. (2009). Prevalence and degree of sexual dysfunction in a sample of women seeking bariatric surgery. *Surgery for Obesity and Related Diseases*, 5, 698-704. (PMCID: 2788038)
- 35) **Leahey, T. M.** & Crowther, J. H. (2008). An ecological momentary assessment of comparison target as a moderator of the effects of appearance-focused social comparisons. *Body Image*, 5, 307-311. (PMID: 18585108)
- 36) **Leahey, T. M.**, Myers, T., Gunstad, J., Glickman, E., Spitznagel, M., Alexander, T., & Juvancic-Heltzel, J (2008). AB40 is associated with cognitive function, body fat, and physical fitness in healthy older adults. *Nutritional Neuroscience*, 10, 205-209. (PMID: 19284028)
- 37) Stanek, K., Gunstad, J., **Leahey, T.M.**, Glickman, E., Alexander, T., Spitznagel, M., Juvancic-Heltzel, J., & Murray, L. (2008). Serum brain-derived neurotrophic factor is associated with reduced appetite in healthy older adults. *Journal of Nutrition Health and Aging*, 12, 183-185. (PMID: 18309438)
- 38) Crowther, J. H., Arney, M., Luce, K. L., Dalton, G., & **Leahey, T. M.** (2008). The point prevalence of bulimia nervosa over 15 years. *International Journal of Eating Disorders*, 41, 491-497. (PMID: 18433014)
- 39) **Leahey, T. M.**, Crowther, J. H., & Irwin, S. R. (2008). A Cognitive-behavioral Mindfulness Group Therapy Intervention for the Treatment of Binge Eating in Bariatric Surgery Patients. *Cognitive and Behavioral Practice*, 15, 364-75.
- 40) **Leahey, T. M.**, Crowther, J. H., & Mickelson, K. D. (2007). An ecological momentary assessment of the frequency, nature, and effects of naturally occurring appearance-focused social comparisons. *Behavior Therapy*, 38, 132-143. (PMID: 17499080)

BOOKS AND BOOK CHAPTERS

- 1) Crowther, J. H., & **Leahey, T. M.** (2010). Eating disorders. In C. S. Clauss-Ehlers (Ed.), *The Encyclopedia of Cross-cultural School Psychology*. New York: Springer Publishers.

PUBLICATIONS SUBMITTED OR IN PREPARATION

Under Review

- 1) Xu, X.*, **Leahey, T.M.**, Boguszewski, K.*, Krupel, K., Kent, K.*, Wing, R. Self-expansion is associated with better adherence and obesity treatment outcomes in adults.
- 2) Williams G.*, Crowther, J., Ciesla, J., **Leahey, T.M.** Appearance-focused social comparisons in the naturalistic environment: Do the effects persist?
- 3) **Leahey, T. M.**, Seiden, A.*, Fernandes, D., Fava, J., Doyle, C.*, Kent, K.*, LaRue, M., Kumar, R., & Wing, R. R. Behavioral economics approach to weight loss maintenance: A randomized controlled trial.

In Preparation

- 1) **Leahey, T. M.**, Fava, J., Lanoye, A.*, LaRose, J., Wing, R. R. Effects of a financial incentive obesity treatment approach on intrinsic and extrinsic motivation.
- 2) **Leahey, T. M.**, Ross, K., Rosen, J. Weight loss: Is there *really* “an app for that?”

CONFERENCE PAPERS / ABSTRACTS

- 1) Williams, G. A.*, Crowther, J. H., Ciesla, J. A., Leahey, T. M. (2015). The effects of multiple appearance-focused social comparisons in the natural environment. To be presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Behavior and Cognitive Therapies, Chicago, IL.
- 2) Lanoye A.*, Grenga A., **Leahey, T.M.**, LaRose J.G. (2015). Weight loss motives and relationship to outcomes in a lifestyle intervention: Young v. older adults. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Antonio, TX.
- 3) **Leahey, T.M.**, Seiden, A.*, Rosen, J., Middleton, K. (2015). Weight loss: Is there *really* “an app for that?” Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Antonio, TX.
- 4) Xu, X.*, **Leahey, T.M.**, Boguszewski, K.*, Krupel, K., Kent, K.*, Wing, R.R. Self-expansion during a behavioral weight loss intervention is associated with better objective adherence and outcomes (2014). Presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX.
- 5) **Leahey, T.**, Seiden, A.*, Pierre, D., Kumar, R., Wing, R. (2014). Professional or lay coaching plus financial incentives for weight loss maintenance. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Philadelphia, PA.
- 6) **Leahey, T.**, LaRose, J., Wing, R. (2014). Effects of modest financial incentives on intrinsic and extrinsic motivation for weight loss. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Philadelphia, PA.
- 7) Doyle, C.*, **Leahey, T. M.**, Hart, C. (2014). Sleep-timing discrepancies and light exposure are not associated with BMI in a treatment seeking overweight / obese population. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Boston, MA.
- 8) **Leahey, T. M.**, Seiden, A.*, Pierre, D., Doyle, C.*, Kent, K.*, Schembri, M., Subak, L., Kumar, R., Wing, R. R. (2014). A randomized controlled trial examining a cost-benefit

- approach to weight loss maintenance. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Boston, MA.
- 9) Lillis, J., Unick, J., Niemeier, H., Kendra, K., Thomas, J., **Leahey, T. M.**, Wing, R. R. (2014). The role of avoidance-based coping in the psychosocial functioning of weight loss treatment seeking adults. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Boston, MA.
 - 10) Unick, J., Dorfman, L., **Leahey, T.M.**, Wing, R. R. (2014). A preliminary investigation into whether early intervention can improve weight loss among those initially non-responsive to an Internet-based behavioral program. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Boston, MA.
 - 11) Williams, G. A.* , Crowther, J. H., Ciesla, J.A., **Leahey, T.M.** (2014). Affect following appearance-focused social comparisons: Do the effects last? Presented at the annual meeting of the Association of Behavior and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, PA.
 - 12) **Leahey, T. M.**, Thomas, J. G., Krupel, K., Boguszewski, K.* , Kent, K.* , Kumar, R., Weinberg, B., & Wing, R. R. (2013). Modest financial incentives and optional group sessions enhance outcomes in an internet behavioral weight loss dissemination initiative. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Francisco, CA.
 - 13) Williams, G. A., Crowther, J. H., Bucholz, L. J., Coifman, K., **Leahey, T. M.**, Ciesla, J. (2013). Characteristics of affect in bulimia nervosa. Presented at the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Nashville, TN.
 - 14) Himes, S. M., Vithiananthan, S., Wing, R. R., **Leahey, T. M.** (2013). Project HELP: A 5 Week Behavioral Intervention to Reduce Excessive Vomiting and Gastrointestinal Complications in Post-operative Lap-Band Patients. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Atlanta, GA.
 - 15) Lillis, J., Wing, R. R., Thomas, G., **Leahey, T. M.**, Unick, J. L., Kendra, K. E., Niemeier, H., Samuels, A. I., Dorfman, L. (2013). The impact of obesity stigma on health behaviors among treatment seeking adults. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Atlanta, GA.
 - 16) **Leahey, T.** & Rosen, J. (2013). DietBet, Inc.: Web-based social gaming and financial incentives for weight loss. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Atlanta, GA.
 - 17) Kuhl, E.* , Jelalian, E., Hart, C., **Leahey, T.**, Wing, R. (2013). Influence of children on weight outcomes for adults participating in an Internet behavioral weight loss intervention. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Atlanta, GA.
 - 18) **Leahey, T.**, Thomas, G., Subak, L., Schembri, M., Krupel, K., Xu, X.* , Boguszewski, K.* , Kent, K.* , Kumar, R., Weinberg, B., Wing, R. (2013). Small financial incentives cost-effectively improve outcomes in a statewide Internet obesity program. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Atlanta, GA.
 - 19) **Leahey, T.M.**, Thomas, J. G., Weinberg, B., Kumar, R., & Wing, R. R. (2012). The dissemination of behavioral weight loss strategies through a community-based campaign. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.

- 20) Xu, X.* , **Leahey, T.M.**, Wing, R.R. (2012). The power of tenacity: Behavioral perseverance is associated with successful weight loss and increases in physical activity. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, San Antonio, TX.
- 21) **Leahey, T.M.**, Thomas, J. G., Weinberg, B., Kumar, R., & Wing, R. R. (2012). Internet-based behavioral weight loss program and optional group sessions improve outcomes in a community-based weight loss campaign. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, San Antonio, TX.
- 22) Thomas, J. G., **Leahey, T.M.**, Gettens, K., & Wing, R. R. (2012). Innovative technology to improve patient adherence to physician weight loss recommendations. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, San Antonio, TX.
- 23) McCaffery, J. M., Franz, C. E., Jacobson, K., **Leahey, T. M.**, Xian, H., Wing, R. R., Lyons, M. J., & Kremen, W. S. (2011). Twenty-one year weight change in young adult Vietnam-era twins: Effects of genetics and frequency of contact. Presented at the annual meeting of the Behavior Genetics Association, Newport, RI.
- 24) Williams, N. M., Smith, K. E., **Leahey, T. M.**, Crowther, J. H. (2011). The point prevalence of eating pathology across time: Examination of the Eating Disorder Diagnostic Scale from 2005-2011. Presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Toronto, Canada.
- 25) O'Brien, E., **Leahey, T. M.**, Fava, J, Subak, L. L., Stone, K., Hart, C. N., Cairns, A., Demos, K., & Wing, R. R. (2011). Sleep duration does not predict weight loss outcomes and does not change following a behavioral weight loss program. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Orlando, FL.
- 26) **Leahey, T.M.** & Wing, R. R. (2011). A randomized trial testing three types of health coaches for obesity treatment. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Orlando, FL.
- 27) **Leahey, T. M.**, Kumar, R., Weinberg, B.M., & Wing, R. R. (2011). Is weight loss contagious? The effects of teammates on individual weight change during a team-based, statewide campaign. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Orlando, FL.
- 28) Gokee LaRose, J., **Leahey, T. M.**, Weinberg, B., Kumar, R., & Wing, R.R. (2011). Young Adults' Performance in a Low Intensity Weight Loss Campaign Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Orlando, FL.
- 29) **Leahey, T. M.**, Bond, D. S., Thomas, J. G., Raynor, H., Vithiananthan, S. Roye, D., Pohl, D., Ryder, B., Sax, H. C., & Wing, R. R. (2010). Bariatric surgery is not associated with long-term changes in food preferences. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Las Vegas, NV.
- 30) Thomas, J. G., Bond, D. S., **Leahey, T. M.**, Ryder, B., Roye, D., Vithiananthan, S., Sax, H. C., Pohl, D., & Wing, R. R. (2010). Evaluation of post-operative adherence to recommended eating and activity behaviors in patients' natural environment via ecological momentary assessment. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Las Vegas, NV.

- 31) Bond, D. S., Vithiananthan, S., **Leahey, T. M.**, Thomas, J. G., Pohl, D., Ryder, B. A., Roye, D., Giovanni, J., Sax, H. C., & Wing, R. R. (2010). Significant resolution of female sexual dysfunction following bariatric surgery. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Las Vegas, NV.
- 32) McCaffery, J. M., Franz, C. E., **Leahey, T. M.**, Wing, R. R., Lyons, M. J., & Kremen, W. S. (2010). Twenty year weight gains in young adult Vietnam-era twins: The effects of frequency of contact. Presentation given at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, San Diego, CA.
- 33) **Leahey, T. M.**, Thomas, J. G., Gokee LaRose, J., & Wing, R. R. (2010). A randomized trail testing the effects of social reinforcement on weight loss. Presentation given at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, San Diego, CA.
- 34) **Leahey, T. M.**, Gokee LaRose, J., & Wing, R. R. (2010). Obesity clusters in young adults but social norms for obesity do not differ between normal weight and overweight/obese young adults. Presentation given at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, San Diego, CA.
- 35) **Leahey, T. M.**, Gokee LaRose, J., & Wing, R. R. (2010). Social contacts and social norms affect weight loss intentions in young adults. Presentation given at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, San Diego, CA.
- 36) **Leahey, T. M.**, Gokee LaRose, J., Thomas, J. G., & Wing, R. R. (2010). Social comparisons among members of a behavioral weight loss program are associated with weight loss outcomes. Presented at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, San Diego, CA.
- 37) Smith, K. E., Crowther, J. C., Irwin, S. R., Zografakis, J., & **Leahey, T. M.** (2010). The Eating Disorder Examination Questionnaire with bariatric surgery populations. Presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, San Francisco, CA.
- 38) Crane, M., Kumar, R., Weinberg, B., Pinto, A., Gorin, A., Fava, J., **Leahey, T.M.**, & Wing R. (2009). Increasing physical activity through a state-wide campaign. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Montreal, Canada.
- 39) **Leahey, T. M.**, Bond, D., Thomas, J., Raynor, H., Roye, D., Pohl, D., Vithiananthan, S., Ryder, B., Sax, H., & Wing, R. R. (2009). Do food cravings and the consumption of craved food “normalize” after bariatric surgery? Presentation given at the annual meeting of the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Grapevine, TX.
- 40) Bond, D., Jakicic, J., **Leahey, T.M.**, Thomas, J., Vithiananthan, S., Pohl, D., Roye, D., Ryder, B., Sax, H., Wing, R.R. (2009). Objective quantification of amount and intensity of physical activity in bariatric surgery candidates and age- and sex-matched normal weight controls. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Grapevine, TX.
- 41) Thomas, J., Bond, D., Pohl, D., Roye, D., Vithiananthan, S., Ryder, B., **Leahey, T.M.**, Raynor, H., Sax, H., Wing, R. (2009). Internal disinhibition predicts weight loss immediately following bariatric surgery. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Grapevine, TX.

- 42) Bond, D., Vithiananthan, S., Sax, H., Pohl, D., Ryder, B., **Leahey, T.M.**, Thomas, J., Wing, R.R. (2009). Prevalence and degree of sexual dysfunction in women seeking bariatric surgery. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Grapevine, TX.
- 43) **Leahey, T. M.**, Crane, M., Pinto, A. M., Weinberg, B., Kumar, R., Fava, J., & Wing, R. R. (2009). Choose your team wisely: Team characteristics affect change in steps during a state-wide physical activity campaign. Presentation given at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Washington, DC.
- 44) **Leahey, T. M.**, Gokee-LaRose, J., Thomas, G., Wing, R. R. (2009). Social distancing and weight loss in a behavioral intervention. Presentation given at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Washington, DC.
- 45) Bond, D., Jakicic, J. M., Thomas, G., **Leahey, T. M.**, Vithiananthan, S, Pohl, D., Roye, D.G., Ryder, B. A., Sax, H.C., Wing, R. R. (2009). Evaluation of objectively-measured and self-reported pre- to post-operative changes in physical activity among bariatric surgery patients. Presentation given at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Washington, DC.
- 46) Bond, D. S., Phelan, S., **Leahey, T. M.**, Hill, J. O., & Wing, R.R. (March). Successful long-term weight loss maintenance after bariatric surgery: Can similar weight losses be achieved and maintained through non-surgical methods? Presentation given at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA.
- 47) **Leahey, T. M.**, & Crowther, J. H. (2007). A naturalistic examination of the effects of body-focused social comparisons with media images. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, PA.
- 48) Reddy, S. D., Crowther, J. H., **Leahey, T. M.**, Irwin, S., & Gunstad, J. (2007). Binge eating in morbidly obese individuals undergoing bariatric surgery: A comparison of the Eating Disorder Examination Questionnaire and the Questionnaire on Eating and Weight Patterns Revised. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, PA.
- 49) Luce, K. H., Crowther, J. H., & **Leahey, T. M.** (2007). Do restrained eaters restrict their caloric intake prior to drinking? Presentation given at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, CA.
- 50) **Leahey, T.M.**, Crowther, J.H., Wing, R.R. (2007). A naturalistic assessment of the effects of weight comparisons on diet, exercise, and motivation to lose weight. Presentation given at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Phoenix, AZ.
- 51) **Leahey, T.M.**, Bond, D., Irwin, S., Crowther, J.H., Wing, R.R. (2007). When is the best time to deliver a behavioral intervention to bariatric surgery patients, pre- or post-surgery? Presentation given at the annual meeting of The Obesity Society, Phoenix, AZ.
- 52) **Leahey, T. M.**, & Crowther, J. H. (2006). The effects of naturally occurring appearance-focused social comparisons on women with depressive symptomatology. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Chicago, IL.

- 53) **Leahey, T. M.**, Irwin, S. R., St-Hilaire, A., Crowther, J. H., & Akamatsu, T. J. (2006). A preliminary look at the development and effectiveness of a group therapy for the treatment of disordered eating in morbidly obese patients seeking weight-reduction surgery. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the Northeastern Ohio Colleges of Medicine Department of Psychiatry Research and Scholarly Activities Day, Akron, OH.
- 54) **Leahey, T. M.**, Crowther, J. H., & Mickelson, K. D. (2005). An ecological momentary assessment of the effects of appearance-focused social comparisons on women's affect and cognitions. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Washington, DC.
- 55) Swaim, J. C., **Leahey, T. M.**, McMullen, M. J., Williams, C. J., Gilbertson, A. D., Moore, J. L. (2005). Psychological sequelae of non-lethal gunshot incidents. Presentation given at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- 56) **Leahey, T. M.**, Reddy, S. R., & Crowther, J. H. (2004). Changes in body image and body image dissatisfaction across the years. Presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, LA.
- 57) Reddy, S. D., Karazsia, B., **Leahey, T. M.**, & Crowther, J. H. (2004). Body image amongst men and women: Are there gender differences in the pathways to body dissatisfaction? Presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, LA.
- 58) Crowther, J. H., **Leahey, T. M.**, Sherwood, N., Dalton, G., Horton, H., & Pole, M. (2003). The role of avoidance coping, self-nurturance, and hunger in bulimia nervosa. Presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Boston, MA.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 1) **Leahey, T. M.** & Wing, R. R. (2015). A behavioral economics approach to improving adherence in Web-based interventions. Invited symposium presentation given at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Antonio, TX.
- 2) **Leahey, T. M.** (2015). Next frontiers of obesity treatment: Disseminating evidence-based strategies and weight loss maintenance. Invited talk given at the Center for Health Intervention and Prevention at the University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT.
- 3) **Leahey, T. M.** (2015). Reducing obesity in the U.S. using financial incentives and social gaming. Invited talk given at the University of Vermont's Center on Behavior and Health Annual Behavior Change Conference, Burlington, VT.
- 4) **Leahey, T. M.** (2015). Current challenges in obesity treatment. Invited talk given at the University of Connecticut's Department of Nutrition Seminar Series, Storrs, CT.
- 5) **Leahey, T. M.** (2015). Leveraging incentives and social influence in obesity treatment. Invited talk given at Yale's School of Public Health, New Haven, CT.
- 6) **Leahey, T. M.** (2014). Impact of obesity on underserved populations. Invited presentation given at The Lifespan Community's Health Advocacy Meeting; Providence, RI.

- 7) **Leahey, T. M.** (2014). Behavioral economics and social networks for obesity treatment. Invited presentation given at the University of Massachusetts Medical School's Division of Preventive and Behavioral Medicine Seminar Series; Worcester, MA.
- 8) **Leahey, T. M.** (2014). Financial rewards and social networks for obesity treatment. Invited presentation given at the University of Vermont's Psychiatry Grand Rounds; Burlington, VT.
- 9) **Leahey, T. M.** (2014). Behavioral economics for obesity treatment. Invited presentation given at the University of Vermont's Center on Behavior and Health Annual Behavior Change Conference; Burlington, VT.
- 10) **Leahey, T. M.** (2013; 2014). Recruitment and adherence in RCTs involving behavioral interventions. Invited presentation given at the NIH OBSSR / NHLBI 2011 Summer Institute on the Design and Conduct of Randomized Clinical Trials Involving Behavioral Interventions; Warrenton, VA.
- 11) **Leahey, T. M.** (2013). Social influence and financial incentives for weight loss and weight loss maintenance. Invited presentation given at DietBet, Inc.; New York, NY.
- 12) **Leahey, T. M.** (2012). Obesity and social networks. Invited presentation given at the American College of Preventive Medicine; Orlando, FL.
- 13) Kumar, R., **Leahey, T.M.**, & Miller, L (2012). Healthy behaviors are contagious. Invited by Shape Up, Inc. to present research findings in nationally-broadcasted webinar.
- 14) **Leahey, T. M.** (June, 2012). Social influence and weight control. Invited Grand Rounds given at New Jersey Medical School; Newark, NJ.
- 15) **Leahey, T. M.** (2012). Is health behavior contagious? The effects of social networks on weight, diet, and physical activity. Invited presentation given at The Miriam Hospital's Women's Wellness Workshop; Warwick, RI.
- 16) **Leahey, T. M.** (2010). Keeping the pounds off: Behavioral strategies for long-term weight control. Invited presentation given at the United Health Services Hospitals' Weight Management and Diabetes Teaching Day; Binghamton, NY.
- 17) **Leahey, T. M.** (2009). Cutting-edge approaches to prevent and treat obesity. Invited presentation given at The Miriam Hospital's Women's Wellness Workshop; Warwick, RI.
- 18) **Leahey, T. M.** (2008). Weight control in women. Invited presentation given at the annual Rhode Island Hospital Breast Imaging Seminar Series; Providence, RI.
- 19) **Leahey, T. M.** (2008). New strategies to prevent and treat obesity. Invited presentation given at The Miriam Hospital's Community Health Workshop; Foxboro, MA.

UNIVERSITY & HOSPITAL TEACHING ROLES

COURSES

Course name: Psychotherapy
 Description: Instructor of introductory course in behavioral interventions and psychotherapy

Year: 2006
No. of times: 1
To whom: Undergraduates
No. of students: 35 in class
Where: Kent State University

Course name: Research Methods
Description: Instructor of introductory course in behavioral research methods
Year: 2005
No. of times: 1
To whom: Undergraduates
No. of students: 40 in class
Where: Kent State University

Course name: Writing in Psychology
Description: Instructor of introductory course in scientific writing
Years: 2004 – 2006
No. of times: 3
To whom: Undergraduates
No. of students: 3-4, depending on the year
Where: Kent State University

Course name: Abnormal Psychology
Description: Instructor of introductory course in abnormal psychology
Year: 2004
No. of times: 1
To whom: Undergraduates
No. of students: 150 in class
Where: Kent State University

INVITED LECTURES

Course name: Critical Issues in Health Promotion
Description: Obesity prevalence and treatment
Year: 2014, 2015
No. of times: 2
To whom: Advanced undergraduate and graduate students
No. of students: 20 in class
Where: University of Connecticut

Course name: Program Planning and Evaluation for Health Professionals
Description: Developing and examining the effectiveness of obesity interventions in real-world settings
Year: 2014, 2015
No. of times: 2
To whom: Graduate students
No. of students: 20 in class
Where: University of Connecticut

Course name: Interdisciplinary Approach to Obesity Prevention
Description: An introduction to lifestyle interventions for obesity treatment

Year: 2014, 2015
No. of times: 2
To whom: Graduate students
No. of students: 25 in class
Where: University of Connecticut

Course name: Research for the Health Professional
Description: Development of theory-based health promotion interventions
Year: 2015
No. of times: 1
To whom: Graduate students
No. of students: 20
Where: University of Connecticut

Course name: Obesity Prevention Learning Consortium
Description: Translating lifestyle interventions for obesity treatment into real-world settings
Year: 2014
No. of times: 1
To whom: Advanced undergraduate and graduate students
No. of students: 20 in class
Where: University of Connecticut

Course name: Clinical Psychology Training Consortium, Psychology Intern Core Seminar
Description: Preparing and obtaining an F-32 award
Year: 2010-2013
No. of times: 3
To whom: Clinical psychology interns
No. of students: 20-25 in class, depending on the year
Where: Brown Medical School

Course name: Interventions in Health Psychology
Description: Behavioral interventions for bariatric surgery patients
Year: 2006
No. of times: 1
To whom: Graduate students
No. of students: 12 in class
Where: Kent State University

HOSPITAL TEACHING ROLES

Course name: Psychology Intern Seminar: Behavioral Medicine Track
Description: Obesity presentation to clinical psychology interns
Year: 2010-2014
No. of times: 5
To whom: Clinical psychology interns
No. of students: 4-7 in class, depending on the year
Where: Brown Medical School

Course name: Obesity

Description: Behavioral weight loss: Key strategies, dissemination, and current research
Year: 2013
No. of times: 1
To whom: Postdoctoral fellows and staff at the Weight Control and Diabetes Research Center
No. of students: 35 in class
Where: The Miriam Hospital / Brown Medical School

Course name: T32 Seminar Series
Description: Combined interventions for health behavior change
Year: 2013
No. of times: 1
To whom: T32 postdoctoral fellows
No. of students: 25 in class
Where: Brown Medical School

Course name: Obesity
Description: Obesity: Assessment and Prevalence
Year: 2011
No. of times: 1
To whom: Postdoctoral fellows and staff at the Weight Control and Diabetes Research Center
No. of students: 35 in class
Where: The Miriam Hospital / Brown Medical School

Course name: Obesity
Description: Health consequences of obesity and the role of lifestyle interventions
Year: 2011
No. of times: 1
To whom: Postdoctoral fellows and staff at the Weight Control and Diabetes Research Center
No. of students: 35 in class
Where: The Miriam Hospital / Brown Medical School

CURRENT MENTEES

Caroline Doyle, BA – Research Assistant and Mentee, Brown Medical School
Marc Mitchell – Postdoctoral fellow, University of Toronto
Maureen Megson – Honors Student, University of Connecticut
Natasha Dang – Graduate Student, University of Connecticut

PREVIOUS MENTEES

Xiaomeng (Mona) Xu, PhD – T32 Postdoctoral Fellow, Brown Medical School
Current position: Tenure track faculty at Idaho State University
Diana Rancourt, PhD – T32 Postdoctoral Fellow, Brown Medical School
Current position: Tenure track faculty at University of South Florida
Andrew Seiden, BA – Research Assistant and Mentee, Brown Medical School
Current position: Graduate student at John Hopkins University

Katherine Boguszewski, BA – Research Assistant and Mentee, Brown Medical School
Current position: Graduate student at University of Virginia
Kimberly Kent, BA – Research Assistant and Mentee, Brown Medical School
Current position: Graduate student at Brown University

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Men's Health Magazine
Women's Health Magazine
Health Magazine
Self Magazine
Shape Magazine
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