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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2022 – **University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston**
Assistant Professor, Department of Management, Policy & Community Health

2018 – 2022 **University of Texas at San Antonio**
Assistant Professor, Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

2024 – **Texas Violence Injury Research Prevention Center**
Core Faculty

2024 – **University of Texas at Austin Population Research Center**
External Faculty Affiliate

2023 – **Urban Institute**
Affiliated Scholar, Justice Policy Center

2023 – **UTHealth Houston Institute on Aging**
Full Associate Member

2022 – **UTHealth Houston Health Systems Center**
Faculty Affiliate

2022 – **UTSA Institute for Health Disparities Research**
External Faculty Affiliate

EDUCATION

2018 **Ph.D., Criminology & Criminal Justice**, University of Maryland, College Park
2015 **M.A., Criminology & Criminal Justice**, University of Maryland, College Park
2013 **M.P.P., Public Policy**, American University
2011 **B.A., Criminal Justice**, (*summa cum laude*) University at Albany, SUNY
2009 **A.S., Criminal Justice**, Dutchess Community College, SUNY

GRANT ACTIVITY

Principal Investigator (N = 5)

- 2024 – 2026 **Principal Investigator.**
Oral Health and Dental Care Utilization Among Formerly Incarcerated Older Adults in the United States
Funding Institution: National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research (R03)
Amount: \$329,100
Effort: 20%
- 2023 – 2028 **Principal Investigator.** (MPI: Sandra McKay)
Incorporation of a Health Equity Approach to Hospital Violence Intervention Programs: The Integration of a Community and Hospital Based Initiatives to Reduce Gun Violence in a Large Metropolitan Area
Funding Institution: National Institute of Nursing Research (UG3/UH3)
UG3 Amount: \$1,555,426 (2023-2025)
UH3 Amount: \$4,676,607 (2025-2028)
Effort: 25%
- 2024 – 2026 **Principal Investigator.** (MPI: Rahma Mungia – UT Health San Antonio)
Violence Exposure and Dental Care Utilization Over the Lifespan
Funding Institution: National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research (R03)
Amount: \$355,490
Effort: 20%
- 2026 – 2029 **Principal Investigator.**
Preventing Firearm Theft from Automobiles: Co-Creating and Advancing Public Health and Safety Solutions with Impacted Communities
Funding Institution: Fund for a Safer Future
Amount: \$249,982
Effort: 9%
- 2024 – 2026 **Principal Investigator.**
Project Safe Neighborhoods: Reducing Firearm Theft and Promoting Safe Storage in the Western District of Texas Part II
Funding Institution: Office of the Texas Governor
Amount: \$100,963
Effort: 12%

Co-Investigator (N = 4)

- 2024 – 2026 **Co-Investigator/Site PI.** (MPIs: Dylan Jackson and Alison Gemmill – Johns Hopkins University).

Understanding the Complex Reproductive Health Needs of Formerly Incarcerated Young Men
Funding Institution: National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (R21)
Amount: \$484,647
Effort: 9%

2023 – 2025 **Co-Investigator/Site PI.** (PI: Dina Hooshyar – U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs)
Research Panel of Veterans with History of Incarceration and Other Poverty Experiences (NV-HOPE)
Funding Institution: United States Department of Veterans Affairs
Amount: \$176,224
Effort: 30%

2024 – 2029 **Co-Investigator.** (MPIs: Jeff R. Temple, Melissa Peskin, and Christopher Greeley).
Violence and Injury Prevention Research (VIPR) Center: A Texas Medical Center Collaborative
Funding Institution: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (R49)
Amount: \$4,250,000
Effort: 5%

2024 – 2025 **Co-Investigator.** (PI: Dylan B. Jackson – Johns Hopkins University).
Do Community Assets Buffer the Health Impacts of Crime a Residence in a Historically Redlined Community?
Funding Institution: The Johns Hopkins Structural Racial Discrimination and Resilience Collaborative
Amount: \$33,000
Effort: In-Kind Support

Consultant

2024 – 2027 **Consultant/Core Faculty.** (PI: Abigail M. Hatcher – University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill).
Restoring Equity to Measuring and Preventing Perinatal Intimate Partner Violence (Remap-IPV) (R25)
Funding Institution: National Institute of Nursing Research
Amount: \$428,270

Submitted & Awaiting Score (N = 7)

2024 – 2026 **Principal Investigator.** (MPIs: Rahma Mungia, Tracey Barnett, Brig Singh – UT Health San Antonio)
Young Adult Dental Practice Network ENDS Cessation RCT

- Funding Institution: National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research
(UG3/UH3)
Amount: \$4,554,852
Effort: 15%
- 2025 – 2030 **Co-Investigator.** (PI: Annalyn DeMello – UTHealth Cizik School of Nursing)
Training the Next Generation of Firearm Injury Prevention Researchers at the
University of Texas Summer Institute Addressing Firearm Research
Funding Institution: National Institute of Nursing Research (R25)
Amount: \$625,144
Effort: 8%
- 2025 – 2028 **Co-Investigator.** (PI: Sandra McKay – UTHealth McGovern School of
Medicine)
Target Safety: Improving Secure Firearm Storage in Communities with Tailored
Messaging
Funding Institution: National Institute of Nursing Research (R01)
Amount: \$3,863,083
Effort: 10%
- 2024 – 2029 **Co-Investigator/Site-PI.** (PI: Dylan B. Jackson and Lindsey Webb – Johns
Hopkins University)
Impacts of Youth Police Violence Exposures and Police Violence Stress
on Disconnection During the Transition to Adulthood: Examining the Protective
Role of Internal and External Assets.
Funding Institution: National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
(R01)
Amount: \$3,215,237
Effort: 5%
- 2024 – 2026 **Co-Investigator.** (PI: Roisin Bryan)
Intervening to Improve Mental Well-Being in High-Need Schools
Funding Institution: Bexar County Public Health.
Amount: \$3,999,773
Effort: 10%
- 2024 – 2028 **Co-Investigator.** (PI: Roisin Bryan)
Impact and Scaling Up of CharacterStrong in High-Need Schools
Funding Institution: United States Department of Education
Amount: \$2,940,369
Effort: 10%
- 2024 – 2026 **Co-Investigator.** (PI: Jack Tsai)
Creation of a Behavioral Health Data Center for Bexar County.
Funding Institution: Bexar County Public Health.
Amount: \$3,222,403

Effort: 5%

Completed Principal Investigator

- 2023 – 2024 **Principal Investigator.**
Evaluating the Justice Intake & Assessment Annex in Bexar County, Texas
Funding Institution: Bexar County Office of Criminal Justice Policy, Planning & Programs
Amount: \$100,000
Effort: 16%
- 2023 – 2024 **Principal Investigator.**
Historical Redlining, Race, Violent Victimization, and Health over the Lifespan.
Funding Institution: Network on Life Course Health Dynamics and Disparities in 21st Century America
Amount: \$40,000
Effort: 16%
- 2021 – 2022 **Principal Investigator.** (Co-PI: Robert Tillyer; Co-PI: Michael Smith)
Project Safe Neighborhoods PY21: Violent Crime Response Effort for West Texas (VCREWT-II), Phase II.
Funding Institution: Office of the Texas Governor
Amount: \$34,119
Effort: 5%
- 2020 – 2021 **Principal Investigator.** (Co-PI: Chantal Fahmy)
Health Among Older Adults with Incarcerated Family Members
Funding Institution: Aging Research in Criminal Justice & Health (ARCH) Network
Amount: \$14,998
Effort: 2.5%
- 2019 – 2020 **Co-Principal Investigator.** (PI: Robert Tillyer; Co-PI: Michael Smith)
Project Safe Neighborhoods PY20: Violent Crime Response Effort for West Texas (VCREWT).
Funding Institution: Office of the Texas Governor
Amount: \$66,037
Effort: 10%
- 2016 **Principal Investigator.**
Incarceration and Nutritional Hardship: Considering the Link to Food Insecurity and Healthful Food Access.
Funding Institution: Charles Koch Foundation
Amount: \$5,000

2017 **Principal Investigator.**
Incarceration and Nutritional Hardship: Considering the Link to Food Insecurity and Healthful Food Access.
Funding Institution: Ann G. Wylie Dissertation Fellowship, University of Maryland
Amount: \$15,000

Completed Consultant

2022 – 2023 **Statistical Consultant.** (PI: Chantal Fahmy)
The Long-Term Impact of Traumatic Brain Injury on Reentry after Incarceration: A Vulnerability Assessment.
Funding Institution: The University of Texas at San Antonio Brain Health Consortium
Amount: \$15,000

PUBLICATIONS

† indicates student co-author

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES (*N* = 262)

Forthcoming

1. **Testa, Alexander**, †Benjamin Jacobs, †Jennifer Thompson, †Nelson Pang, Dylan B. Jackson, Jason M. Nagata, and Kyle T. Ganson. Adverse Childhood Experiences and Police Contact in Canada. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*
2. **Testa, Alexander**, Daniel C. Semenza, Dylan B. Jackson, †Karyn Fu, Sandra McKay, Kyle T. Ganson, Jason M. Nagata, and Jack Tsai. Social Isolation and Firearm Secure Storage in the United States: Results from the 2022 BRFSS. *Injury Prevention*
3. **Testa, Alexander**, Luis Mijares, †Karyn Fu, Dylan B. Jackson, Carmen Gutierrez, Reed T. DeAngelis, Kyle T. Ganson, Jason M. Nagata, and Rahma Mungia. Race Disparities in Dental Care Use from Adolescence to Middle Adulthood in the United States. *Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health*
4. Jackson, Dylan B., Farah Qureshi, **Alexander Testa**, and Seth J. Prins. Police Contact and the Mental Health of Young Adults in the United States. *Journal of Adolescent Health*
5. Ignatova, Elizaveta, †Priyadharshini Balasubramaniam, Julia H. Raney, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Jinbo He, Fiona C. Baker, and Jason M. Nagata. Transgender Identity and Attention Deficit Hyper Activity Disorder (ADHD) Symptoms: Findings from the Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development (ABCD) Study. *Journal of Adolescent Health*

6. Nagata, Jason M., †Gabriel Zamora, Abubakr A.A. Al-Shoaibi, Jason M. Lavender, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Jinbo He and Fiona C Baker. Screen Time and Manic Symptoms in Early Adolescents: Prospective Findings from the Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development Study. *Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology*
7. Ganson, Kyle T., Rachel F. Rodgers, **Alexander Testa**, Stuart B. Murray, and Jason M. Nagata. Muscle-Building Supplement Use is Associated with Muscle Dysmorphia Symptomatology among Canadian Adolescents and Young Adults. *PLOS Mental Health*
8. †Woodward, Krista, Rebecca Fix, **Alexander Testa**, Dylan B. Jackson. Self-Directed Violence among Black Young Adults with Negative Police Experiences. *Community Mental Health Journal*
9. Nagata, Jason M., †Joan Shim, †Priyadharshini Balasubramanian, †Alicia Leong, †Zacariah Smith-Russack, Iris Y. Shao, Abubakr A.A. Al-Shoaibi, †Christine K. Helmer, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Orsolya Kiss, Jinbo He, Allison K. Groves, Sarah Baird, and Fiona C. Baker. Cyberbullying, Mental Health, and Substance Use Among Early Adolescents: A Prospective Cohort Study. *The Lancet Regional Health – Americas*
10. Nagata, Jason M., Joanne Talebloo, Zain Memon, Karen Li, Patrick Low, Iris Y. Saho, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Jinbo He, Claire D. Brindis, and Fiona C. Baker. Prevalence and Patterns of Social Media Use in Early Adolescents. *Academic Pediatrics*
11. Fahmy, Chantal, **Alexander Testa**, Benjamin Jacobs, and Dylan B. Jackson. Prenatal Incarceration Exposure and Adverse COVID-19 Related Experiences During Pregnancy. *Journal of Crime and Justice*
12. Muentner, Luke, **Alexander Testa**, Rebecca L. Fix, and Dylan B. Jackson. Patterns of Vicarious Police Contact and Youths' Stress and Attitudes About the Police. *Child and Adolescent Social Work Journal*
13. Santos, Mateus, Richard K. Moule Jr., **Alexander Testa**, and Douglas B. Weiss. Institutional Anomie Theory and Country-Level Corruption. *Justice Quarterly*
14. Jackson, Dylan B., Rebecca L. Fix, **Alexander Testa**, Lindsey Webb, Tamar Mendelson, Sirry Alang, and Lisa Bowleg. Police Avoidance Among Black Youth. *Academic Pediatrics*
15. Nagata, Jason M., †Karen Li, †Angela Kim, Iris Yuefan Shao, Christopher Otmar, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Jinbo He, Orsolya Kiss, Jason M. Lavender, and Fiona C. Baker. Associations Between Gender Diversity and Eating Disorder Symptoms in Early Adolescence. *International Journal of Eating Disorders*
16. Mungia, Rahma, **Alexander Testa**, Daphne Hernandez, †Kayla Garcia, Joana Cunha-Cruz, Gregg H, and National Dental PBRN Collaborative Group. Gilbert. Knowledge About

Food Insecurity Among Dental Practitioners: Preliminary Findings from the National Dental Practice-Based Research Network. *Health Promotion Practice*

17. Nagata, Jason M., †Christiane K. Helmer, †Jennifer Wong, †Thang Diep, †Syndie K. Domingue, †Richard Do, †Ruthie Ervin, †Arjun Mehta, Abubakr A.A. Al-shoaibi, Holly C. Gooding, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Fiona C. Baker, and Andra K. Garber. Social Epidemiology of Early Adolescent Nutrition. *Pediatric Research*
18. Ricklefs, Colbey, †Priyadharshini Balasubramanian, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Orsolya Kiss, Fiona C. Baker, and Jason M. Nagata. Gender Identity Disparities in Early Adolescent Sleep: Findings from the Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development (ABCD) Study. *LGBT Health*
19. †O'Connor, Carolyn, Sharon Brown, Faye Mishna, **Alexander Testa**, Jason M. Nagata, and Kyle T. Ganson. Sexting Behaviors Among Canadian Adolescents and Young Adults. *The Canadian Journal of Human Sexuality*
20. Ganson, Kyle T., **Alexander Testa**, Rachel F Rodgers, Stuart B Murray, and Jason M. Nagata. Self-Stigma of Seeking Psychological Help and Mental Health Treatment Utilization Among Boys and Men with Possible Muscle Dysmorphia. *Stigma and Health*

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21. **Testa, Alexander**, Luis Mijares, and Dylan B. Jackson. The Impact of Prior Incarceration on Cognitive Trajectories Among Older Adults: Evidence from the Health and Retirement Study. *Journals of Gerontology Series B: Social Sciences*, 80(2): gbae194.
22. Webb, Lindsey, Monique Jindal, J'Mag Karbeah, **Alexander Testa**, Rebecca Fix, and Dylan B. Jackson. The Role of "The Talk" and its Themes in Black Youths' Anticipatory Stress of Police Brutality. *Pediatrics*, 155(1): e2024067065.
23. Jackson, Dylan B., **Alexander Testa**, Daniel C Semenza, Cassandra K. Crifasi, and Julie A. Ward. Juvenile Injuries and Deaths from Shootings by Police in the United States, 2015-2020. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 76(2): 308-315.
24. Altikriti, Sultan, Daniel C. Semenza, **Alexander Testa**, Dylan B. Jackson, and Michael D. Anestis. Adverse Childhood Experiences and Defensive Gun Use: The Indirect Role of Threat Sensitivity and Depressive Symptoms. *Journal of Psychiatric Research*, 181: 695-700.
25. Nagata, Jason M., †Joan Shim, †Patrick Low, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Jinbo He, †Gleen-Milo Santos, Claire D. Brindis, Fiona C. Baker, and Iris Y. Shao. Prospective Association Between Screen Use Modalities and Substance Use Experimentation in Early Adolescents. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*, 266: 112504.

26. Shao, Iris Yuefan, Abubakr Al-Shoaibi, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Orsolya Kiss, Jinbo He, Fiona Baker, Jason M. Nagata. From Individual Motivation to Substance Use Initiation: A Longitudinal Cohort Study Assessing the Associations between Reward Sensitivity and Subsequent Risk of Substance Use Initiation among US Adolescents. *Addictive Behaviors*, 160: 108162.
27. Nagata, Jason M., †Priyadharshini Balasubramanian, †Thang Diep, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Jinbo He, and Fiona C. Baker. Victimization Among Transgender and Gender-Questioning Early Adolescents. *Academic Pediatrics*, 25(3): 102624.
28. Raney, Julia H., †Shayna Weinstein, **Alexander Testa**, Kyle T. Ganson, †Zain Memom, David V. Glidden, Fiona C. Baker, Claire D. Brindis, and Jason M. Nagata. Sexual Identity is Associated with Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) in US Early Adolescents. *Academic Pediatrics*, 25(1): 102555.
29. Ganson, Kyle T., **Alexander Testa**, Rachel F. Rodgers, Stuart B. Murray, and Jason M. Nagata. Body Ideal Internalization, Sociocultural Pressures, and Probable Muscle Dysmorphia in Canadian and American Boys and Men. *Eating Behaviors*, 56: 101944.
30. Nagata, Jason M., †Shirley Sui, †Angela E. Kim, Iris Yuefan Shao, Christopher D. Otmar, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Erin E. Dooley, Holly C. Gooding, Fiona C. Baker, and Kelley Pettee Gabriel. Gender Diversity and Daily Steps: Findings from the Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development Study. *Annals of Epidemiology*, 101: 1-6.
31. Nagata, Jason M., †Jennifer Wong, †Gabriel Zamora, B.A. Abubakr A.A. Al-Shoaibi, †Patrick Low, Kyle T. Ganson, **Alexander Testa**, Jinbo He, Ph.D. Jason M. Lavender, and Fiona C. Baker. Discrimination and Manic Symptoms in Early Adolescence: A Prospective Cohort Study. *Journal of Affective Disorders*, 369: 1233-1237.

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32. **Testa, Alexander**, Dylan B. Jackson, Carmen Gutierrez, Chantal Fahmy, Vahed Maroufy, Rafael Samper-Ternent, and Ana C. Neumann. History of Incarceration and Dental Care Use Among Older Adults in the United States. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 65(5): 705-712.
33. **Testa, Alexander**, Rahma Mungia, Ana C. Neumann, Rafael Samper-Ternent, †Luis Mijares, Vahed Maroufy, Kyle T. Ganson, Jason M. Nagata, and Dylan B. Jackson. Prior Incarceration Length and Edentulism Among Formerly Incarcerated Older Adults. *Journal of the American Dental Association*, 155(11): 935-944.
34. **Testa, Alexander**, †Karyn Fu, Dylan B. Jackson, Daniel C. Semenza, and Sandra McKay. Adverse Childhood Experiences and Adult Household Firearm Ownership. *JAMA Network Open*, 7(8): e2428027.

35. **Testa, Alexander**, Dylan B. Jackson, Reed DeAngelis, Nia Heard-Garris, Daniel C. Semenza, and Odis Johnson, Jr. Historical Redlining and Contemporary Violent Victimization Over the Life Course. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*, 67(4): 477-484.
36. **Testa, Alexander**, Rahma Mungia, Jacqueline Lee, Dylan B. Jackson, Chantal Fahmy, Ana Neumann, and Rafael Samper-Ternet. The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and Oral Health Care Use Among Formerly Incarcerated Persons in the United States. *Journal of the American Dental Association*, 155(2): 158-166.
37. **Testa, Alexander**, Dylan B. Jackson, Meghan Novisky, Christopher Kaufmann, Carmen Gutierrez, Jack Tsai, Adam P. Spira, and Roland J. Thorpe. Links of Previous Incarceration with Geriatric Syndromes and Chronic Health Conditions Among Older Adults in the United States. *Journals of Gerontology Series A: Medical Sciences*, 79(8): glae084.
38. **Testa, Alexander**, Dylan B. Jackson, Juan Del Toro, J'Mag Karbeah, Jason M. Nagata, and Kyle T. Ganson. Sexual Orientation and Experiences with Police Contact in Canada. *Annals of Epidemiology*, 91: 85-90.
39. **Testa, Alexander**, Lixia Zhang, Dylan B. Jackson, Kyle T. Ganson, Julia H. Raney, and Jason M. Nagata. Adverse Childhood Experiences and Unhealthy Dietary Behaviors in Adulthood. *Public Health Nutrition*, 27(1): e40.
40. **Testa, Alexander** and Jack Tsai. Family Member Incarceration and Loneliness Among Low-Income US Veterans. *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*, 94(3): 352-361.
41. **Testa, Alexander**, Dylan B. Jackson, and Melissa Jones. Incarceration Exposure During Pregnancy and Father's Acknowledgment of Paternity. *Social Problems*, 71(3): 810-835.
42. **Testa, Alexander**, Daniel C. Semenza, and Michael A. Anesitis. Storage of Firearms in Vehicles: Findings from a Sample of Firearm Owners in Nine US States. *Injury Epidemiology*, 11: 50.
43. **Testa, Alexander**, Dylan B. Jackson, Allison Crawford, Rahma Mungia, Kyle T. Ganson, and Jason M. Nagata. Adverse Childhood Experiences and Dental Care Utilization During Pregnancy: Findings from the North and South Dakota PRAMS, 2017-2017. *Journal of Public Health Dentistry*, 84(2): 198-205.
44. **Testa, Alexander** and Jack Tsai. History of Arrest and Firearm Ownership Among Low-Income US Military Veterans. Submitted to *Annals of Epidemiology*, 100: 57-19.
45. **Testa, Alexander** and Jack Tsai. Functional Limitations and Firearm Purchases Among Low-Income U.S. Military Veterans. *Injury Epidemiology*, 11:68.

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54. Nagata, Jason M., Abubakr A.A. Al-shoaibi, †Alicia W. Leong, †Gabriel Zamora, **Alexander Testa**, Kyle T. Ganson, and Fiona C. Baker. Screen Time and Mental Health: A Prospective Analysis of the Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development (ABCD) Study. *BMC Public Health*, 24: 2686.
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Between Gender Diversity and Substance Use Experimentation in Early Adolescents. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*, 265: 112473.

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57. Hill, Terrence D., Ginny Garcia-Alexander, Katelyn Sileo, Chantal Fahmy, Alexander Testa, Rebecca Luttinen, and Ryan Schroeder. Male Sexual Dysfunction and the Perpetration of Intimate Partner Violence. *Violence Against Women*, 30(12-13): 3234-3250.
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59. Jackson, Dylan B., Rebecca L. Fix, and **Alexander Testa**. Sleep Problems Among Black Youth Exposed to Police Violence on Digital Media. *Journal of Pediatrics*
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- Outstanding Reviewer Award, *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*
- 2016 University of Maryland Graduate Summer Research Fellowship
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- Incarceration and Nutritional Hardship: Considering the Link to Food Insecurity and Healthful Food Access, *APPAM DC Regional Student Conference*, Washington, DC.
- 2017 Examining the Role of Incarceration on Food Insecurity and Access to Healthy Foods, *American Society of Criminology Conference*, Philadelphia, PA.
- Homicides, Migration, and Economic Development in a Cross-National Perspective: A Longitudinal Analysis (with Mateus Rennó Santos and Douglas B. Weiss), *American Society of Criminology Conference*, Philadelphia, PA.
- Predictably Deterrable? The Case of System Trespassers (with David Maimon, Michel Cukier, Bertrand Sobesto, and Wuiling Ren), *Southern Sociological Society Annual Meeting*, Greenville, SC.

- 2016 Who Pays the Trial Tax? Guilty Pleas and Disparity in Prosecution (with Brian D. Johnson), *American Society of Criminology Conference*, New Orleans, LA.
- The Effect of Computing Environments and Network Configurations on Hackers' Illegitimate Online Behaviors During the Progression of System Trespassing Events (with David Maimon, Michel Cukier, Bertrand Sobesto, and Wuiling Ren), *American Society of Criminology Conference*, New Orleans, LA.
- 2015 Risk, Ambiguity, and Restrictive Deterrent Effects in Cyberspace (with David Maimon, Michel Cukier, and Bertrand Sobesto), *American Society of Criminology Conference*, Washington, DC.
- 2014 A Tale of Two Crimes: An Analysis of Criminal Sentencing of White-Collar and Street Offenders, *American Society of Criminology Conference*, San Francisco, CA.

NEWS MEDIA AND PODCAST CONTRIBUTIONS

- 2024 [United States Attorney's Office for the Western District of Texas—U.S. Attorney, Law Enforcement Officials Urge Residents to Help Prevent Gun Thefts From Vehicles During Holiday Season](#)
- [Kesn5—San Antonio is 'one of the Leading Cities in Firearm Theft from Automobiles, According to Researchers.](#)
- [News4SA—San Antonio Ranks Fifth in the Nation for Gun Thefts from Cars, Research Reveals](#)
- [More Life: The Reentry Podcast—Just Released from Prison, Am I still Eligible for Public Assistance?](#)
- [Texas Tribune—San Antonio Plans to Tackle Violence with a Public Health Approach. Here's What That Looks Like](#)
- 2023 [San Antonio Report—Bexar County Hires UTHealth to Look for Improvements to Jail Intake, Bond Systems](#)
- [News4 San Antonio—Bexar County Commissioners Invest \\$100,000 in Study to Enhance Criminal Justice System](#)
- [Verite News—Proactive Policing in New Orleans Linked to Racial Inequities in Preterm Births](#)
- 2022 [Sleep.com—How Food Deserts Impact Wellbeing, Including Sleep](#)

2021	Fox San Antonio— <u>Crime in Texas: Report Shows Rise in Murders, Overall Decrease in Crime</u>
2020	The Counter— <u>Released Early to Thwart Covid-19, Ex-Offenders Confront Hunger Outside</u>
2020	PBS Affiliate KLRN, SciTech Now— <u>Lack of Sleep, Guns and Teens</u>
2019	Rivard Report— <u>Healthy Corner Stores Initiative to Bring Low-Cost Produce to District 3</u>

COURSES TAUGHT

University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston

PHWM 3715: Management & Policy Concepts in Public Health

University of Texas at San Antonio

CRJ 2153: Criminological Theory

CRJ 3013: Research Design and Analysis in Criminal Justice

CRJ 4663: Causes & Consequences of Incarceration

CRJ 4913: Independent Study (5 Completed)

CRJ 5083: Quantitative Analysis

University of Maryland

CCJS 100: Introduction to Criminal Justice

GUEST LECTURES

University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio

TSCI 6001: Introduction to Translational Science (Fall 2023; Fall 2024)

- Sexually Transmitted Infections: Messaging and Policy

University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston

PH 2998: Gun Violence and Public Health in the United States (Fall 2022)

- Placed-Based Interventions to Gun Violence
- Future Directions in Firearms Policy in the United States

ADVISING

Doctoral Dissertation

In Progress Jennifer Thompson (UTHealth Houston), Chair

Michelle Pennington, (UTHealth Houston), Chair
Frederique Corcoran, (University of Minnesota), Committee Member
Aro Choi, (UTHealth Houston), Committee Member
Rebecca Burgess, (UTHealth Houston), Committee Member
Mike Garcia (UTHealth Houston), Committee Member
Katherine Budolfson (UTHealth Houston), Committee Member
Valerie Valenzuela (UTHealth Houston), Committee Member

Master's Thesis

In Progress Anita Aimufia (UTHealth Houston), Committee Member
2020 Jonathan Leos-Martinez (UTSA), Committee Member

Independent Study

2024 Alexander Devora, Graduate Student, (UTHealth Houston), Chair
2023 Benjamin Jacobs, Medical Student (Burnett School of Medicine at TCU), Chair
2019 Caleb Marr, Undergraduate Student (UTSA), Chair
Veronica Castro, Undergraduate Student (UTSA), Chair
Gerardo Garant, Undergraduate Student (UTSA), Chair

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

GUEST EDITOR

2022 **Guest Editor**, *Journal of Criminal Justice*, Special Issue: Health, Crime, and Criminal Justice

Guest Editor, *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, Special Issue: Adverse Childhood Experiences and The Life Course Consequences

EDITORIAL BOARDS

2022 – Present **Editorial Board**, *Annals of Epidemiology*
2021 – Present **Editorial Board**, *Journal of Criminal Justice*
2020 – 2022 **Editorial Board**, *BMC Public Health*
2019 – 2022 **Reviewer Board**, *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*

COMMUNITY

2024 – Present **Member**, Interdisciplinary Association of Population Health Science Mentoring Committee

Doctoral Student Mentor, Interdisciplinary Association of Population Health Science Mentoring Program (Kendall Riley – University of Iowa)

Member, UCSF Wraparound Project Risk Assessment Advisory Board

Member, Bexar County Jail Population Working Group

Member, San Antonio Public Safety Partnership Council

Member, Integration of Medicine and Science Community Health Advisory Board

2023 – 2024 **Member**, Bexar County-City of San Antonio Public Safety Action Plan Working Group

PROFESSION

2021 **Grant Reviewer**, Aging Research in Criminal Justice & Health (ARCH) Network

UNIVERSITY

2022 – Present **University of Texas Police at Houston Community Partnership Council**, UT-Health

2020 **Faculty Peer Reviewer for UTSA Journal of Undergraduate Research & Scholarly Works**, UTSA

2020 **New Peer Faculty Mentor**, UTSA

COLLEGE

2024 – Present **Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH) Steering Committee**, UTHealth

2022 – Present **Faculty Council**, UTHealth

2022 **Center for Health Care Data Research Pilot Award Review Committee**, UTHealth

2021 **Faculty Search Committee**, College for Health, Community and Policy and College of Business, UTSA

2019 **College of Public Policy Student Scholarship Committee**, UTSA

DEPARTMENTAL

- 2024 – Present **MPACH Faculty Search Committee, UTHealth**
- 2023 – Present **Community Health Practice MPH Admissions Committee, UTHealth**
MPACH Research Committee, UTHealth
- 2021 **Faculty Search Committee, UTSA**
- 2020 – 2022 **Comprehensive Exam Committee, UTSA**
- 2020 – 2022 **Faculty Merit Review Committee, UTSA**
- 2019 **Criminal Justice Summer Camp, UTSA**
- 2018 **Explore Your Major, UTSA**
- 2016 – 2017 **Department Chair Search Committee, University of Maryland**
- 2014 – 2018 **Graduate Professional Development Coordinator, University of Maryland**

JOURNAL REFEREE

Criminology & Criminal Justice: *American Journal of Criminal Justice, Asian Journal of Criminology, Crime & Delinquency, Criminal Justice & Behavior, Criminal Justice Policy Review, Criminal Justice Review, Criminology, Criminology & Public Policy, Deviant Behavior, Health & Justice, Homicide Studies, Journal of Crime and Justice, Journal of Criminal Justice, Journal of Interpersonal Violence, Journal of Quantitative Criminology, Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency, Justice Quarterly, International Criminal Justice Review, International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology, International Journal of Prisoner Health, Police Practice and Research: An International Journal, Race and Justice, Security Journal, Victims & Offenders*

Dentistry: *Acta Odontologica Scandinavica, BMC Oral Health, Journal of the American Dental Association, Journal of Public Health Dentistry*

Pediatrics: *Academic Pediatrics, Journal of Adolescent Health, Pediatrics*

Psychology: *Developmental Psychology, Development and Psychopathology, Frontiers in Psychology*

Public Health: *Administration and Policy in Mental Health and Mental Health Services Research, Aging & Mental Health, American Journal of Preventive Medicine, American Journal of Public Health, Annals of Epidemiology, BMJ Open, BMC Public Health, Health Security, JAMA Neurology, Journal of Clinical and Translational Science, Journal of Clinical Medicine, Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health, Journal of Urban Health, International Journal of*

Environmental Research and Public Health, International Journal of Mental Health Systems, International Journal of Public Health, Maternal and Child Health Journal, npj Mental Health Research, Nutrients, Preventive Medicine Reports, Public Health Nutrition, Public Health Reports, Sleep Health, Social Science & Medicine, SSM – Mental Health, SSM – Population Health, Stigma and Health, Texas Journal of Public Health, The Lancet Regional Health – Americas, Women’s Health, World Medical & Health Policy

Social Work: *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry, Child and Youth Services Review*

Sociology: *Journal of Health and Social Behavior, Population Research and Policy Review, Social Currents, Social Science Research, Sociology Compass, The Sociological Quarterly*

Substance Use: *Drug and Alcohol Dependence, Journal of Drug Issues*

Other Disciplines: *Advances in Life Course Research, Death Studies, Dynamics of Asymmetric Conflict, Injury Epidemiology, Journal of Applied Gerontology, Journal of Family Violence, Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences, Journal of Religion and Health, Journal of Research on Adolescence, Journal of Social Distress and Homelessness, PLOS ONE, Political Research Quarterly, Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology, Vaccine, Youth & Society*

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

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| 2024 | Survival Analysis , Statistical Horizons (Paul Allison) |
| 2023 | Introduction to the Health and Retirement Study , University of Michigan (Amanda Sonnega) |
| | Power Analysis and Sample Size Planning , Statistical Horizons (Christopher Aberson) |
| 2022 | Propensity Score Analysis: Advanced , Statistical Horizons (Shenyang Guo) |
| | Propensity Score Analysis: Basics , Statistical Horizons (Shenyang Guo) |
| | Longitudinal Data Analysis Using Stata , Statistical Horizons (Stephen Vaisey) |
| 2019 | Multilevel/Mixed Models Using Stata , Stata Corp (Rose Medeiros) |