

Amanda Sherman Curriculum Vitae

Education

University of Tennessee – Knoxville

August 2008 - Present

University of North Carolina – Greensboro

B.A. with Disciplinary Honors in Psychology and Women's and Gender Studies,
May 2008

Honors Thesis: The Interaction of BIS/BAS and Sexual Victimization: A Predictive Model for PTSD

Clinical Experience

Clinical Therapist, University of Tennessee Psychological Clinic (2009- Present)

Setting: Outpatient university clinic

Supervisors: Lance Laurence, Ph.D., Todd M. Moore, Ph.D., Derek Hopko, Ph.D.,
Bruce Seidner, Ph.D., Catherine Grello, Ph.D.,

Duties: Individual and family psychotherapy with children and adults utilizing CBT, Behavioral, and Insight-Oriented therapeutic approaches; Psychological assessments for children, adolescents and adults; Three weekly supervision meetings (two individual and one group meeting)

Teaching Experience

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Tennessee – Knoxville

September 2008 – May 2009

Course: PSY 434, Psychology of Gender

Course: PSY 380, Theories of Personality

Teaching Assistant, University of North Carolina - Greensboro

September 2007 – December 2007

Course: PSY 444, Applied Behavioral Analysis

Course: PSY 346, Abnormal Psychology

- Duties: Teach specific lecture topics, evaluate students' assignments, organize group review sessions, and provide individual tutoring

Tutor, University of North Carolina- Greensboro

January 2006- May 2007

Course: PSY 310, Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences

Professional Experience

ABA Therapist

March 2005-December 2007

- Duties: Teach social and basic learning skills to children with autism using behavioral modification techniques

Writing Center Consultant, University of North Carolina- Greensboro

January 2007-May 2008

- Duties: Consult students on writing process, organization of ideas, sentence structure and grammar

Research Experience

Graduate Research Experience, University of Tennessee – Knoxville

August 2008 – Present

Primary Advisor: Todd M. Moore, Ph.D.

Research Assistant

Predicting Relapse in a Substance Abuse Population

Supervisor: Todd M. Moore, Ph.D.

This is a NIDA funded research study (R03 awards) awarded to Dr. Todd Moore, and conducted in cooperation with Cornerstone of Recovery Substance Abuse Treatment facility. This examines possible predictors of substance abuse relapse such as triggers, cravings, social support and various distal variables in individuals in an intensive outpatient program. Responsibilities included training and supervising undergraduate research assistants, recruiting and screening patients for the study, scheduling and conducting electronic diary training sessions, programming handheld computers, training and supervising undergraduate research assistants in data entry, scheduling follow-up assessments, contacting participants to complete all portions of the study. The data collected from this study will be presented at the ABCT convention in November 2010 and will be submitted for publication.

Research Assistant

The Role of Male Gender Role Stress on Laboratory-Based Aggression:

Supervisor: Todd M. Moore, Ph.D.

This study examined the role of Male Gender Role Stress on the occurrence of aggression as measured using a lab based paradigm (Point Subtraction Aggression Paradigm, PSAP). Responsibilities include contacting and scheduling experimental sessions, conducting experimental session in the lab, serving as confederate during experimental sessions and supervising undergraduate research assistants. The data collected from this study will be submitted for publication.

Research Assistant to Dr. Jacquelyn White, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

January 2007-May 2008

- Duties: Organize and distribute research questionnaires and associated paperwork, and supervise and maintain lab assistants' schedules

Research Assistant to Dr. Rosemary Nelson Gray, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
August 2007-May 2008

- Duties: Supervise lab experiments, scan and record research data, and organize research paperwork

Publications

- Shorey, R. C., **Sherman, A.**, Kivisto, A. J., Elkins, S. R., Rhatigan, D. L., & Moore, T. M. (in press) Dating violence victimization, depression, and anxiety: The moderating effect of shame. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*.

Paper Presentations

- Moore, T. M., Stuart, G. L., Elkins, S., McNulty, J. K., Kivisto, A., Handsel, V., & **Sherman, A.** (November, 2009). Electronic Diary Assessment of the Temporal Association between Substance Use and Intimate Partner Violence Perpetration and Victimization. Paper presentation at the 43rd annual meeting for the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, NY.

Poster Presentations

- **Sherman, A.**, Shorey, R., Kivisto, A., Elkins, S. Rhatigan, D. & Moore, T. M. (2010). *Gender Differences in the Relationship between Intimate Partner Violence Victimization and Anxious Symptoms: The Moderating Role of Shame-Proneness*. Poster submitted for presentation at the 44th annual meeting of the Association for Behavior and Cognitive Therapies, San Francisco, CA.
- Moore, T.M., **Sherman, A.**, Ritter, K., Elkins, S.R., Tirone, B., Handsel, V., Kivisto, A., De Caestecker, S., Brown, M., Allen, L., Gordon, K.C., McNulty, J.K., & Stuart, G.L. (2010). *Assessing risk factors for substance use relapse using handheld computers*. Poster submitted for presentation at the 44th annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, San Francisco, CA.
- De Caestecker, S., **Sherman, A.**, Ritter, K., Elkins, S., Handsel, V., Kivisto, A., Tirone, V., Allen, L., Brown, M., & Moore, T. (March, 2010). The Relationship between Trauma History and Relapse Among Patients in Substance Abuse Treatment. Poster presented at the Exhibition of Undergraduate Research and Creative Achievement, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN.

- **Sherman, A.**, Shorey, R., Kivisto, A., Elkins, S., Rhatigan, D. & Moore, T. M. (2009). Dating Violence Victimization and Depression: The Moderating Effect of Shame. Poster presented at the 43rd annual meeting for the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, NY
- **Sherman, A. E.**, Swartout, K., & White, J. A. (2008). “The Relationship Between Different Forms of Intimate Partner Violence and Substance Abuse” Poster presented at South Eastern Psychological Association, Charlotte, NC.

Academic Honors and Awards

Summer Research Funding (\$3500), June 2009-August 2009

Supervisor: Todd. M. Moore

Undergraduate Research Assistantship Grant (\$1000), May 2007-January 2008

Supervisor: Dr. Jacquelyn White

2nd Place in Undergraduate Research Symposium, April 2007

Psi Chi National Honor Society, Induction 2006

University Disciplinary Honors Program, 2004-2008

Professional Associations

American Psychological Association, Student Affiliate

September 2007-Present

Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Student Affiliate

September 2009-Present