

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY TRAINING PROGRAMS

Clinical Psychology Residents 2025-2026



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Internship track: Neuro

Graduate School: Pennsylvania State University

Dissertation Title: The Effects of Internet-Delivered Cognitive Behavioral

Therapy on Depression Outcomes and Neurocognitive Performance and Baseline Predictors of Treatment

Response in Multiple Sclerosis

Clinical Interests: Neuropsychological assessment in complex medical populations and older adults, as well as neuropsychologically-informed interventions to facilitate the biopsychosocial adjustment to neurocognitive changes.

Research Interests: Investigating modifiable risk and protective factors that impact quality of life, cognitive functioning, and response to neuropsychologically-informed interventions in neurodegenerative diseases.



Hannah Carlon

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Internship track: Adult

Graduate School: University of New Mexico

Dissertation Title: Being "in sync" with others during early alcohol and

opioid recovery: The role of positive social interactions in generating recovery capital and buffering health

disparities

Clinical Interests: Health psychology interventions, substance use disorders and comorbid mood and anxiety disorders, third wave interventions.

Research Interests: Strengths-based approaches to substance use disorder (SUD) treatment and recovery, such as bolstering positive affective functioning and social connectedness.



Christophe Crawford

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Internship track: Beh Med

Graduate School: Indiana University/Purdue-Indianapolis

Dissertation Title: Biological and Cognitive Mechanisms: Unraveling the

Insomnia to Depression Pathway

Clinical Interests: Role of psychology in behavioral medicine and integrative healthcare, with a

focus on evidence-based interventions for sleep, depression, and anxiety in

individuals with comorbid medical conditions.

Research Interests: Neurobiological, behavioral, and cognitive mechanisms linking psychosocial

factors to depression, with an emphasis on health disparities and novel

intervention targets.



Meaghan **Delcourt**

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Internship track: Beh Med

Graduate School: University of Connecticut

Dissertation Title: The Menstrual Cycle effects on Psychophysiology and

Emotions (M-COPE) Study: Examining the Roles of Hormone Sensitivity and Emotional Self-Regulation

Clinical Interests: Role of psychology in integrative healthcare systems; application of evidence-based interventions for

individuals with comorbid mental and/or physical health concerns impacted by reproductive health.

Research Interests: Emotion regulation and autonomic functioning as mechanisms influencing mental and/or physical

health outcomes associated with ovarian hormone changes or reproductive health concerns.



Rebecca **Denson** rebecca denson@brown.edu

Internship track: Beh Med

Graduate School: University of Illinois - Chicago

Dissertation Title: Prenatal Cannabis Exposure: Acceptability, Credibility, &

Impact of Informed Media Messages

Clinical Interests: Integrated behavioral health and the use of evidence-based interventions for health behavior change

and comorbid physical and mental health conditions.

Research Interests: Affective and social factors related to substance use; health communication and interventions for

substance use; perinatal substance use.



Diamond Bram bram_diamond@brown.edu

Internship track: Neuro

Graduate School: Northwestern University Feinberg School of Med.

Dissertation Title: Intrinsic Neurocognitive Networks in SuperAgers

Clinical Interests: My clinical interests include neuropsychological assessment, cognitive rehabilitation, and interdisciplinary care for individuals with neurodegenerative diseases, traumatic brain injury, and complex medical or psychiatric conditions.

Research Interests: My research interests focus on cognitive resilience, functional brain networks, and neuroimaging in aging, neurodegenerative diseases, and traumatic brain injury, with an emphasis on identifying biomarkers that inform clinical interventions and improve patient outcomes.



Fatima Dobani fatima dobani@brown.edu

Internship track: Adult

Graduate School: Syracuse University

Dissertation Title: Multiracial Discrimination Scale: Development and

Psychometric Validation of its Associations with Alcohol

Use and Misuse among Multiracial Young Adults

Clinical Interests: Evidence-based, culturally sensitive treatment of alcohol use and co-ocurrring disorders.

Research Interests: Social determinants of alcohol use; reciprocal interplay between alcohol use and co-occurring health

behaviors (e.g., substance use; sleep) over time.



Tram Doran tram doran@brown.edu

Internship track: Child

Graduate School: Mississippi State University

Dissertation Title: Latent Profile Analysis of Trauma Appraisal: Association

with Emotion Regulation and Substance Use Disorders

in Students Trauma Survivors

Clinical Interests: Application of trauma-informed and evidence-based psychological interventions to enhance emotional and cognitive processing among children and adolescents affected by trauma and substance use

disorders.

Research Interests: Investigation of the neural and cognitive correlates of trauma and substance use, particularly focusing

on impulsivity as a predictor of substance use disorders and the efficacy of integrative interventions in

altering these trajectories.



Martina Fruhbauerova

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Internship track: Adult

Graduate School: University of Kentucky

Dissertation Title: Randomized Controlled Trial of a Single-Session

Mechanism-Focused Intervention for Suicidal Thoughts

and Behaviors

Clinical Interests: Treating and preventing suicidal thoughts and behaviors in the context of

comorbid mental health conditions by targeting shared mechanisms that

underlie and maintain these difficulties.

Research Interests: Development and personalization of transdiagnostic, mechanism-focused

treatments for suicidality by identifying shared processes that maintain psychological symptoms and suicidal thoughts and behaviors in order to create more potent, precise, and parsimonious interventions for suicide



Patricia Garibaldi

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Internship track: Child

Graduate School: Northwestern University Feinberg School of Med.

Dissertation Title: Optimizing the Effectiveness of Illinois Child Welfare

Residential Treatment in the Age of the Family First

Prevention Services Act

Clinical Interests: Role of psychology in acute psychiatric care settings for youth with a focus on providing evidence-

based, trauma-informed clinical care for youth with multi-system involvement and complex trauma.

Research Interests: Implementation and evaluation of trauma-informed practices in group care settings for youth with

acute and chronic psychiatric and behavioral needs.



Grace Goodwin grace goodwin1@brown.edu

Internship track: Neuro

Graduate School: University of Nevada-Las Vegas

Dissertation Title: Characterization, diagnosis, and treatment of behavioral

variant frontotemporal dementia and Alzheimer's

disease

Clinical Interests: Conducting neuropsychological assessment and evidence-based intervention with adults with

neurocognitive disorders and complex medical comorbidities.

Research Interests: Using sophisticated statistical approaches to improve characterization of neuropsychiatric and

neurocognitive functioning in Alzheimer's disease and related dementias.



Ikeda Ami ami_ikeda@brown.edu

Internship track: Adult

Graduate School: Emory University

Dissertation Title: Prenatal Cannabis: Effects on Developmental

Milestones, Disinhibition, and Substance Initiation

Clinical Interests: The application of culturally appropriate, individualized, evidence-based interventions for substance

use disorders, perinatal mood and anxiety disorders, and comorbid mental health conditions.

Research Interests: Delineating the persistent and transient effects of prenatal cannabis exposure across the lifespan as well as increasing accessibility and developing interventions to support maternal mental health.



Maria **Kalantzis** maria kalantzis@brown.edu

Internship track: Beh Med

Graduate School: Bowling Green State University

Dissertation Title: Eating Disorders in Arab/MENA American Women: An

Exploration in Biopsychosocial Mechanisms and Feasibility and Acceptability of a Cognitive Dissonance

Eating Disorder Prevention Program

Clinical Interests: Utilizing third-wave behavioral therapies to target transdiagnostic, personal (e.g., emotion

dysregulation) and social (e.g., increasing social networks) factors to intervene on the relation between mental and physical health symptomatology, as well as preventing eating disorders in weight

management/obesity settings.

Research Interests: Implementing and testing efficacy of ambulatory assessment in specialty care, developing and testing

just-in-time adaptive interventions in weight management care, and using meta- and mega- analysis to

clarify the relation between stress and health behaviors.



Jill Laquidara jill laquidara@brown.edu

Internship track: Adult

Graduate School: Case Western Reserve University

Dissertation Title: Examining Psychiatric Readmission Risk in Hospitalized

Patients: A Chart Review Study

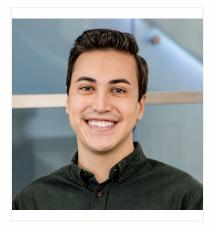
Clinical Interests: The application of evidence-based therapy approaches for individuals with serious mental illness,

incorporating cognitive behavioral, client-centered, and developmental-relational perspectives.

Research Interests: Psychosocial aspects of mental health care for individuals with serious mental illness, specifically 1)

psychological constructs that can be targeted in therapy, and 2) institution-level approaches to mental

health treatment that may lead to better outcomes.



Michael Liuzzi michael liuzzi@brown.edu

Internship track: Child (Pedi)

Graduate School: University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee

Dissertation Title: Shame and depression in youth survivors of trauma:

The mediating effect of shame-related resting state

amygdala connectivity

Clinical Interests: Chronic pain in pediatric populations; gender health; trauma and related psychopathology (e.g.,

depression, anxiety).

Research Interests: The underlying neural mechanisms (e.g., threat and reward processing) of depression and PTSD in

youth survivors of trauma; self-conscious affect (e.g., shame, quilt); transdiagnostic constructs (e.g.,

irritability).



Daniel Oesterle

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Internship track: Adult

Graduate School: Purdue University - W. Lafayette

Dissertation Title: Do Antagonism & Disinhibition Moderate the Effect of

Adversarial Sexual Beliefs on Sexual Violence Perpetration? A Trait and Facet-Level Analysis

Clinical Interests: The development and implementation of both brief interventions and metacognitively-oriented treatment approaches for externalizing psychopathology, including personality disorders, substance

use disorders, serious mental illness, and justice-involved populations.

Research Interests: The etiology, assessment, and treatment of sexually-violent and aggressive behaviors. Examining personality pathology, impulsigenic traits, alcohol and substance use, and cognitive factors as mechanisms of sexual violence, as well as understanding how these risk factors may translate into effective prevention and treatment programs for perpetrators.



Gabrielle Reimann gabrielle reimann@brown.edu

Internship track: Adult

Graduate School: Vanderbilt University

Dissertation Title: Delineating Neurobiological Subtypes Underlying

Psychopathology: A Machine Learning Approach

Clinical Interests: Effective treatments for comorbidity and transdiagnostic features, Women's health, Application of ACT.

Research Interests: Data-driven/ biologically-valid classifications of psychopathology, Machine learning applications to parse comorbid and transdiagnostic features.



Vanessa Serrano vanessa_serrano@brown.edu

Internship track: Beh Med

Graduate School: San Diego State University/UC-San Diego

Dissertation Title: Examining Psychosocial Determinants of Antiretroviral

Adherence Trajectories among Black Adults with HIV

Clinical Interests: Providing short-term, evidence-based interventions for individuals living with comorbid psychiatric and medical conditions, integrating cognitive-behavioral and mind-body approaches to promote health, manage illness, and support recovery in diverse medical settings.

Research Interests: Investigating the biopsychosocial outcomes of aging with medical conditions, with a focus on the development and implementation of mHealth interventions to enhance recovery and support wellbeing across both active care (e.g., hospitalization) and ongoing condition management.



Kirstyn Smith-LeCavalier kirstyn_smith-lecavalier@brown.edu

Internship track: Adult

Graduate School: University of Washington

Dissertation Title: Measurement and Modeling of Within-Person Variability

in Cannabis Protective Behavioral Strategies: A Novel Approach Using Scale Development, Daily Data, and

Machine Learning Methods

Clinical Interests: Evidence-based assessment and treatment for adolescents and adults with various mental health

disorders, including primary or co-occurring substance use disorders.

Research Interests: Identifying and understanding precursors and maintaining factors for substance use, developing and

testing prevention and intervention methods for substance use disorders, and examining how

individual and contextual factors influence prevention and intervention effectiveness.



Margaret Webb van Baar

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Internship track: Child (Juvi

Graduate School: George Mason University

Dissertation Title: The Future Self: A Corner of the Negative Cognitive

Triad

Clinical Interests: Intervention and prevention of suicidal ideation and post-traumatic stress disorder in underserved

youth and youth involved in the criminal legal system.

Research Interests: Characteristics of future thinking as risk or protective factors in depression, suicidal ideation, and other

psychopathologies. Intervention on mental health disorders using virtual reality as a medium.



Isabella Wright isabella_wright@brown.edu

Internship track: Child (Pedi)

Graduate School: Brigham Young University

Dissertation Title: Testing the Feasibility, Acceptability, and Preliminary

Impact of a Brief Behavioral Sleep Intervention to Improve School-Aged Childhood Sleep Behaviors

Clinical Interests: Delivering evidence-based behavioral interventions, particularly Acceptance and Commitment

Therapy (ACT), to pediatric patients facing complex medical conditions. Treating the difficult intersection of physical and mental health, especially for children with chronic or new medical comorbidities, such as those dealing with pain, trauma, and life-altering diagnoses, and enjoy adapting

interventions to meet their unique needs in these challenging contexts.

Research Interests: Developing and evaluating brief behavioral interventions in pediatric sleep medicine, with a particular

emphasis on increasing access to care for underserved populations, and a strong passion for creating

and refining intervention models to improve sleep outcomes in children.