

HANNAH MARY TRALKA

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EDUCATION

University of Maryland, College Park

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Bachelor of Science, Psychology

Minor: Neuroscience Certificate: LGBT Studies GPA: 3.96 Major GPA: 4.0

Maryland Summer Scholars Thesis: Time to reuse among sexual and gender minority individuals living with HIV following residential substance use treatment

WORK EXPERIENCE

University of Maryland, Prevention Research Center (*Dr. Bradley Boekeloo*)

Faculty Research Assistant

June 2020- Present

- Manage UMD-PRC communications
 - Manage the UMD-PRC Twitter, LinkedIn, MailChimp, and website platforms
 - Develop webinars and fact sheets
 - Write quarterly newsletters, reports and briefs, web stories, and responses to current events
- Assist in all research-related projects including the Mental Health Provider COVID Survey, Pre-implementation Project, and CORE Project
 - Oversee data management, track project completion, communicate with participants, draft grant and CEU applications, and conduct focus groups
 - Assisted in creating data collection tools and curriculum for CORE Project
- Co-leader of the UMD-PRC Anti-Racism Subgroup
- Attend National CDC PRC Anti-Racism Committee, Communications Committee, and Network Meetings

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

University of Maryland, Global Mental Health and Addiction Program (*Dr. Jessica Magidson*)

Research Assistant

June 2018 – May 2020

- Develop REDCap databases for study measure collection
 - Project Khanya: Hybrid effectiveness-implementation trial for antiretroviral adherence and substance use in HIV care in South Africa (NIDA K23DA041901; PI: Dr. Magidson)
 - Project Peer Act!vate: Utilizing peer recovery coaches to implement an evidence-based intervention to decrease substance use among low-income minority adults (UMB-UMCP Research Innovation Seed Grant: PIs: Drs. Felton, Doran, Magidson)
- Contribute to systematic review on peer-delivered recovery support in low- and middle-income countries
 - Developed search strategy, screened titles/abstracts and full articles for inclusion, data extraction, wrote introduction
- Manage Project Peer Act!vate
 - Communicate with peers on site, run weekly meetings, oversee data management
- Qualitative coding for HEAL Together: Peer-delivered behavioral intervention to improve adherence to MAT among low-income, minority individuals with opioid use disorder
- Conduct independent summer research project through Maryland Summer Scholars program (thesis)
 - Accepted as poster presentation for Consortium of Universities for Global Health (CUGH) conference
- Collaborate with partner in South Africa to contribute to a systematic review on case management services alongside substance use treatment services in South Africa

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- Assist in weekly data management procedures for Project Khanya
- Edit lab grants, including an NIH R34 on a stigma reduction intervention for community health workers in South Africa
- Conduct a multiplicity of literature reviews
- Transcribe semi-structured key informant interviews for Project Peer Act!vate
- Shadow nurses clinic at Paul's Place, a community resource center in Baltimore
- Attended Harm Reduction Coalition Conference

University of Maryland, The Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, and Health Lab (*Dr. Jessica Fish*)
Research Assistant **January 2020 – May 2020**

- Participate in weekly lab meetings to discuss lab projects
- Format transcriptions for Q Chat Project: evaluating a pilot program for an international online space available for queer youth to discuss various queer-related topics

University of Maryland, Motivation and Cognition Lab (*Dr. Arie Kruglanski*)
Research Assistant **June 2017 – June 2018**

- Ran participants for multiple studies (Application of Regulatory Mode Theory on cheating in various tasks)
- Developed Qualtrics studies for Regulatory Mode Theory tasks
- Worked with Tobii (eye tracking machine)
 - Analyzed attention, as measured by eye tracking, during public health announcements
- Entered data into SPSS and Excel
- Edited research papers, such as those on terrorism as a tool

HONORS

- Graduated Magna Cum Laude—May 2020
- Finalist for the Lorde- O'Leary Award—2020
- Nominated for the Sally S. Byrd Citizenship Award—2020
- Nominated for the Wilson H. Elkins Award—2020
- Nominated for Researcher of the Year—2020
- Member of ODK—2020-present
- Awarded 2020 Outstanding Accomplishments in Psychology Award—2020
- Awarded Maryland Summer Scholars (MSS) grant —2019
- Named to the Distinguished Dean's List of Outstanding Students (Fall 2016, Spring and Fall 2018)
- Named to the Dean's List (Spring 2017, Fall 2017)
- Member of Lavender Leadership Society— 2019-present
- Member of Phi Kappa Phi—2018-present
- Member of Alpha Lambda Delta—2017-present
- Member of Phi Eta Sigma—2017-present
- Member of National Society of Collegiate Scholars—2017-present
- Member of University of Maryland Honors College—2016-present

COMMUNITY SERVICE/ LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Faculty Advisor, LGBTQ+ SAPH **August 2020-Present**

- Assist the student group in promoting LGBTQ+ related initiatives on campus

University of Maryland, Health Center Peer Leader (*Dr. Messman*) **August 2019-May 2020**

University of Maryland, Health Center Peer Health Educator **June 2018-August 2019**

- Promote sexual health education at the UMD Health Center by acting as a peer resource to UMD students
- Provide informative presentations to students in settings such as first year classrooms and tabling events
- Formulate programming for the Health Center including podcasts and unique coloring workbooks
- Trained in naloxone administration and currently learning how to train UMD students

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UMD Helping Give Away Psychological Science (HGAPS) Treasurer **May 2019- May 2020**
(Dr. Youngstrom, Co-Founder of HGAPS)

- Chapter founder of club that edits Wikipedia pages on psychology-related subjects to provide accurate scientific information to the general public
- Attended Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology Future Directions Forum

President of Sex Week at UMD **September 2019- May 2020**
Treasurer of Sex Week at UMD **January 2019- September 2019**

- Budget, plan, and promote sex-positive, educational events
- Coordinated the University-wide Condom Fashion Show to bring awareness to HIV/AIDS
- Formulated LGBTQ sex education presentation

Volunteer at Paul's Place **December 2018- May 2020**

- Provide services, such as lunch, to Paul's Place guests, a population struggling with homelessness and problematic substance use, at a community center in Baltimore

Speaker's Bureau Panelist **August 2018- May 2020**

- Represent the LGBTQ community in presentations to the general public
 - Settings of presentations include first year classrooms and Greek life locations
- Educate and advocate for the LGBTQ community

Member of the Health and Wellness Coalition **January 2018- May 2020**

- Attended meetings with other UMD health-related student groups to promote health across campus

Teaching Assistant for Introduction to Psychology course (Dr. Cherkinova) **Summer 2018**

- Held weekly review sessions for students
- Outlined textbook and created review sheets as resources for students
- Graded papers and exams

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Rambling Rose Arts Sales Assistant **August 2017- May 2020**

- Set up and design displays at local markets
- Assist with making sales by talking with customers and online advertisement
- Set up online forms of payment with Square

Vigilante Coffee, Customer Service Employee **Summer 2019**

- Provide customer service at the cash register using Square
- Serve coffee and tea beverages as well as make food items such as bagels and acai bowls

ARTICLES IN PREPARATION

Tralka, H., Belus, J., Satinsky, E. and Magidson, J. (In preparation). Time to relapse among sexual and gender minority individuals living with HIV following residential substance use treatment.

Satinsky, E., Kleinman, M., Jack, H., **Tralka, H.** and Magidson, J. F. (In preparation). Peer-delivered recovery support services in low- and middle-income countries: A systematic review.

Magidson, J., Belus, J., Seitz-Brown, C.J., **Tralka, H.,** Safren, S., Daughters, S. (In preparation). "ACT Healthy": A Randomized Clinical Trial Evaluating a Behavioral Activation Intervention to Address Substance Use and Medication Adherence among Low-Income, African American Individuals Living with HIV/AIDS

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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H. Tralka, J. Belus, E. Satinsky, C. Seitz-Brown, F. Loeb, S. Daughters, J. Magidson (April, 2020). *Trajectory of Substance Use Over Time Among Sexual and Gender Minority Individuals Living with HIV Following Substance Use Treatment*. Poster accepted for the Consortium of Universities for Global Health at the Washington Hilton Hotel, Washington D.C.*

H. Tralka, J. Belus, E. Satinsky, C. Seitz-Brown, F. Loeb, S. Daughters, J. Magidson (April, 2020). *Time to Re-use Among Sexual and Gender Minority Individuals Living with HIV Following Residential Substance Use Treatment*. Undergraduate Research Day at the University of Maryland-College Park, College Park.**

H. Tralka, J. Belus, E. Satinsky, C. Seitz-Brown, F. Loeb, S. Daughters, J. Magidson (April, 2020). *Time to Re-use Among Sexual and Gender Minority Individuals Living with HIV Following Residential Substance Use Treatment*. PSYC Terp Undergraduate Research Fair at the University of Maryland-College Park, College Park.**

*Cancelled due to Coronavirus Pandemic

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