

CURRICULUM VITAE – FALL 2024

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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Communication (May, 2012), Arizona State University

Dissertation: Developing a Measure of Cyberbullying Perpetration and Victimization

M.A., Speech Communication (May, 2008), University of Hawaii at Manoa

Thesis: Understanding Commitment in Students' Persistence Decisions

B.A., Speech Communication (May, 2006), University of Hawaii at Manoa

Major in Speech Communication

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Aug 2023-Present *Professor*, School of Communication, College of Professional Studies & Fine Arts, San Diego State University

Aug 2022-Aug 2023 *Director*, SDSU Center for Academic Community Engagement, Faculty Advancement and Student Success, San Diego State University

Aug 2019-May 2023 *Director of Graduate Studies*, School of Communication, College of Professional Studies & Fine Arts, San Diego State University

Aug 2019-Aug 2023 *Associate Professor*, School of Communication, College of Professional Studies & Fine Arts, San Diego State University

Aug 2017-Aug 2019 *Assistant Professor*, School of Communication, College of Professional Studies & Fine Arts, San Diego State University

Aug 2012-Aug 2017 *Assistant Professor*, Department of Communication, College of Communication & Information, University of Kentucky

Aug 2010-May 2012 *Adjunct Faculty*, Communication Division, Paradise Valley Community College

Aug 2008-May 2012 *Graduate Teaching Associate*, Hugh Downs School of Human Communication, Arizona State University

Aug 2006-May 2008 *Graduate Teaching Assistant*, Department of Speech Communication, University of Hawaii at Manoa

AWARDS & HONORS

Feb 2023 *Top-Four Paper*, Language and Social Interaction Division, Western States Communication Association

Description: Top paper at a regional conference.

2020-2021 *University Service Award*, Residential Education Office, San Diego State University

Description: Awarded for outstanding and sustained service to the university as a Faculty in Residence for 3 years (and living in residence during a pandemic).

Spring, 2019 *Teaching Effectiveness Evaluation Mini-Grant (\$2000)*, Center for Teaching and Learning, SDSU

Description: University award for evaluating the implementation of innovative teaching pedagogy. My innovation was a binational service learning course design.

2018-2019 *Favorite Faculty Award Nominee*, Residential Education Office, San Diego State University

Description: University award for teaching effectiveness, nominated by students.

2018-2019 *Early Career Award Nominee* (not awarded), Health Communication Division, National Communication Association

Description: National award for research productivity and scholarly contribution to the discipline of health communication.

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

2017-2018 *Favorite Faculty Award Nominee*, Residential Education Office, San Diego State University

Description: University award for teaching effectiveness, nominated by students.

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

2014-2015 *Faculty Teaching Excellence Award*, College of Communication and Information, University of Kentucky

Description: College award recognizing teaching effectiveness.

2014-2015 *eLearning Innovation Initiative (eLII) Innovation + Design Lab Award (\$4,000)*, University of Kentucky

Description: University award to advance online pedagogy, competitively selected for cohort of professors to receive advanced training (cohort II).

2014-2015 *Distance Learning Course Grant (\$3,000)*, University of Kentucky

Description: University award to advance online pedagogy through transformation of two face to face courses to online, competitively selected.

May, 2014 *Special Project Fellowship (\$1,000)*, University of Kentucky

Description: University award to support the implementation of a university cybersecurity campaign.

2013-2014 *Faculty Teaching Excellence Award Nominee* (not awarded), College of Communication and Information, University of Kentucky

June 2013 *Summer Faculty Research Fellowship (\$7,000)*, University of Kentucky

Description: University award to support the design of a university cybersecurity campaign.

May 2012 *Sun Devil Pride Award*, Arizona State University

Description: University award in recognition of four years of outstanding service to the university community.

May 2012 *Distinguished Service Award*, Graduate and Professional Student Association, Arizona State University

Description: University award in recognition of outstanding service to graduate students across campus.

Feb 2012 *Top-Four Paper*, Interpersonal Communication Division, Western States Communication Association

Description: Top paper at a regional conference.

- Dec 2011 *Prospectus Defense Bonus Award (\$750)*, Hugh Downs School of Human Communication, Arizona State University
- Description: Recognized for defending dissertation prospectus ahead of schedule.
- Feb 2011 *Top Student Paper*, Health Communication Division, Western States Communication Association
- Description: Top student research paper at a regional conference.
- May 2010 *Undergraduate Teaching Incentive Award (\$350)*, Hugh Downs School of Human Communication, Arizona State University
- Description: Annual departmental award recognizing teaching effectiveness.
- Nov 2010 *Top Student Paper*, Health Communication Division, National Communication Association
- Description: Top student research paper at a national conference.
- Nov 2010 *Top-Four Paper*, Health Communication Division, National Communication Association
- Description: Top research paper at a national conference.
- Nov 2010 *Top-Four Paper*, Applied Communication Division, National Communication Association
- Description: Top research paper at a national conference.
- 2010-2011 *Jeanne Lind Herberger Fellowship in Communication (\$3,000)*, Arizona State University
- Description: Recognized for significant research addressing cyberbullying; awarded additional support as a doctoral student.
- May 2009 *Undergraduate Teaching Incentive Award (\$350)*, Hugh Downs School of Human Communication, Arizona State University
- Description: Annual departmental award recognizing teaching effectiveness.
- 2009-2010 *Michael Caulkins Communication Award*, Graduate and Professional Student Association, Arizona State University
- Description: Departmental award recognizing teaching effectiveness.

2009-2010 *Graduate Student Service Award (\$1,000)*, Graduate and Professional Student Association, Arizona State University

Description: University award recognizing service to graduate student body.

May 2008 *Frances Davis Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching (\$1000)*, University of Hawaii

Description: Highest teaching award given to instructors across all ten campuses of the University of Hawaii system.

Apr 2008 *Excellence in Research Award (\$250)*, Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii

Description: University award recognizing impact of graduate student research.

2007-2008 *Outstanding Graduate Student Award*, Department of Speech, University of Hawaii

Description: Departmental award recognizing research, teaching, and service.

2006-2007 *Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant Award*, Department of Speech, University of Hawaii

Description: Departmental award recognizing teaching.

June 2006 *Outstanding Service Award*, Associated Students of the University of Hawaii

Description: University award recognizing community service to the student body.

Dec 2005 *Highest Excellence Award in On-Campus Programming*, Student Housing Services, University of Hawaii

Description: Departmental award recognizing service to on-campus residents.

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH (RESEARCH)

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW IN REFEREED JOURNALS

Canary, H. E., Daly B. M., Roberts S., Wong, B., Martinez, L. S., **Savage, M. W.**, Gammon A., Kaphingst, K. A. (Under Review). Mapping the Genetics Communication Pathways: A Family Case Study.

Guidry, J. P. D., **Savage, M. W.**, Lovari, A., Miller, C. A., Laestadius, L. I., Lefeavers, S., Burton, C. W., Carlyle, K. E., Stevens, M. P., & Perrin, P. B. (Under Review). A vaccine by any

other language? Comparing childhood vaccination beliefs and information sources of parents in the United States and Italy.

Savage, M. W., Choi, S., & McKay, R. R. (Under Review). A video-based educational intervention to promote nutrition amongst recently diagnosed cancer patients.

Savage, M. W., Parsons, M., Madlensky, L., Javier-DesLoges, J., & McKay, R. R. (Under Review). A video-based educational intervention to promote germline genetic testing in prostate cancer care.

PUBLISHED REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

Martinez, L., **Savage, M. W.,** Alvarado, J., Cordon-Mulbry, C., Dominguez-Rios, R., Dickerson, D., Roquia, R., Alghazi, H., Spitzberg, B. H., Peddecord, M., Issa, E., & Tsou, M-H. (In Press). Exploring sentiment, values, and misinformation surrounding vaccination legislation on Twitter: A case study of California's passage of SB277. *Health Communication*. **Impact factor (2015 Five Year): 2.44; H-index (2020): 76; Ranking 27/293 in Communication; Acceptance Rate: 15%.**

Contributions: theoretical rationale, manuscript writing, journal submission, manuscript revisions for re-submission.

Guidry, J. P. D., Miller, C. A., Perrin, P. B., **Savage, M. W.,** Carlyle, K. E. & Fuemmeler, B. F. (2023). Ask me how I am coping: Mental health and coping behaviors during COVID-19 in cancer survivors. *Patient Education and Counseling*, 112, doi: 10.1016/j.pec.2023.107716 **Impact factor: 3.01; H-index: 161; Ranking Q1 in Medicine (miscellaneous); Acceptance Rate: 41%.**

Contributions: data analysis, results report, manuscript writing, journal submission.

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

Wittenberg, E., Goldsmith, J. V., **Savage, M. W.,** & Sullivan, S. S. (2023). Exploring differences in caregiver communication in serious illness. *Journal of Palliative Medicine*, 26(7), 922-929. **Impact factor (2023): 2.2; H-index (2023): 108; Ranking Q1 in Nursing (miscellaneous)/Q2 in Medicine (miscellaneous); Acceptance Rate: TBD.**

Contributions: data analysis, presentation of results, manuscript writing, journal submission.

Martinez, L. S., **Savage, M. W.,** Jones, E., Mikita, E., Yadav, V., & Tsou, M. H. (2023). Examining vaccine sentiment on Twitter and local vaccine deployment during the COVID-19 pandemic. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 20(1), 354-369. doi: **Impact factor (2021): 4.61; H-index (2022): 138; Ranking 68/203 in Public Health; Acceptance Rate: TBD**

Contributions: conceptualization, data analysis, manuscript writing, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Aboujaoude, E., & **Savage, M. W.** (2023). Cyberbullying: Next generation research. *World Psychiatry*, 22(1), 45-46. **Impact factor (2021): 79.68; H-index (2022): 109; Ranking 1/157 in Psychiatry & 1/143 in Psychiatry – Social Science; Acceptance Rate: TBD**

Contributions: conceptualization, literature review, analysis, manuscript writing, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Beach, W. A., Canary, H. E., Chen, Y., Daly, A., Gammon, A., **Savage, M. W.**, Kaphingst, K., & Madlensky, L. (2023). Communication about negative and uncertain results: Interactional dilemmas during a genetic telehealth consult. *Health Communication*, 38(14), 3252-3263.

Impact factor (2015 Five Year): 2.44; H-index (2020): 76; Ranking 27/293 in Communication; Acceptance Rate: 15%.

Contributions: study design, data analysis plan, data collection management, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission.

Guidry, J. P. D., Perrin, P. B., Zurlo, G., **Savage, M. W.**, Stevens, M. S., Miller, C. A., Laestadius, L. I., Gültzow, T., Burton, C. B., Fuemmeler, B. F., & Carlyle, K. E. (2022). Between healthcare practitioners and clergy: Evangelicals and COVID-19 vaccine hesitancy. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 19(17), 11120-11132. doi: 10.3390/ijerph191711120. **Impact factor (2021): 4.61; H-index (2022): 138; Ranking 68/203 in Public Health; Acceptance Rate: TBD**

Contributions: conceptualization, data analysis, manuscript writing, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Savage, M. W., Scarduzio, J., & Milne, K. (2022). News stories of Intimate Partner Violence: an experimental examination of media framing, and perpetrator sex in LGBTQ versus heterosexual relationships. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, 37(23-24), NP22226–NP22249. doi: 10.1177/08862605211071143. **Impact factor (2022 5-year): 3.36; H-index (year): #; Ranking 71 out of 230 in Applied Psychology; Acceptance Rate: TBD**

Dragojevic, M., **Savage, M. W.**, Scott, A. M., & McGinnis, T. (2020). Effects of source accent and threat frame on health message persuasiveness. *Health Communication*, 35(3), 297-307. doi: 10.1080/10410236.2018.1560581. **Impact factor (2021): 3.50; H-index: 50; Ranking 38/293; Acceptance Rate: 22%**

Contributions: conceptualization, study design, data collection, data analysis, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication, and mentoring student author (McGinnis) throughout the process.

Savage, M. W., Strom, R., Hubbard, A. E., & Aune, K. (2019). Understanding the communication of commitment for students at institutions of higher learning. *Journal of College Student Retention*, 21(2), 242-264. **Impact factor: unknown; H-index (2018): 19; Ranking 522/1261 in Education; Acceptance Rate: 19%**

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

Savage, M. W., Scott, A. M., Aalboe, J. A., Burch, S., Stein, P., & Mullins, R. (2018). Oral health beliefs and behavior among young adults in Appalachian Kentucky. *Journal of Applied*

Communication Research, 46(1), 113-134. doi: 10.1080/00909882.2017.1382705. **Impact factor: 1.0; H-index 41; Ranking 81/293; Acceptance Rate: 15%**

Roberto, A. J., Eden, J., Deiss, D. M., **Savage, M. W.**, & Ramos-Salazar, L. (2017). The short-term effects of a cyberbullying prevention intervention for parents of middle school students. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 14(9), 1038-1046. **Impact factor (2021): 4.61; H-index (2023): 198; Ranking 68/203 in Public Health; Acceptance Rate: TBD.**

Contributions: conceptualization, data collection, data analysis, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Record, R. A., Harrington, N. G., Helme, D., & **Savage, M. W.** (2018). Using the theory of planned behavior to guide focus group development of messages aimed at increasing compliance with a tobacco-free policy. *American Journal of Health Promotion*, 32(1), 143-152. doi: 10.1177/0890117116687467. **Impact factor (2017): 2.59; H-index (2017): 78; Ranking 146/477 in Public Health; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Contributions: study design, data collection, data analysis, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication

Savage, M. W., Scarduzio, J., Carlyle, K., & Harris, K. (2017). A mixed-method study of intimate partner violence: How sex and severity impact perceptions of perpetrator prior involvement, abnormality, and responsibility. *Violence and Victims*, 32(5), 897-918. doi: 10.1891/0886-6708.VV-D-16-00100. **Impact factor (2018): .83; H-index (2018): 72; Ranking 45/58 in Criminology; Acceptance Rate: 31%**

Savage, M. W., Menegatos, L., & Roberto, A. J. (2017). Friends don't let friends hook up drunk unless... examining gender and hypothetical intoxication influences on college students' interpersonal protective behaviors. *Archives of Sexual Behavior*, 46(6), 1819-1829. doi: 10.1007/s10508-017-0969-6. **Impact factor (2018): 3.22; H-index (2018): 88; Ranking 11/109 in Clinical Psychology; Ranking 1/89 in Interdisciplinary Social Science; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Savage, M. W., & Tokunaga, R. S. (2017). Moving toward a theory: Testing a predictive model of aggression, communication skills, Internet self-efficacy and cyberbullying. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 71, 353-361. doi: 10.1016/j.chb.2017.02.016. **Impact factor (2018): 3.54; H-index (2018) 123; Ranking 25/241 in Psychology; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Savage, M. W., Deiss, D. M., Roberto, A. J., & Aboujaoude, E. (2017). Theory based formative research of an anti-cyberbullying victimization intervention message. *Journal of Health Communication*, 22, 124-134. doi: 10.1080/10810730.2016.1252818. **Impact factor (2015 Five Year): 2.44; H-index (2018): 69; Ranking 27/293 in Communication; Acceptance Rate: 15%.**

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

Record, R. A., Helme, D., **Savage, M. W.**, & Harrington, N. G. (2017). Let's clear the air: A campaign that effectively increased compliance with a University's tobacco-free policy. *Journal of Applied Communication Research*, 45(1), 79-95. doi:10.1080/00909882.2016.1248471

Impact factor: 1.0; H-index 41; Ranking 81/293 in Communication; Acceptance Rate: 15%

Contributions: study design, data analysis plan, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Savage, M. W., Scarduzio, J., Harris, K., Carlyle, K., & Sheff, S. (2017). News stories of intimate partner violence: An experimental examination of participant sex, perpetrator sex, and violence severity on seriousness, sympathy, and punishment preferences. *Health Communication*, 32(6), 768-776. doi: 10.1080/10410236.2016.1217453. **Impact factor (2017):**

1.46; H-index 50; Ranking 38/293; Acceptance Rate: 13%

Scarduzio, J. A., Carlyle, K. E., Harris, K. L., & **Savage, M. W.** (2017). "Maybe she was provoked": Exploring gender stereotypes about male and female perpetrators of intimate partner violence. *Violence Against Women*, 23, 89-113. doi: 10.1177/1077801216636240. **Impact factor (2017): 1.56; H-index (2018): 78; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Contributions: study design, data collection, data analysis, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Hess, A., Menegatos, L., & **Savage, M. W.** (2015). Discipline and regret: A mixed-method, feminist Foucauldian analysis of the sexual double standard. *Women's Studies in Communication*, 38(4), 462-485. doi: 10.1080/07491409.2015.1085476. **H-index (2018): 20; Ranking 38/50 in Women's Studies; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Contributions: study design, data collection, data analysis, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Aboujaoude, E., **Savage, M. W.**, Starcevic, V. D., & Salame, W. O. (2015). Cyberbullying: Review of an old problem gone viral. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 57, 10-18. doi: 10.1016/j.jadohealth.2015.04.011. **Impact factor (2018): 4.10; H-index (2018): 134; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Contributions: study design, data collection, manuscript writing, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Savage, M. W., Scott, A., Aalboe, J. A., Stein, P., & Mullins, R. (2015). Perceptions of oral health in Appalachian Kentucky: Implications for message design. *Health Communication*, 30(2), 186-195. doi: 10.1080/10410236.2014.974127. **Impact factor (2017): 1.46; H-index 50; Ranking 38/293 in Communication; Acceptance Rate: 13%**

Carlyle, K. E., Orr, C., **Savage, M. W.**, & Babin, E. A. (2014). News coverage of intimate partner violence: Impact on prosocial responses. *Media Psychology*, 17(4), 451-471. doi: 10.1080/15213269.2014.931812. **Impact factor (2016): 3.12; H-index (2018): 57; Ranking 4/79 in the Communication (social science subset) and 10/80 in Psychology, Applied (social science subset); Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Contributions: study design, data collection, data analysis, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Roberto, A. J., Eden, J., **Savage, M. W.**, Ramos-Salazar, L., & Deiss, D. M. (2014). Outcome evaluation results of school-based cybersafety promotion and cyberbullying prevention intervention for middle school students. *Health Communication*, 29(10), 1029-1042. doi: 10.1080/10410236.2013.831684. **Impact factor (2017): 1.46; H-index 50; Ranking 38/293 in Communication; Acceptance Rate: 13%**

Contributions: study design, data collection, data analysis, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Roberto, A. J., Eden, J., **Savage, M. W.**, Ramos-Salazar, L., & Deiss, D. M. (2014). Prevalence and predictors of cyberbullying behavior in high school seniors. *Communication Quarterly*, 62(1), 97-114. doi: 10.1080/01463373.2013.860906. **Impact factor (2018): unknown; H-index (2018): 17; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Contributions: study design, data analysis, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

Stein, P., Aalboe, J. A., **Savage, M. W.**, & Scott, A. (2014) Strategies for communicating with older adult dental patients. *Journal of the American Dental Association*, 145(2), 159-164. doi: 10.14219/jada.2013.28. **Impact factor (2018): 2.49; H-index (2018): 100; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Contributions: study design, manuscript writing, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication, public presentations of results and implications.

Strom, R. E., & **Savage, M. W.** (2014). Assessing the relationships between perceived support from close others, goal commitment, and persistence decisions at the college level. *Journal of College Student Development*, 55(6), 531-547. doi: 10.1353/csd.2014.0064. **Impact factor (2018): .95; H-index (2018): 60; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Contributions: authors contributed equally.

Harris, K. L., Palazzolo, K. E., & **Savage, M. W.** (2012). "I'm not sexist, but . . .": How ideological dilemmas reinforce sexism in talk about intimate partner violence. *Discourse and Society*, 23(6), 643-656. doi: 10.1177/0957926512455382. **Impact factor (2018): 1.34; Acceptance Rate: unknown**

Contributions: study design, data collection, manuscript writing, conference submission, journal submission, manuscript revisions for publication.

REFEREED BOOK CHAPTERS

Savage, M. W., & Mitchell, M. (2023). Oral health promotion. In E. Y. Ho, C. L. Bylund, J. C. M. Van Weert, I. Basnyat, N. Bol, and M. Dean (Eds.). *The International Encyclopedia of Health Communication*. New York: Wiley-Blackwell.

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

Savage, M. W., & Deiss, D. (2019). Cyberbullying: Consequences and coping. In E. Downs (Ed.), *The dark side of media & technology: A 21st century guide to media and technological literacy*. New York: Peter Lang Publishing.

Ramos Salazar, L., Roberto, A. J., Eden, J., **Savage, M. W.,** & Deiss, D. (2018). A short intervention on cyberbullying for students in middle school and their parents. In M. Campbell & S. Bauman (Eds.), *Reducing cyberbullying in schools*. Elsevier: Cambridge, M.A.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/B978-0-12-811423-0.00018-3>

Savage, M. W., Jones, S., Reno, J., & Veil, S. (2017). A case study: Targeting the Stop.Think.Connect cybersecurity campaign to university campuses. In R. L. Parrott (Ed.), *The Oxford encyclopedia of health and risk message design and processing*. Oxford University Press.
<https://doi.org/10.1093/acref/9780190455378.001.0001>

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

Jones, S., & **Savage, M. W.** (2018). Examining cyberbullying bystander behavior. In C. Beck and R. West (Eds.), *Routledge handbook of communication and bullying*. New York: Routledge

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Savage, M. W. (2017). Split-half reliability. In M. Allen (Ed.) *The SAGE encyclopedia of communication research methods*. New York: Sage.

Savage, M. W., Jones, S. & Tokunaga, R. S. (2015). Cyberbullying and mental health. In E. Aboujoaude and V. Starcevic (Eds.), *Mental health in the digital age: Grave dangers, great promise*. Oxford University Press. doi: 10.1093/med/9780199380183.003.0007

Helme, D., **Savage, M. W.,** & Record, R. (2014). Campaigns and interventions. In N. G. Harrington (Ed.), *Health communication: Theory, method, and application*. New York: Routledge.

Cupp, P., **Savage, M. W.,** Atwood, K., & Abadi, M. (2014). Risky health behaviors among adolescents and young adults. In N. G. Harrington (Ed.), *Health communication: Theory, method, and application*. New York: Routledge.

Ramirez, A., Palazzolo, K. E., **Savage, M. W.,** & Deiss, D. (2010). New directions in understanding cyberbullying (Chapter 47). In R. Taiwao (Ed.), *Handbook of research in discourse behavior and digital communication: Language structures and social interaction*. Hershey, PA: IGI Global.

REFEREED PRESENTATIONS BEFORE PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES

Javier-DesLoges, J., Chen, Y., Randall, J. M., Kane, C., Madlensky, L., **Savage, M.,** Pena, S., Stewart, T., Bagrodia, A., & McKay, R. (2024, December). *Improving germline testing in at-risk*

patients with prostate cancer. Paper presented at the 25th Annual Meeting of the Society of Urologic Oncology, Dallas, TX.

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

Canary, H. E., Daly, A., Roberts., S., Wong, B., Martinez, L., **Savage, M. W.**, Gammon, A., & Kaphingst, K. (2023, May). *Mapping the genetics communication circuit: A family case study*. Manuscript presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, Toronto, Canada.

Beach, W., Canary, H. E., Chen, Y. W., Daly, A., Gammon, A., **Savage, M. W.**, Kaphingst, K., Madlensky, L. (2023, February). *Communication about negative and uncertain results: interactional dilemmas during a genetic telehealth consult*. Manuscript presented at the 93rd annual Western States Communication Association Convention, Phoenix, AZ. [**Recognized as one of the Top 4 Papers in the WSCA Language and Social Interaction Division**]

Savage, M. W., Scarduzio, J. A., Walker, C., & Von Feldt, P., Azzam, K., Pham, B., Stone, H., & Ahn, S. (2022, November). *Gender stereotypes and intimate partner violence: Exploring perceptions of heterosexual and homosexual male victims*. Manuscript presented at the 108th annual conference of the National Communication Association, New Orleans, LO.

Savage, M. W. (2020, May). *Outcome evaluation of a transnational service learning course: "Communication Research Methods in the Field"*. Manuscript presented virtually at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, Melbourne, Australia.

Savage, M. W., Merchant Ley, D., & Juarez Nunez, J. (2019, November). *SPARK breakout: Communication Research Methods in the Field, a binational service learning course*. Manuscript presented at the 105th annual conference of the National Communication Association, Baltimore, MD.

Savage, M. W., & Merchant Ley, D. (2019, May). *Participatory action research across the San Diego-Tijuana Border*. Manuscript presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, Washington, D.C.

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Savage, M. W., Scarduzio, J., Espinoza, T., & Milne, K. (2018, November). *News stories of Intimate Partner Violence: an experimental examination of media framing, and perpetrator sex in LGBTQ versus heterosexual relationships*. Manuscript presented at the 104th annual conference of the National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT.

Record, R. A., & **Savage, M. W.** (2018, November). *Can smokers wait to get off campus?: Examining the impact of stress, depression, & anxiety on tobacco-free policy compliance*. Manuscript presented at the annual conference of the American Public Health Association, San Diego, CA.

Savage, M. W., & Scarduzio, J. (2018, May). *Public health framing of intimate partner violence media portrayals in heterosexual and homosexual contexts*. Manuscript presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, Prague, Czech Republic.

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Savage, M. W., Scarduzio, J, Carlyle, K., Harris, K., Richardson, E., & Pullia, A. (2016, November). *A mixed-method study of intimate partner violence: How sex and severity impact perceptions of perpetrator prior involvement, abnormality, and responsibility*. Manuscript presented at the 102nd annual conference of the National Communication Association, Philadelphia, PA.

Savage, M. W., Scott, A., Dennis, H., Zelaya, C., Nawaz, A., Aalboe, J. A., Mullins, R., & Stein, P. (2016, November). *Toward a socio-contextual model of oral health disparities in Appalachian Kentucky*. Manuscript presented at the 102nd annual conference of the National Communication Association, Philadelphia, PA.

Savage, M. W., Sheff, S., Richardson, E., Pullia, A., Carlyle, K., Scarduzio, J, & Harris, K. (2016, June). *Examining news stories of intimate partner violence: An experimental examination of perpetrator sex and violence severity*. Manuscript presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, Fukuoka, Japan.

Jones, S., & **Savage, M. W.** (2016, May). *Examining cyberbullying bystander behavior using a multiple goals perspective*. Manuscript presented at the 12th annual International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry, Urbana-Champaign, IL.

Record, R. A., Helme, D., Harrington, N. G., & **Savage, M. W.** (2015, November). *Let's Clear the Air: A campaign that effectively increased compliance with a university's tobacco-free policy*. Manuscript presented at the 101st annual conference of the National Communication Association, Las Vegas, NV.

Record, R. A., Helme, D., Harrington, N. G., & **Savage, M. W.** (2015, May). *Using the Theory of Planned Behavior to design messages aimed at increasing compliance with a tobacco-free policy*. Manuscript presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Carlyle, K. E., Orr, C., **Savage, M. W.,** & Babin, E. A. (2014, November). *News coverage of intimate partner violence: Impact on prosocial responses*. Manuscript presented at the 100th annual conference of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Savage, M. W., Reno, J., Jones, S., & Veil, S. (2014, November). *Targeting the Stop.Think.Connect. cybersecurity campaign to university campuses*. Manuscript presented at the 100th annual conference of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Record, R. A., & **Savage, M. W.** (2014, November). *Developing a measure of compliance to university tobacco-free policies*. Manuscript presented at the 100th annual conference of the National Communication Association, Chicago, IL.

Savage, M. W., Aalboe, J., Scott, A. M., Wilburn, B., Stein, P., Turner, S., Mullins, M. R., Ebersole, J. L., & Blackwell, C. (2014, April). *Misconceptions about Oral Health in Appalachian Kentucky: Implications for Message Design*. Keynote presentation at the preconference of the 10th annual Kentucky Conference on Health Communication, Lexington, KY.

Scott, A. M., **Savage, M. W.**, Aalboe, J., Wilburn, B., Stein, P., Turner, S., Mullins, M. R., Ebersole, J. L., & Blackwell, C. (2014, March). *Perceptions of oral health among students at Morehead State University: Findings from a focus group investigation*. Poster presented at the Center for Clinical and Translational Science Spring Conference, Lexington, KY.

Savage, M. W., Scott, A. M., Aalboe, J., Wilburn, B., Stein, P., Turner, S., Mullins, M. R., Ebersole, J. L., & Blackwell, C. (2014, March). *Baseline oral health survey of Morehead State University Undergraduates*. Poster presented at the Center for Clinical and Translational Science Spring Conference, Lexington, KY.

Hess, A., Menegatos, L., & **Savage, M. W.** (2013, November). *A mixed method analysis of how college students communicate about risk regarding drunken sexual encounters*. Manuscript presented at the 99th annual National Communication Association Convention, Washington DC.

Savage, M. W., & Byrd, D. (2013, April). *Integrating social media into instructional settings*. Review of research and live demonstration presented at the 19th annual New Directions in Health Professions Education and Kentucky Practice-Based Research Networks Collaborative Conference, Lexington, KY.

Roberto, A. J., **Savage, M. W.**, & Eden, J. (2012, November). *The role of communication theory and research in understanding and preventing cyberbullying victimization and perpetration*. Manuscript presented at the 98th annual National Communication Association Convention, Orlando, FL.

Deiss, D. M., **Savage, M. W.**, & Tokunaga, R. S. (2012, May). *Antecedents and outcomes associated with deviant online behavior: Testing a model of cyberbullying perpetration*. Manuscript presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, Phoenix, AZ.

Deiss, D. M., **Savage, M. W.**, Eden, J., Ramos-Salazar, L., & Roberto, A. J. (2012, February). *Outcome evaluation results of school-based cybersafety promotion and cyberbullying prevention intervention for middle school parents*. Manuscript presented at the 83rd annual Western States Communication Association Convention, Santa Fe, New Mexico. [**Recognized as one of the Top 4 Papers in the WSCA Interpersonal Communication Division**]

Harris, K. L., Palazzolo, K. E., Scarduzio, J. A., & **Savage, M. W.** (2011, November). *"I'm not sexist, but . . .": How ideological dilemmas reinforce sexism in talk about intimate partner violence.* Manuscript presented at the 97th annual National Communication Association Convention, New Orleans, LA.

Menegatos, L., & **Savage, M. W.**, & Roberto, A. J. (2011, November). *Friends don't let friends hook up drunk unless... examining gender and intoxication influences on college students' interpersonal protective behaviors.* Manuscript presented at the 97th annual National Communication Association Convention, New Orleans, LA.

Roberto, A. J., **Savage, M. W.**, Ramos-Salazar, L., Deiss, D. M., Eden, J. (2011, November). *Outcome evaluation results of school-based cybersafety promotion and cyberbullying prevention intervention for middle school students.* Manuscript presented at the 97th annual National Communication Association Convention, New Orleans, LA.

Strom, R. E., & **Savage, M. W.** (2011, November). *Expectation versus reality: How college freshman communicate in and out of the classroom.* Manuscript presented at the 97th annual National Communication Association Convention, New Orleans, LA.

Menegatos, L., & **Savage, M. W.** (2011, March). *Who tries to stop Jane from hooking up drunk? The influence of gender, alcohol consumption, and social norms in college students' use of interpersonal protective behaviors with female friends.* Manuscript presented at the 82nd annual Western States Communication Association Convention (WSCA), Monterey, CA. [**Recognized as the Top Student Paper in the WSCA Health Communication Division**]

Deiss, D. M., & **Savage, M. W.** (2010, November). *Bridging the gap in the study of cyberbullying: Placing the study of cyberbullying within the dark side of interpersonal communication research.* Manuscript presented at the 96th annual National Communication Association Convention, San Francisco, CA.

Roberto, A. J., Eden, J., **Savage, M. W.**, Deiss, D. M., & Salazar, L. R. (2010, November). *Prevalence and predictors of cyberbullying behavior in high school seniors.* Manuscript presented at the 96th annual National Communication Association (NCA) Convention, San Francisco, CA. [**Recognized as one of the Top 4 Papers in the NCA Applied Communication Division**]

Savage, M. W. (2010, November). *Understanding the communication of commitment for students at institutions of higher learning.* Poster presented at the 96th annual National Communication Association Convention, San Francisco, CA.

Savage, M. W., & Deiss, D. M. (2010, November). *Sticks and stones might break my bones, but typed words will really hurt me: Testing a cyberbullying victimization intervention.* Manuscript presented at the 96th annual National Communication Association Convention, San Francisco, CA. [**Recognized as the Top Student Paper and as one of the Top 4 Papers in the NCA Health Communication Division**]

Scarduzio, J. A, Harris, K. L., **Savage, M. W.**, & Palazzolo, K. E., (2010, November). *Reading between the lines: Examining perceptions of female aggressors in news stories about intimate partner violence*. Manuscript presented at the 96th annual National Communication Association Convention, San Francisco, CA.

Palazzolo, K. E., **Savage, M. W.**, Scarduzio, J., & Harris, K. (2010, April). *Female perpetrators of Intimate Partner Violence: A pilot study of perceptions of responsibility and punishment preferences*. Poster presented at the 11th biennial Kentucky Conference on Health Communication, Lexington, KY.

Strom, R. E., & **Savage, M. W.** (2010, March). *Assessing the relationships between goal commitment, supportive communication, and students' expectations to persist in college*. Manuscript presented at the 81st annual Western States Communication Association Convention, Anchorage, AK.

Montoya, Y., & **Savage, M. W.** (2010, January). *Implicating the organization: Applying an organizational emotional scholarship lens to the study of retention in higher education*. Manuscript presented at the Northern Arizona University Multidisciplinary Graduate Conference, Flagstaff, AZ.

Savage, M. W., Cereleja, S., & Dudley, M. (2008, November). *Top 8: Assessing the implications of romantic commitment within ranking in the context of MySpace*. Manuscript presented at the 94th annual National Communication Association Convention, San Diego, CA.

Savage, M. W. (2007, November). *The effects of self-construal and perceptions of power distance on communication apprehension and argumentativeness*. Manuscript presented at the 93rd annual National Communication Association Convention, Chicago, IL.

FUNDED (OR UNDER REVIEW) EXTERNAL RESEARCH GRANTS

California's Call to Service Initiative

Project Description: Supporting service-learning curriculum, strengthening community engagement infrastructure, and advancing SDSU's Carnegie Community Engagement classification, while promoting inclusive, high-quality learning aligned with RTP criteria for teaching excellence and professional growth.

Amount: Funded, \$45,000

Awarded: Aug 2023-Aug 2024

Position, Role: PI as Director of SDSU Academic Community Engagement (ACE)

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

National Cancer Institute of the National Institutes of Health (U54CA132384 & U54CA132379), San Diego State University and University of California San Diego Moores Cancer Center Partnership

Project Description: Improving Disparities in Germline Testing in Hispanic Men with Prostate Cancer.
Amount: \$75,000
Awarded: May-August, 2021
Position, Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)/Consultant
PI: Hala Madanat, Ph.D. (SDSU), CO-PI: Rana McKay, M.D. (UCSD)

National Institutes of Health, University of Utah Center for Excellence in Ethical, Legal and Social Implication Research (UCEER)

Project Description: Mapping the Genetics Communication Circuit: Genetic Counseling, Family Conversations, and Information Seeking Behaviors.
Amount: \$31,250
Awarded: March 2018-Spring 2021
Position, Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
Supervisor: Heather Canary, Ph.D.

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

Appalachian Regional Commission

Project Description: Appalachian Rural Dental Educational Partnership IV (ARDEP – Year 4); Evaluating a Regional Health Communication Campaign
Amount: \$350,000 (including indirects)
Awarded: April 1, 2016-June 30, 2017
Position, Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
PI: Stephanos Kyrkanides, D.D.S., Ph.D., M.S.

Appalachian Regional Commission

Project Description: Appalachian Rural Dental Educational Partnership IV (ARDEP – Year 3); Implementing a Regional Health Communication Campaign
Amount: \$350,000 (including indirects)
Awarded: April 1, 2015-June 30, 2016
Position, Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
PI: Wayne D. Andrews, D.D.S.

Appalachian Regional Commission

Project Description: Appalachian Rural Dental Educational Partnership IV (ARDEP – Year 2); Implementing a Regional Health Communication Campaign
Amount: \$340,000 (including indirects)
Awarded: April 1, 2014-June 30, 2015
Position, Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
PI: Wayne D. Andrews, D.D.S.

Appalachian Regional Commission

Project Description: Appalachian Rural Dental Educational Partnership IV (ARDEP – Year 1);
Designing a Regional Health Communication Campaign
Amount: \$315,000 (including indirects)
Awarded: April 1, 2013-June 30, 2014
Position, Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
PI: Wayne D. Andrews, D.D.S.

State of Hawaii Department of Health, Drug Abuse Division

Project Description: Planned, implemented, and assessed late night alternative programming
efforts at the University of Hawaii at Manoa residence halls.
Amount: \$12,500
Awarded: January, 2005
Position, Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
PI: Dee Uwono-Koike, Ph.D.

Hawaii Partnership to Prevent Underage Drinking

Project Description: Designed and implemented campus wide social norms poster campaign.
Amount: \$3,000
Awarded: May, 2004
Position, Role: Committee member: UHM Alcohol and Drug Prevention Committee.
Assisted supervisor with writing the grant application.
PI: Dee Uwono-Koike, Ph.D.

UNFUNDED EXTERNAL RESEARCH GRANTS

National Cancer Institute (K08: PAR-21-299)

Project Description: Dr. Juan Javier-DesLoges' K08 NCI Mentored Clinical Scientist Research
Career Development Award to Promote Diversity, PAR-21-299.
Amount: Approximately \$253,700
Awarded: Scored but not funded. Program Officer suggested other directions for
supporting clinical trial work implicated in SDSU-UCSD Cancer
Partnership
Position, Role: Mentor
PI: DesLoges

National Science Foundation

Project Description: Data Science for All: Toward Institutionalization of Data Science
Education for Future Workforce Development
Awarded: Not funded
Position, Role: Consultant
PI: Kaveh Abrahi, PhD

National Institutes of Health (OTA-21-008, The NIH Common Fund's Bridge to Artificial
Intelligence (Bridge2AI) Program)

Project Description: Multi-omic AI/ML-ready data concurrently measured directly from native
disease context to enable functional genomics and clinical applications.

Amount: \$1,629,734
Awarded: Scored but not funded.
Position, Role: Co-Principal Investigator (Co-PI)
Co-PI: Lisa Kath, Ph.D.

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA-16-041)

Project Description: University of Kentucky Project to Create a National Center for Transformative Oral Health Education in Primary Care
Amount: \$750,000
Status: Scored 113/120; not funded. Reapplication recommended.
Position, Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
PI: William Elder, M.D.

National Science Foundation

Project Description: Implement and evaluate the Stop.Think.Connect cybersecurity awareness campaign
Amount: \$310,000 (including indirects)
Status: Scored; not funded.
Position, Role: Co-Principal Investigator (Co-PI)
Co-PI: Shari Veil, Ph.D.

FUNDED INTERNAL RESEARCH GRANTS

Seed Grant Program, The Division of Research and Innovation, San Diego State University

Project Title: Nutrition lifestyle intervention for Hispanic & Latino Men with Prostate Cancer
Project Description: Develop a video-based nutrition educational intervention tool.
Amount: \$7500
Awarded: November, 2024.
Position/Role: PI

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-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

Sustainability Challenge Grant, University of Kentucky

Project Title: Innovation in Kentucky Forest Products: Sustainable Forests, Housing and Communities using one of Kentucky's Abundant Renewable Resources

Project Description: Multidisciplinary research and awareness project proposes to investigate commercialization of a forest species in the Commonwealth of Kentucky resulting in public awareness campaign about sustainable products.
Amount: \$32,800 (not funded)
Awarded: October, 2016-June 2017
Position/Role: Co-I (Co-PIs: Chad Niman, Forestry; Bruce Swetnum, College of Design)

Research Support Grant, College of Communication and Information, University of Kentucky

Project Title: Improving interactions between emergency personnel and intimate partner violence victims: A theory based training approach to address interpersonal skills deficits
Project Description: Program to train sheriff's deputies and 911 operators about interacting with victims of intimate partner violence
Amount: \$2,000
Awarded: June-December, 2016
Position/Role: PI (CO-Is: Jennifer Scarduzio, Ph.D., Brandi Frisby, Ph.D.)

Ignite Pilot Grant, College of Communication and Information, University of Kentucky

Project Title: Transparency in Medical Error Disclosure: Exploring Organizational Culture and Barriers
Project Description: Formative research to develop comprehensive UKHealthCare medical error interpersonal communication disclosure training.
Amount: \$33,836
Awarded: June-December, 2016
Position/Role: Co-I (PI: Mandy Jones, PharmD, College of Pharmacy; CO-Is: Jennifer Scarduzio, Ph.D., Department of Communication, Dr. Erika Erlandson, MD, Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, & Dr. Katherine McKinney, MD, General Internal Medicine)

SDR Pilot Grant, College of Communication and Information, University of Kentucky

Project Title: Enhancing the "Speak Up, Stand Up" Intimate Partner Violence Campaign: A Community-Based Pilot Study with the Fayette County Sheriff's Office
Project Description: Enhance messaging and interpersonal features of a community health campaign to collect pilot data for external application to Department of Justice, Office of Violence against Women, Research & Evaluation Program.
Amount: \$9,103
Awarded: May-August, 2016
Position/Role: Co-I (PI: Jennifer Scarduzio, Ph.D.)

Summer Research Fellowship, Office of the Vice Provost for Research, University of Kentucky

Project Title: Formative research to prepare for the implementation and evaluation of Stop.Think.Connect
Project Description: Conduct focus groups, campaign implementation, and write publication.
Amount: \$7,500

Awarded: June-August, 2013

Dissertation Research Funds Award, Hugh Downs School of Human Communication, Arizona State University

Project Title: Developing a Measure of Cyberbullying Perpetration and Victimization.

Project Description: Competitively selected among HDSHC graduate students to receive funding to support dissertation research progress.

Amount: \$1,000

Awarded: January, 2012

Summer Research Grant, Hugh Downs School of Human Communication, Arizona State University

Project Title: University of Texas at Austin Statistics Institute advanced course in Structural Equation Modeling.

Project Description: Competitively selected among graduate students to receive advanced statistical training to support my research agenda.

Amount: \$1,700

Awarded: March, 2011

Jump Start Grant, Graduate and Professional Student Association, Arizona State University

Project Title: Media perceptions of Intimate Partner Violence

Project Description: Qualitative study investigating perceptions of male and female perpetrators.

Amount: \$500

Awarded: April, 2010-April, 2011

Position, Role: Co-PI with Jennifer Scarduzio, M.A.

Summer Research Grant, Hugh Downs School of Human Communication, Arizona State University

Project Title: University of Texas at Austin Statistics Institute advanced course in Hierarchical Linear Modeling.

Project Description: Competitively selected among HDSHC graduate students to receive advanced statistical training to support my research agenda.

Amount: \$1,675

Awarded: March, 2010

Office of the Vice President for Research and Economic Affairs, Arizona State University

Project Title: Female Perpetrators of Intimate Partner Violence (IPV)

Project Description: Multi-methodological study of newspaper media portrayals of Intimate Partner Violence

Amount: \$750

Awarded: November, 2009-May, 2010

Position, Role: Co-PI with Jennifer Scarduzio, M.A.

Office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of Hawaii

Project Title: Investigating the relationship between different types of commitment, social integration, and persistence at the university
Project Description: Longitudinal research project assessing freshmen persistence (2007-2008).
Amount: \$10,000
Awarded: June, 2007
Position, Role: Co-I.
Faculty Supervisor: PI: Renee E. Strom, Ph.D.

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-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

Pilot Research Grant, Center for Clinical and Translational Science, University of Kentucky

Project Title: Process and outcome evaluation of Project Speak Out
Project Description: Manage implementation logistics, conduct quasi-experimental evaluation, write publication.
Amount: \$25,000
Awarded: Not funded.

SELECTED RESEARCH WORKS/AREAS IN-PROGRESS (not exhaustive)

Savage, M. W., & McKay, R. R. (In Progress). Video-based educational interventions to promote patient-centered care for cancer patients. Ongoing projects and publication activity.

Savage, M. W. (In Progress). A cyberbullying research agenda in health communication. Ongoing projects and publication activity.

Savage, M. W., Scarduzio, J., Carlyle, K., & Harris, K. (In Progress). Media portrayals of intimate partner violence. Ongoing projects and publication activity.

Savage, M. W., Scott, A., Aalboe, J. A., Stein, P., & Mullins, R. (In Progress). Summative evaluation of Appalachian Rural Dental Education Partnerships. Data analysis and reporting.

TEACHING EFFECTIVENESS

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

San Diego State University, Instructor of Record

- COMM 445- Relational Communication (Redeveloped Curriculum)
- COMM 425- Health Communication Campaigns (Redeveloped Curriculum)
- COMM 424- Health Communication & Relationships (Developed Curriculum)
- COMM 420- Quantitative Communication Research Methods (Redeveloped Curriculum)
- COMM 321- Intro to Health Communication (Redeveloped Curriculum)

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

San Diego State University, Instructor of Record

- COMM 725/750 (Graduate)- Health Communication Campaigns (Developed Curriculum)
- COMM 620 (Graduate)- Quantitative Research Methods
- COMM 601 (Graduate)- Intro to Communication Theory and Methods (Developed Curriculum)
- COMM 499- Research Apprenticeship Program (RAP; Independent Research Study, Developed Curriculum and RAP Program)
- COMM 499/GS480- Faculty Student Mentor Program (FSMP; Developed Curriculum)
- COMM 495/GS 480- Communication Research Methods in the Field (Binational Service Learning Course; Developed Curriculum)
- COMM 445- Relational Communication (Redeveloped Curriculum)
- COMM 425- Health Communication Campaigns (Redeveloped Curriculum)
- COMM 424- Health Communication & Relationships (Developed Curriculum)
- COMM 421- Communication Research Methods in the Field (Binational Service Learning Course; Redeveloped Curriculum for online COVID-19 delivery)
- COMM 421- Health Communication and Community Based Service Learning (Service Learning Course; Redeveloped Curriculum)
- COMM 420- Quantitative Communication Research Methods
- COMM 321- Intro to Health Communication (Redesigned Curriculum for Online Courses in 6 and 8 week formats)
- GS100- University Seminar

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

San Diego State University, Instructor of Record

- COMM 721- Health Communication (Developed Curriculum)
- COMM 620- Quantitative Research Methods
- COMM 445- Relational Communication
- COMM 424- Health Communication & Relationships (Developed Curriculum)

San Diego State University Guest Lectures

- “Getting Students to Read Journal Articles: Reading Summary Form (RSF),” Invited talk for the School of Communication Colloquium Series, April, 2017.

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

University of Kentucky, Instructor of Record

- CJT 765- Health Communication Campaigns
- CJT 775- Multivariate Statistics in the Behavioral Sciences
- COM 572- Health Campaigns and Communities
- COM 571- Interpersonal Communication in Health Contexts (Developed Course)
- COM 449- Social Processes and Effects of Mass Communication
- COM 365- Research Methods

- COM 311- Patient-Provider Communication

University of Kentucky Guest Lectures

- “Appalachian Rural Dental Education Partnership,” Invited lecture for Dental School Residents Training, November, 2015.
- “Cross-Language Properties: Hawaiian Creole English,” Invited lecture for COM 350: Language and Communication, October, 2015.
- “Cyberbullying Amongst Adolescents,” Invited lecture for COM 352: Social Media and Interpersonal Communication, University of Kentucky, November, 2014.
- “Cyberbullying Media Portrayals,” Invited lecture for COM 449: Social Processes and Effects of Mass Communication, University of Kentucky, November, 2014.
- “Stop.Think.Connect.: Planning a Campus Cybersecurity Campaign,” Invited talk for the College of Communication and Information Research Seminar Series, University of Kentucky, November, 2013.
- “Recent Trends in Cyberbullying Research among Undergraduate Students,” Invited lecture for COM 352: Social Media and Interpersonal Communication, University of Kentucky, October, 2013.
- “A Look at Community-Embedded Bullying Prevention Programs,” Invited lecture for Social Work (SW) 421: Human Behavior and the Social Environment, University of Kentucky, December, 2012, and March, 2013.

Arizona State University, Instructor of Record

- COM 430- Leadership Group Communication
- COM 408- Advanced Quantitative Research Methods
- COM 310- Relational Communication
- COM 308- Research Methods
- COM 230- Small Group Communication
- COM 110- Interpersonal Communication

Arizona State University Guest Lectures

- “Effective Public Speaking for Student Leaders,” Invited professional development trainer at the Arizona Undergraduate Student Leadership Conference, October, 2011.
- “Presentation Skills for Professionals,” Invited day long training for Arizona State University Student Engagement Office staff, January, 2011.
- “Domestic Violence: Making it a Community Issue,” Invited talk for the Association of Human Communication, November, 2010.
- “Social and Legal Influences on the Family,” Invited lecture for COM 411: Family Communication, Arizona State University, September, 2009

Paradise Valley Community College, Instructor of Record

- COM 225- Public Speaking

University of Hawaii, Instructor of Record (or TA)

- SP 151- Intro to Communication
- SP 251- Public Speaking

- SP 302- Research Methods (TA)

University of Hawaii Guest Lectures

- “Effective Public Speaking for Student Leaders,” Invited professional development trainer at the Arizona Undergraduate Student Leadership Conference, October, 2011.
- “Understanding Commitment in Students’ Persistence Decisions,” Department of Speech Colloquium Series, April, 2008.
- “Professional Public Presentations and Interviews,” Assistant to Dr. Amy S. E. Hubbard with training for senior executives of a private organization (Hawaii Pacific Health), January, 2008.
- “Connect. Care. Create: Communication in the Workplace,” University of Hawaii at Manoa Office of Student Affairs Professional Development Conference, January, 2008.
- “Effective Public Speaking,” Assisted Dr. Amy S. E. Hubbard with training for managers of private corporation (Hawaii Pacific Health), August, 2007.
- “The ABC’s of Alcohol on Hawaii’s Campuses,” MADD Hawaii annual conference, April, 2006.
- “Late Night Programming and Alternatives,” Island Resident Advisor & Peers Conference, February, 2006.
- “Successful Programming in Your Residence Halls,” University of Hawaii at Manoa Resident Advisor Fall Training, August 2005 & Spring Training, January, 2006.
- “PARTY: Presentation on Alcohol and Other Drugs within the College Community,” University of Hawaii at Manoa Fall Freshman Orientation, August, 2005, & August, 2006.
- “Underage Drinking and Alcohol on Campus: Providing Education and Collective Alternatives,” University of Hawaii System-wide Deans and Directors of Student Affairs Conference, 2005.
- “Safe Zone Training,” University of Hawai‘i at Manoa Resident Advisor Training, Fall Training, August 2004 & Spring Training, January, 2005.

SUPERVISED/CURRENTLY SUPERVISING STUDENTS

Thesis Committee Member, School of Communication, SDSU

- Lindsay Smith, 2023-2024 (In Progress)

MA Comprehensive Exam Chair, School of Communication, SDSU

- Catalina Gallegos, 2023-2024 (In Progress)

MA Comprehensive Exam Committee Member, School of Communication, SDSU

- Khori Cranford, 2023-2024 (In Progress)

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

Thesis Chair, School of Communication, SDSU

- Ian Strate, Completed 2023

Thesis Committee Member, School of Communication, SDSU

- Caroline Mahoney, Completed 2023
- Mikay Parsons, Completed 2022

MA Comprehensive Exam Chair, School of Communication, SDSU

- Ashley Lyons, Completed 2022
- Carly Hepler, Completed 2021

MA Comprehensive Exam Committee Member, School of Communication, SDSU

- Daylon Hawn, Completed 2022
- Giuliano McDonald, Completed 2022
- Tanya Ortiz, Completed 2022
- William Wilson, Completed 2022
- Michael Barnes, Completed 2021
- Michael Pesavento, Completed 2021
- Brett Walsh, Completed 2021
- David Williams, Completed 2021
- Gumaro Sanudo, Completed 2020
- Evelyn Puga, Completed 2020

Undergraduate Research Assistants, School of Communication, SDSU

- Jennifer Alvarado, 2021-2022 FSMP Research Assistant
- Katya Azzam, 2021-2022 FSMP Research Assistant
- Mathew Mitchell, 2021-2022 FSMP Research Assistant
- Brianna Pham, 2021-2022 FSMP Research Assistant
- Hailea Stone, 2021-2022 FSMP Research Assistant
- Katherine Chen, 2021-2022 FSMP Research Assistant
- Natalie Johnson, 2021-2022 FSMP Research Assistant
- Shayan Edabat, 2021-2022 FSMP Research Assistant
- Shaylee Anderson, 2021-2022 FSMP Research Assistant
- Grace Tan (independent study, advised to be RA with Dr. Dykstra-Devette), 2021-2022 RAP Research Assistant
- Katherine Chen (independent study, advised to work as RA with Dr. Asante), 2021-2022 RAP Research Assistant
- Katya Azzam, Spring 2021 Research Apprentice (independent study, advised to work as RA at the Third Hand Smoke Center, SDSU, with Dr. Rachael Record), 2021-2022 RAP Research Assistant
- Shaylee Anderson, Spring 2021 Research Apprentice (independent study, advised to work as RA at the Third Hand Smoke Center, SDSU, with Dr. Rachael Record), 2021-2022 RAP Research Assistant
- Montana Baker (independent study, advised to work as RA with Dr. Beach), 2021-2022 RAP Research Assistant
- Natalie Johnson (independent study, advised to work as RA with Dr. Czech), 2021-2022 RAP Research Assistant

- Shayan Edabat (independent study, advised to work as RA with Dr. Chen), 2021-2022 RAP Research Assistant
- Jennifer Alvarado, 2020-2021 FSMP Research Assistant
- Katya Azzam, 2020-2021 FSMP Research Assistant
- Christian Cordon, 2020-2021 FSMP Research Assistant
- Abigail Mellow, 2020-2021 FSMP Research Assistant
- Mathew Mitchell, 2020-2021 FSMP Research Assistant
- Claire Dennis, Fall 2020 Research Apprentice (independent study, advised to work as RA with Dr. Dykstra-DeVette), 2020-2021 RAP Research Assistant
- Elise Gary, Fall 2020 Research Apprentice (independent study, advised to work as RA at the Third Hand Smoke Center, SDSU, with Dr. Rachael Record), 2020-2021 RAP Research Assistant
- Ria Diddee, Fall 2020 Research Apprentice (independent study, advised to work as RA at the Third Hand Smoke Center, SDSU, with Dr. Rachael Record), 2020-2021 RAP Research Assistant
- Lucia Alvarez-Malo, 2019-2020 RAP Research Assistant
- Nicole Deis, 2019-2020 RAP Research Assistant
- Ruth Jordan, 2019-2020 RAP Research Assistant
- Vanessa Leyba, 2019-2020 RAP Research Assistant
- Mariya Nadberezhna, 2019-2020 RAP Research Assistant
- Samuel Santillan, 2019-2020 RAP Research Assistant
- Makenna Rubinstein, 2019-2020 RAP Research Assistant

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

MA Comprehensive Exam Chair, School of Communication, SDSU

- Brianna Avalos, Completed 2019
- Aaron Dellefield, Completed 2019
- Darius Newhall, Completed 2019
- Kevin Roberts, Completed 2019

MA Comprehensive Exam Committee Member, School of Communication, SDSU

- Nicholas Stump, Completed 2018

Undergraduate Research Assistants, School of Communication, SDSU

- Natalie Beaupre, 2018-2019 RAP Research Assistant
- Jezyle Diez, 2018-2019 RAP Research Assistant
- Alex Gilmore, 2018-2019 RAP Research Assistant
- Julia Goldberg, 2018-2019 RAP Research Assistant
- Ranisha Hernandez, 2018-2019 RAP Research Assistant
- Ruth Jordan, 2018-2019 RAP Research Assistant
- Katharine Milne, 2018-2019 RAP Research Assistant
- James Owens, 2018-2019 RAP Research Assistant
- William Mac Tavish, 2018-2019 RAP Research Assistant

- Tava Espinoza, 2017-2018 Research Assistant
- Katharine Milne, 2017-2018 Research Assistant
- Scarlett Santamaria, 2017-2018 Research Assistant
- Lukas Suarez, 2017-2018 Research Assistant

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

Completed Ph.D. Dissertation Advising, Communication Department, University of Kentucky

- 2013-2015, Co-Chair: Dr. Jenna Reno (now post-doc)
- 2012-2014, Committee Member: Dr. Rachael Record (now tenured faculty)

Completed MA Thesis Advising, Communication Department, University of Kentucky

- 2013-2014, Sarah Jones, *Cyberbullying Bystander Behavior*, Chair (now tenure track faculty)

Completed MA Comprehensive Exams, Communication Department, University of Kentucky

- 2016-2018, Emma Richardson (Committee Member)
- 2016-2018, Danielle Ray (Committee Member)
- 2014-2015, Heather Scott (Chair)

TEXTBOOK CHAPTERS

Pauley, P., Spitzberg, B., & **Savage, M. W.** (2020). Interpersonal and relational communication. In S. Spitzberg (Eds.), *The communication capstone: The communication inquiry & theory experience (CITE): The communication capstone (preliminary edition)*. U.S.: Cognella.

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

Cupp, P., **Savage, M. W.**, Atwood, K., & Abadi, M. (2014). Risky health behaviors among adolescents and young adults. In N. G. Harrington (Ed.), *Health communication: Theory, method, and application*. New York: Routledge.

Helme, D., **Savage, M. W.**, & Record, R. (2014). Campaigns and interventions. In N. G. Harrington (Ed.), *Health communication: Theory, method, and application*. New York: Routledge.

CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND TEACHING INNOVATIONS

2025: COMM 420- Quantitative Communication Research Methods (Redesigned Curriculum for Online Courses in 6 and 8 week formats)

2024-2025: COMM 321- Intro to Health Communication (Redesigned Curriculum for Winter Session Online Course using 15 day format)

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

2019-2022: Faculty-Student Mentorship Program (FSMP)

2021: COMM 601 (Graduate)- Intro to Communication Theory and Methods. Developed new curriculum for largest MA cohort in the School of Communication.

2021: COMM 421- Communication Research Methods in the Field (Binational Service Learning Course; Redeveloped Curriculum for online COVID-19 delivery)

2020: Developed curriculum for COMM 499/GS480.

2019: COMM 495/GS 480- Communication Research Methods in the Field (Binational Service Learning Course; Developed Curriculum)

2018: COMM 420- Quantitative Communication Research Methods. Redeveloped curriculum.

2018: COMM 321- Intro to Health Communication (Redesigned Curriculum for Online Courses in 6 and 8 week formats)

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

2017-2018: Binational course development, “Research Methods in the Field.” In partnership with the UABC University, Tijuana, Mexico.

2017-2018: COMM 424- Health Communication & Relationships. Developed new course.

2017-2018: COMM 721- Health Communication. Developed new course.

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

2014-2015: Program Development, *Professional Program in Health Communication Sciences*, Online MS degree, University of Kentucky; Proposal Development with Dr. Elisia Cohen.

SERVICE

SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT

School of Communication, San Diego State University

2019-Present Committee Chair (elected), Retention, Tenure, & Promotion – Peer Review Committee

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

2020-2023 Committee Chair (appointed), Scholarship Committee

- 2019-2023 Director of Graduate Studies
- 2018-2023 Advisor (invited), Health Communication Student Association
Responsibilities include overseeing the undergraduate officers, being present for club and officer meetings, recruiting members, and assisting with event planning, budget, and policy adherence.
- 2018-2022 Coordinator (developed program), Research Apprenticeship Program (RAP)
I created RAP to provide an opportunity for undergraduates to work with graduate students/faculty members on research projects. I am the broker between available faculty projects interested undergraduate students. Once assigned an apprenticeship, students meet regularly with their assigned mentor to earn 1 unit of academic credit, while supervised by me. Student research apprentices meet regularly with me for ongoing training, feedback, and assessment.
- 2021-2022 Chair, Search Committee for Associate Professor in Health and Interpersonal Communication (successful search completed)

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

- Spring 2018 Speaker (invited), School of Communication Colloquium Series
- 2017-2018 Co-Advisor (invited), Health Communication Student Association
- Fall 2017 Committee Member (appointed), Capstone Faculty Search Committee

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

Department of Communication, University of Kentucky

- 2016-2017 Committee Member (elected), Personnel Committee
- Spring, 2014 Paper Reviewer (volunteered), Graduate Student Association Symposium
- 2014-2015 Committee Member (volunteered), Faculty Search Committee
- 2014-2015 Course Designer (invited, COM 449 and COM 571), redesign traditional face-to-face courses into online courses via integration of distance learning pedagogical approaches
- Fall, 2013 Committee Member (volunteered), Faculty Search Committee
- 2012-2017 Committee Member (appointed), Strategic Planning Committee

Hugh Downs School of Human Communication, Arizona State University

- Spring, 2009 Programming Assistant (volunteered), Department Colloquium Series
- Spring, 2009 Social Event Planner (volunteered), "Welcome Weekend"
- 2009-2010 President (elected), Hugh Downs School of Human Communication Graduate Student Association, ASU
- 2008-2009 Assistant to the Convention Coordinator (volunteered, assisted with paneling logistics, in charge of media logistics, and member of various committees), Western States Communication Association 80th annual convention – hosted by the Hugh Downs School of Human Communication in Phoenix, AZ
- 2008-2009 Department Representative (volunteered), Graduate and Professional Student Association
- 2008-2009 Vice-Chair (elected), Communication Graduate Student Association

Department of Speech, University of Hawaii at Manoa

- 2006-2008 Editor and Contributing Author (invited), Department of Speech Newsletter, UHM
2006-2008 Panelist (volunteered) for informative sessions to recruit prospective graduate students

SERVICE TO THE COLLEGE

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

- 2020-2023 PSFA College Personnel Committee

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

College of Communication and Information, University of Kentucky

- 2013-Present Committee Member (invited), College Diversity Committee
Fall, 2012 Facilitator/College Representative (invited), Health Educational Workshop: “Interprofessional Collaborative Care in a Patient-Centered Medical Home”, a partnership with schools of medicine, pharmacy, and nursing.

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY

San Diego State University

- 2020-present Member (invited), Steering Committee, Center for Human Rights

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

- 2022-2023 Director (appointed), Center for Academic Engagement and the Public Good
2022-2023 Senator (elected), University Senate
2018-2023 Coach (invited and competitively selected), Women’s Club Volleyball
2021-2023 Graduate Council
2017-2020 Faculty In Residence (competitively selected), Residential Education Office
2017-2023 Service Learning Faculty Fellow, Service Learning & Community Engagement Committee

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

- 2017-2023 Judge, Student Research Symposium

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

University of Kentucky

- 2014-2015 Member (invited), University Faculty Learning Community Cohort 1.5, tasked with developing recommendations for university faculty about changing to

- Canvas Learning Management System, eLearning Innovation Initiative (eLII) Office
- 2014-2015 Cohort 2 Member (competitively selected), 20 hours of course development trainings for the eLearning Innovation Initiative (eLII) Innovation + Design Lab.
- Fall, 2014 Volunteer (invited), resource person at the “K Week LGBT Welcome: Cookout and Resource Fair for Students, Faculty, and Staff” hosted by the Office for Institutional Diversity and the LGBT Task Force
- Spring, 2014 Co-Facilitator (invited), Social Media Week, Student Body Government
- Fall, 2013 Volunteer (invited), resource person at the “K Week LGBT Welcome: Cookout and Resource Fair for Students, Faculty, and Staff” hosted by the Office for Institutional Diversity and the LGBT Task Force
- Fall, 2013 Media contributor/interviewee, served as university expert for three news segments of the Lexington ABC affiliate’s (WTVQ-DT) coverage on the management of social network privacy settings. Interviewed September 24, 2013.
- Spring, 2013 Co-Facilitator (invited), Social Media Week, Student Body Government
- 2013-2014 Faculty Mentor, Adopt-a-Hall Program, Office of Residence Life
- Fall, 2012 Tutor (volunteered), to international university Fulbright Scholar and graduate student studying health communication
- Fall, 2012 Volunteer (invited), resource person at the “K Week LGBT Welcome: Cookout and Resource Fair for Students, Faculty, and Staff” hosted by the Office for Institutional Diversity and the LGBT Task Force

Arizona State University

- 2011-2012 Assembly President (elected), ASU Graduate and Professional Student Association. Presided over all meetings of the legislative body of graduate student government representing 13,000 graduate students, jointly oversee an annual total budget of \$685,000, and serve as the chair of the Assembly Operations Committee which allocates nearly \$70,000 to student development activities.
- 2010-2012 Co-Chair (appointed), Conference Committee, Associated Students of ASU
- 2009-2012 Assembly Member (elected), representing the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, Graduate and Professional Student Association
- Spring, 2011 Committee Member (volunteered), State Conflict Summit Planning Committee
- 2010-2011 Assembly President Pro-Tempore (elected), Graduate and Professional Student Association
- 2010-2011 Vice-Chair (volunteered), Assembly Operations Committee, Graduate and Professional Student Association
- 2010-2011 Committee Member (appointed), Conference Committee, Associated Students of Arizona State University
- 2009-2011 Member (volunteered), Conflict Transformation Project
- 2009-2010 Chair (invited), 2009-2010 Centennial Professorship Award Committee
- 2009-2010 Committee Member (volunteered), Internal Affairs Committee, Graduate and Professional Student Association
- 2009-2010 Committee Member (appointed), Assembly Operations Committee, Graduate and Professional Student Association
- Spring, 2009 Internal Award Reviewer (volunteered), Graduate and Professional Student Association Teaching Excellence Awards

University of Hawaii (UHM)

- 2007-2008 Department Representative (elected), Graduate Student Organization
- 2007-2008 Committee Member (invited), Manoa Undergraduate Experience and Engagement Committee, the university campus taskforce aimed at increasing student satisfaction and retention.
- 2007-2008 Coach (invited) for undergraduate student commencement speaker
- 2005-2008 Co-Founder and Vice President (elected), UHM Mother’s Against Drunk Driving (U-MADD) Chapter
- 2005-2008 Editor (invited) who oversaw revision and managed the publication of the 2005-2006, 2006-2007, and 2007-2008 UHM Student Housing Services Residence Hall Handbook.
- Sum, 2005 Co-Editor and Co-Author (invited) of the 2005-2006 UHM Parent Handbook
- Spring, 2005 Student Leader (volunteered), UHM spring semester orientation
- 2004-2006 President (elected), Inter-Hall Residence Association
- 2004-2006 University of Hawai’i Student Representative (nominated by UHM administration), Honolulu County Coalition to Prevent Underage Drinking

SERVICE TO THE ACADEMIC PROFESSION OR COMMUNICATION DISCIPLINE

Note: The following are the premier professional organizations in the communication discipline, which each host annual (or biannual) professional conferences that include refereed paper, poster presentations, instructional training, and professional service opportunities.

NCA = National Communication Association, ICA = International Communication Association, KCHC = Kentucky Conference in Health Communication, & WSCA = Western States Communication Association

- 2024-Present Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *BMC Public Health*
- 2024-Present Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Nature*
- 2024-Present Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Trauma, Violence, & Abuse*
- 2020-Present Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Cyberpsychology, Behavior, & Social Networking*
- 2015-Present Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Journal of Health Communication*
- 2014-Present Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Health Communication*
- 2011-Present Chair for panel presentations of the Health Communication Division, NCA
- 2011-Present Paper Reviewer for the Health Communication Division, NCA

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

- 2022 Co-Facilitator, California State University (CSU-Wide) Building with Inclusive Leadership summit
- 2022-2023 Chair, WSCA Health Communication Interest Group
- 2018 Chair, NCA Health Communication Division, Biannual Doctoral and Early Career Scholar Preconference

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

2016-2018 Division Secretary, NCA Health Communication Division

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

2016 Co-Chair, NCA Health Communication Division, Biannual Doctoral and Early Career Scholar Preconference
 2015-2016 Member, 2016 KCHC Planning Committee
 2015 Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Health Education Research*
 2015 Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Southern Communication Journal*
 2015 Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Communication Yearbook*
 2015 Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Internet Interventions*
 2014 Health Communication Division Representative Proxy (invited) to the Legislative Assembly, NCA
 2014 Invited Reviewer for *Communication Monographs*
 2013 Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Prevention Science*
 2013-2014 Member, 2014 KCHC Planning Committee
 2013-2014 Member, 2014 KCHC Public Relations Committee
 2012 Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Communication Quarterly*
 2011-2014 Invited/Ad-hoc Reviewer for *Current Issues in Education*
 2011-2012 Paper Reviewer for the Health Communication Division, WSCA
 2010 Invited Reviewer for *Communication Monographs* (top journal in discipline)
 2010 Member, Certification Committee, WSCA
 2009-2013 Paper Reviewer for the Student Division, NCA
 2009-2013 Panel Chair, Interpersonal Communication Interest Group, WSCA
 2008-2012 Chair for panel presentations of the Interpersonal Communication Division, NCA
 2008-2012 Paper Reviewer for the Instructional Communication Division, NCA

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

Community, San Diego, CA

2019 Keynote Speaker, San Diego County Oral Health Forum
 2018-2020 Volunteer for Border Angels

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

2017 Volunteer at Beach Clean-Up

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

Community, Lexington, KY

2015 Chair (invited), Lexington City AIDS Walk – Raised over \$10,000 for AIDS Volunteers Inc.
 2014 Chair (invited), Lexington City AIDS Walk – Raised over \$15,000 for AIDS Volunteers Inc.

- Spring, 2014 Committee Member (invited), Lexington Fairness Awards Planning Committee – Raised over \$25,000 for bullying prevention and LGBT advocacy programming in Central Kentucky.
- Fall, 2013 Committee Member (volunteered), Logistics Committee, AVOL’s Dining Out for Life.
- 2013-2015 Board Member (elected), AVOL – Serve on board of directors for AIDS Volunteers Inc., an organization that collaborates with communities to stop the spread of HIV/AIDS and to empower those affected.
- 2013-2015 Board Member (elected), Lexington Fairness – Serve on governing board of a Lexington community organization promoting anti-bullying programs in the Fayette county school system.
- 2013-2014 Development Officer (invited), GLSEN chapter (developed chapter)
- 2012-2017 Volunteer, Lexington Fairness – A Lexington community organization promoting anti-bullying programs in the Fayette county school system.

Community, Phoenix, AZ

- 2010-2012 Volunteer, GED Tutor
- Fall, 2009 Participant, Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure
- 2008-2009 Volunteer for Phoenix chapters of Mothers Against Drunk Driving, Habitat for Humanity, Project Connect: Serving Tempe’s Homeless Population, East Valley Senior Services, and the Tempe Municipal Volunteer Program

Community, Honolulu, HI

- 2005-2008 Judge (invited), Hawaii Speech League qualifying tournaments and state championship rounds
- 2003-2006 Volunteer, Hawaii Food Bank
- 2002-2008 Member and Volunteer, Hawaii Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) Chapter

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 2006-Present International Communication Association
- 2006-Present National Communication Association
- 2017-Present Western States Communication Association

-----Prior to Promotion to Professor-----

-----Prior to Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor-----

-----Prior to Affiliation with San Diego State University-----

- 2012-2017 Health Communication Research Collaborative, University of Kentucky
- 2008-2012 Western States Communication Association
- 2006-2008 Hawaii Speech League
- 2004-2006 University of Hawaii at Manoa Speech Communication Society