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EDUCATION

Ph.D. (Clinical Psychology), 8/2001

Florida State University (FSU), Tallahassee, Florida (APA-accredited)
Major advisors: Christopher J. Patrick, Ph.D.; Alan R. Lang

Master of Science (Clinical Psychology), 8/1998

Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida
Research advisor: Joyce L. Carbonell, Ph.D.

Bachelor of Arts, Cum Laude (Psychology and History), 5/1995

University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida

EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of Psychology, 8/2008 – Present

University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Department of Psychology, Champaign, IL

Associate Director of Clinical Training, 8/2008 – 8/2010

University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Department of Psychology, Champaign, IL

Assistant Professor of Psychology, 8/2004 – 8/2008

University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Department of Psychology, Champaign, IL

Assistant Professor of Psychology, 8/2001 – 8/2004

Kent State University (KSU), Department of Psychology, Kent, OH

Clinical Psychology Intern, 9/2000 – 8/2001

Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, Pittsburgh, PA

AWARDS AND HONORS

Fellow, Association for Psychological Science, June 2011

Distinguished Early Career Contributions to the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, March 2011.

Invited Participant, Lorentz Center Conference on “Context, Causes, and Consequences of Conflict”, University of Leiden, The Netherlands, August 2009.

Top Reviewer of 2009, *Biological Psychology*

Arnold O. Beckman Award, University of Illinois, 2006-2007, 2009-2010.

Featured Early Career Research Psychologist at APA’s 2nd Annual Science Leadership Conference, December 2006

Visiting Fellow, APA Advance Training Institute in fMRI, Massachusetts General Hospital, May 2006

National Institutes of Health (NIH) Clinical Research Loan Repayment Award, 2004-2006, 2006-2008

Farris Family Innovation Fund for Early Achievement, Kent State University, 2002-2004

James McKeen Cattell Award Nominee, FSU, 2002

University of Minnesota Mind and Emotion Conference Travel Award Winner, 2001

Dolores Auzenne Minority Graduate Fellowship, 2000-2001

Kellogg Dissertation Research Award, 1999

FSU Office of Graduate Studies Dissertation Research Award, 1999

Inducted into Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Societies, 1994

PUBLICATIONS

* Denotes student collaborators/advises

Journal Articles

Patrick, C.J., *Kramer, M., Tellegen, A., **Verona, E.**, & Kaemmer, B.A. (accepted). Development and preliminary validation of a Simplified-Wording Form of the Multidimensional Personality Questionnaire. *Assessment*.

*Sadeh, N., *Javdani, S., & **Verona, E.** (in press). Analysis of monoaminergic genes, childhood abuse, and dimensions of psychopathy. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*.

Verona, E., *Sprague, J., & *Javdani, S. (in press). Gender and factor level interactions in psychopathy: Implications for suicide-related behavior and borderline personality disorder. *Personality Disorders: Theory, Research, and Treatment*.

*Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (2012). Visual Complexity Attenuates Emotional Processing in Psychopathy: Implications for Fear-Potentiated Startle Deficits. *Cognitive, Affective, and Behavioral Neuroscience*, 12, 346-360.

Verona, E., *Sprague, J., & *Sadeh, N. (2012). Inhibitory control and negative emotional processing in psychopathy and antisocial personality disorder. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, 121, 498-510.

- *Sprague, J., *Javdani, S., *Sadeh, N., Newman, J., & **Verona, E.** (2012). Borderline Personality Disorder as a Female Phenotypic Expression of Psychopathy? *Personality Disorders: Theory, Research, and Treatment*, *3*, 127-139.
- Sachs-Ericsson, N., Keel, P.K., Holland, L., Selby, E.A., **Verona, E.**, Cogle, J., & Palmer, E. (2012). Parental disorders, childhood abuse, and binge eating in a large community sample. *International Journal of Eating Disorders*, *45*, 316-325.
- *Javdani, S., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (2011). Expanding our Lens: Female Pathways to Antisocial Behavior in Adolescence and Adulthood. *Clinical Psychology Review*, *31*, 1324-48.
- Verona, E.**, & *Javdani, S. (2011). Dimensions of Adolescent Psychopathology and Relationships to Suicide Risk Indicators. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, *40*, 958-971.
- *Javdani, S., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (2011). Suicidality as a Function of Impulsivity, Callous/Unemotional Traits, and Depressive Symptoms in Youth. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, *120*, 400-413.
- Verona, E.**, *Javdani, S., & *Sprague, J. (2011). Comparing Factor Structures of Adolescent Psychopathology. *Psychological Assessment*, *23*, 545-551.
- *Javdani, S., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (2011). Gendered Social Forces: A Review of the Impact of Institutionalized Factors on Women and Girls' Criminal Justice Trajectories. *Psychology, Public Policy, & Law*, *17*, 161-211.
- *Sprague, J., **Verona, E.**, Kalkhoff, W., & *Kilmer, A. (2011). Moderators and Mediators in the Stress-Aggression Relationship: The Role of Executive Function and State Anger. *Emotion*, *11*, 61-73.
- *Schoenleber, M., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (2011). Parallel syndromes: Two dimensions of narcissism and the facets of psychopathic personality. *Personality Disorders: Theory, Research, and Treatment*, *2*, 113-127.
- *Sadeh, N., *Javdani, S., *Finy, S.M., & **Verona, E.** (2011). Gender and Negative Emotional Links to Self- versus Other-Directed Violence. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*, *79*, 106-117.
- *Sadeh, N., *Javdani, S., *Jackson, J., Reynolds, E.K., Potenza, M.N., Gelernter, J., Lejuez, C.W., & **Verona, E.** (2010). Serotonin Transporter Gene Associations with Psychopathic Traits in Youth Vary as a Function of Socioeconomic Resources. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, *119*, 604-609.
- *Sprague, J., & **Verona, E.** (2010). Emotional Conditions Disrupt Behavioral Control among Individuals with Dysregulated Personality Traits. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, *119*, 409-419.
- *Sadeh, N., **Verona, E.**, *Javdani, S., & *Olson, L. (2009). Examining Psychopathic Tendencies in Adolescence from the Perspective of Personality Theory. *Aggressive Behavior*, *35*, 399-407.
- Verona, E.**, *Sadeh, N., & Curtin, J.J. (2009). Stress-induced asymmetric frontal brain activity and aggression risk. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, *118*, 131-145.
- Verona, E.**, *Sadeh, N., *Case, S., Reed, A., & *Bhattacharjee, A. (2008). Self-reported use of different forms of aggression in adolescents and young adults: Validation and correlates. *Assessment*, *15*, 493-510.
- *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (2008). Psychopathy traits and selective impairments in attentional functioning. *Neuropsychology*, *22*, 669-680.

- Verona, E., & *Sullivan, E.** (2008). Catharsis and aggression revisited: Heart rate reduction following aggressive responding. *Emotion, 8*, 331-340.
- Verona, E., & *Kilmer, A.** (2007). Stress exposure and affective modulation of aggressive behavior in men and women. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology, 116*, 410-421.
- *Sellbom, M., & Verona, E.** (2007). Neuropsychological Correlates of Psychopathic Traits in a Non-Incarcerated Sample. *Journal of Research in Personality, 41*, 276-294.
- Verona, E., Reed, A., Curtin, J., & *Pole, M.** (2007). Gender differences in emotional and overt/covert aggressive responses to stress. *Aggressive Behavior, 33*, 261-271.
- Sachs-Ericsson, N., **Verona, E.**, Joiner, T.E., Preacher, K.J. (2006). Parental verbal abuse and the mediating role of self-criticism in adult internalizing disorders. *Journal of Affective Disorders, 93*, 71-78.
- Verona, E., & Curtin, J.J.** (2006). Gender differences in the negative affective priming of aggressive behavior. *Emotion, 6*, 115-124.
- Verona, E., Joiner, T.E., Johnson, F., & *Bender, T.** (2006). Gender specific gene-environment interactions on laboratory-assessed aggression. *Biological Psychology, 71*, 33-41.
- Verona, E., & Sachs-Ericsson, N.** (2005). The intergenerational transmission of externalizing behaviors in adult participants: The mediating role of childhood abuse. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 73*, 1135-1145.
- Verona, E., *Hicks, B., & Patrick, C.J.** (2005). Psychopathy and suicidality in female offenders: Mediating effects of temperament and abuse. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 73*, 1065-1073.
- Verona, E.** (2005). Moderating effects of rumination and gender on context-specific aggression. *Aggressive Behavior, 31*, 420-436.
- Verona, E., Patrick, C. J., & Curtin, J.J., Lang, P.J., & Bradley, M.M.** (2004). Psychopathy and physiological response to emotionally evocative sounds. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology, 113*, 99-108.
- Verona, E., Sachs-Ericsson, N., & Joiner, T.E.** (2004). Suicide attempts associated with externalizing psychopathology in an epidemiological sample. *American Journal of Psychiatry, 161*, 444-451.
- Verona, E., Patrick, C.J., & Lang, A.R.** (2002). A direct assessment of the role of state and trait negative emotion in aggressive behavior. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology, 111*, 249-258.
- Verona, E., Patrick, C.J., & Joiner, T.E.** (2001). Psychopathy, antisocial personality, and suicide risk. *Journal of Abnormal Psychology, 110*, 462-470.
- Verona, E., & Carbonell, J.L.** (2000). Female violence and personality: Evidence for a pattern of overcontrolled hostility among one-time violent female offenders. *Criminal Justice and Behavior, 27*, 176-195.

Book Chapters

- Verona, E., *Sadeh, N., & *Javdani, S.** (2010). The Influences of Gender and Culture on Adolescent and Child Psychopathy. In R. Salekin & D. Lynam (Eds.). *Handbook on Child and Adolescent Psychopathy* (pp. 317-342). New York: Guilford Press.

Patrick, C.J., & **Verona, E.** (2007). The Psychophysiology of Aggression: Autonomic, Electrocortical, and Neuro-Imaging Findings. In D. Flannery, A. Vazsonyi, & I. Waldman (Eds.), *The Cambridge handbook of violent behavior and aggression* (pp. 111-150). New York: Cambridge University Press.

Verona, E. & Vitale, J. (2006). Psychopathy in women: Assessment, manifestations, and etiology. In C.J. Patrick (Ed.), *Handbook of Psychopathy* (pp. 415-436). New York: Guilford.

Verona, E., & Patrick, C. J. (2000). Suicide risk in externalizing syndromes: Temperamental and neurobiological underpinnings. In T. E. Joiner, & Rudd, D. (Eds.), *Suicide science: Expanding the boundaries* (pp. 137-173). Boston: Kluwer Academic Publishers.

Other Papers

Verona, E., & *Finy, S.M. (2011). Personality Disorders. In *Oxford Bibliographies Online: Psychology*. Ed. Dana Dunn. New York: Oxford University Press, 12/1/2011, <http://www.oxfordbibliographiesonline.com/view/document/obo-9780199828340/obo-9780199828340-0082.xml?rskey=X5eMML&result=35&q=>.

*Sass, S., Miller, G. A., & **Verona, E.** (2008). Licensure: Issues and considerations for individuals in training. *Behavior Therapist, 31*, 101-102.

Under Review or In Preparation

*Javdani, S., *Finy, M.S., & **Verona, E.** (2012). Preliminary Examination of the Validity of the Multidimensional Personality Questionnaire – Simplified Wording form (MPQ-SF) in Adolescents with Treatment Histories. Manuscript under review (Revise & Resubmit).

*Dworkin, E., *Javdani, S., Cambell, R., & **Verona, E.** (2012). Child sexual abuse and disordered eating: The mediating role of impulsive and compulsive tendencies. Manuscript under review (Revise & Resubmit).

*Zhang, W., *Finy, M.S., & **Verona, E.** (2012). Family violence clusters: Risk for self- and other-directed harm and personality mediators in adolescents. Manuscript under review.

*Finy, M.S., & **Verona, E.** (2012). The Risky Business of Adolescence: The Role of Acute Stress, Personality, and Cortisol Reactivity. Manuscript under review.

Verona, E., & Miller, G.A. (2012). Understanding Analysis of Partial Variance. Manuscript under review.

Verona, E., *Bresin, K., & Patrick, C.J. (2012). Psychopathic emotional deficits in female offenders. Manuscript in preparation.

Verona, E., *Crocker, L., *Spielberger, J., Miller, G.A., & Heller, W. (2012). Trait anger modulates attentional bias in depression: Behavioral and fMRI results. Manuscript in preparation.

Published Abstracts

*Hefner, K.R., **Verona, E.,** & Curtin, J.J. (2010). Attentional and affective consequences of safety signals in the presence and absence of threat. *Psychophysiology, 47*, S35.

*Sprague, J., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (2010). Emotional processing and inhibitory control in criminal offenders. *Psychophysiology, 47*, S47.

*Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (2010). Emotional processing as a function of visual complexity in psychopaths: Implications for emotional modulation of the startle response. *Psychophysiology*, 47, S15.

Verona, E., & Newman, J. (2010). Integrating emotion and cognition in etiological understandings of psychopathy. *Psychophysiology*, 47, S14-15.

*Sadeh, N., **Verona, E.**, Bernat, E., & Patrick, C.J. (2007). Differential correlates of alpha-asymmetry in psychopathic prison inmates. *Psychophysiology*, 44, S50.

*Kilmer, A., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (2007). Fight or Flight!: Fear, Anger, and Aggressive Responding. *Psychophysiology*, 44, S69.

*Kilmer, A., & **Verona, E.** (2006). Stress-induced negative emotional activation and aggressive behavior in men and women. *Psychophysiology*, 43, S52.

Verona, E. (2005). State and trait negative emotionality links to aggressive behavior in men and women. *Psychophysiology*, 42, S24.

Verona, E., & *Sullivan, E. (2004). Catharsis hypothesis revisited: Autonomic recovery following aggressive responses. *Psychophysiology*, 41, S31. (Abstract)

Verona, E. (2003). Using startle methodology to examine gender differences in emotional priming of aggression. *Psychophysiology*, 40, S7-S8. (Abstract)

Verona, E., & *Pole, M. (2002). Effects of negative affective priming and physiological reactivity on laboratory aggression. *Psychophysiology*, 39, S83. (Abstract)

Verona, E., Patrick, C.J., & Lang, A.R. (2001). The affective priming of aggressive behavior: Phasic and tonic emotional effects. *Psychophysiology*, 38, S97. (Abstract)

Patrick, C.J., **Verona, E.**, & *Sullivan, E. (2000). Emotion and psychopathy in female offenders. *Psychophysiology*, 37, S76. (Abstract)

Verona, E., Patrick, C.J., Bradley, M.M., & Lang, P.J. (1999). Effects of foreground content and intensity on affective startle modulation. *Psychophysiology*, 36, S121. (Abstract)

Verona, E., Curtin, J. J., Levenston, G. K., Bradley, M. M., Lang, P. J., & Patrick, C. J. (1997). Psychopathy and physiological response to emotionally evocative sounds. *Psychophysiology*, 34, S92. (Abstract)

PRESENTATIONS

Invited Talks

Verona, E. (May, 2011). Psychopathy and antisocial/externalizing: Genotypes, phenotypes, and cognitive-affective mechanisms. Early Career Award presentation at the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, Montreal, Canada.

Verona, E. (April, 2011). Psychopathy and antisocial/externalizing syndromes: Genotypic, phenotypic, and psychophysiological evidence for differential pathways to criminality and violence. Invited talk at the Biological of Social Behavior Series, Institute of Genomic Biology, University of Illinois.

- Verona, E.** (September, 2009). Stress-induced asymmetric frontal brain activity and aggression risk. Invited talk at Lorentz Center Conference on “Context, Causes, and Consequences of Conflict”, University of Leiden, The Netherlands.
- Verona, E.** (December, 2008). Etiological pathways and affective mechanisms in antisocial behavior and aggression. Department of Psychology, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA.
- Verona, E.** (November, 2008). Etiological pathways and affective mechanisms in antisocial behavior and aggression. Department of Psychology, University of Miami, Miami, FL.
- Verona, E.** (October, 2008). Genes, stress, and affective mechanisms in externalizing syndromes. Social-Personality-Organizational Division, Department of Psychology, University of Illinois, Champaign, IL.
- Verona, E.** (May, 2008). Biological risk, environmental stress, and affective mechanisms involved in dysregulated syndromes. Invited talk at the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
- Verona, E.** (February, 2007). Affective mechanisms involved in risk for externalizing disorders and aggression. Rosalind Franklin University of Health Sciences, North Chicago, IL.
- Verona, E.** (February, 2007). Affective mechanisms involved in risk for externalizing disorders and aggression. Northwestern University, Department of Psychology, Evanston, IL.
- Verona, E.** (November, 2006). Emotion and biosocial explanations of aggressive and antisocial behaviors. Honors Program, University of Illinois, Champaign, IL.
- Verona, E.** (October, 2006). Emotion and biosocial explanations of aggressive and antisocial behaviors. Department of Educational Psychology, University of Illinois, Champaign, IL.
- Verona, E.** (December, 2005). Emotion and biosocial explanations of aggressive and antisocial behaviors. Developmental Division, Department of Psychology, University of Illinois, Champaign, IL.
- Symposium and Conference Presentations**
- Verona, E.,** *Sprague, J., & *Sadeh, N. (May, 2011). Inhibitory control and emotional processing in psychopathy and antisocial personality. Symposium presentation at the 4th annual meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, Montreal, Canada.
- *Sadeh, N, & **Verona, E.** (May, 2011). Differential Deficits in Emotional Reactivity and Attentional Selection in Psychopathy vs. Externalizing Psychopathology. Symposium presentation at the 4th annual meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, Montreal, Canada.
- Verona, E.,** *Sprague, J., & *Sadeh, N. (October, 2010). Inhibitory control and emotional processing in offenders varying on psychopathy. Refereed paper presentation at the 24th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Seattle, Washington.
- *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2010). Emotional processing as a function of visual complexity in psychopaths: Implications for emotional modulation of the startle response. Symposium presentation at the 50th meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Portland, Oregon.
- Verona, E.,** & Newman, J. (October, 2010). Co-chairs of symposium entitled “Integrating emotion and cognition in etiological understandings of psychopathy”. Organized for the 50th meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Portland, Oregon.

*Jackson, J.J., *Sadeh, N., *Javdani, S., & **Verona, E.** (July, 2009). Variation in the Serotonin Transporter Gene Moderates the Effect of Family Environment on Negative Emotionality. Paper presentation selected at the annual meeting of the Association for Research in Personality, July 2009, Evanston, IL. [*Winner of Rising Stars in Personality Psychology Symposium*]

*Sadeh, N., *Javdani, S., **Verona, E.**, Lejuez, C., *Finy, S., *Reynolds, L., & Wang, F. (April 2009). Why Socioeconomic Status? Deconstructing Socioeconomic Status as a Risk Factor for Callous-Unemotional Traits among Youth with the Long Allele of the Serotonin Transporter Gene. Presentation chosen for the biennial meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy. [*Winner of Special Student Paper Presentation*]

Verona, E., & *Sadeh, N. (July, 2008). Fight or Flight: Stress, EEG Frontal Asymmetry, and Aggressive Responding. Refereed paper presentation at the 18th Biennial meeting of the International Society for Research on Aggression, Budapest, Hungary.

Verona, E., *Sprague, J., *Sadeh, N., & *Javdani, S. (July, 2008). Psychopathy, Gender, and Affective Dysregulation. Invited symposium at the 8th annual conference of the International Association of Forensic Mental Health Services, Vienna, Austria [paper presented by Hedwig Eisenbarth].

Verona, E. (April, 2007). Chair of symposium entitled “Self-Report and Personality-Based Measures of Psychopathy: Examination of Construct Validity from Psychophysiological and Behavioral Data”. Presented at the 2nd meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Individual Presentation: Psychopathic personality traits and laboratory-assessed aggression.

Verona, E. (July, 2006). Individual differences in risk for stress-related aggression. Refereed paper presentation at the 17th Biennial meeting of the International Society for Research on Aggression, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Verona, E. (September, 2005). State and trait negative emotionality links to aggressive behavior in men and women. Invited symposium presentation at the 45th annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Lisbon, Portugal.

Verona, E. (July, 2005). Chair of symposium entitled “Psychopathy and Internalizing Symptoms: Risk and Resilience”. Presented at the 1st meeting of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, Vancouver, Canada.

Individual Presentation: Suicide risk and psychopathy: Putative etiological factors.

Verona, E., *Hicks, B.M., & Patrick, C.J. (March, 2005). Psychopathy and Suicidal Behavior in Female Offenders: Mediating Influences of Personality and Abuse History. Invited symposium presentation at the American Psychology-Law Society, La Jolla, CA.

Verona, E. (July, 2004). Externalizing links to suicidal behaviors. Invited symposium presentation at the 112th annual convention of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Verona, E., *Hicks, B.M., & Patrick, C.J. (October, 2003). Etiological factors for suicide and psychopathy in female offenders. Refereed paper presentation at the 18th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Toronto, Canada.

Verona, E. (October, 2003). Using startle methodology to examine gender differences in emotional priming of aggression. Invited symposium presentation at the 43rd annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Chicago, IL.

Poster Presentations

- *Finy, S.M., *Sprague, J., & **Verona, E.** (September, 2011). The Risky Business of Adolescence: The Role of Acute Stress, Personality, and Cortisol Reactivity. Poster presented at the 25th meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Boston, Massachusetts.
- *Finy, S.M., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2010). Personality Correlates of Suicide Risk in Adolescents: Differential Effects for Suicidal Ideation vs. Behavior. Poster presented at the 24th meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Seattle, Washington.
- *Hefner, K.R., **Verona, E.**, & Curtin, J.J. (October, 2010). Attentional and affective consequences of safety signals in the presence and absence of threat. Poster presented at the 50th meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Portland, Oregon. [*Distinguished Poster Award Winner*]
- *Sprague, J., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2010). Emotional processing and inhibitory control in criminal offenders. Poster presented at the 50th meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Portland, Oregon. [*Student Poster Award Winner*]
- *Schoenleber, M., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (September, 2009). Parallel syndromes: Two dimensions of narcissism and the facets of psychopathic personality. Poster presented at the 23rd annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Minneapolis, MN.
- *Javdani, S., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (September, 2009). Suicide Risk and Psychopathy Facets in Youth: Effects of Gender and Intent to Die. Poster presented at the 23rd annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Minneapolis, MN.
- *Sprague, J., & **Verona, E.** (September, 2009). Behavior Dyscontrol Under Emotional Conditions among Individuals High on Antisocial-Borderline Traits. Poster presented at the 23rd annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Minneapolis, MN.
- *Jackson, J.J., *Sadeh, N., *Javdani, S., & **Verona, E.** (February, 2009). Variation in the Serotonin Transporter Gene Moderates the Effect of Family Environment on Negative Emotionality. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Tampa, FL.
- *Sadeh, N., *Javdani, S., *Jackson, J., & **Verona, E.** (September, 2008). Serotonin polymorphisms predict psychopathic tendencies in youth as a function of socioeconomic status. Poster presented at the 22nd annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Pittsburgh, PA. [*Smadar Levin Student Poster Award Winner*]
- *Sprague, J., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (September, 2008). An examination of Borderline Personality Disorder and secondary psychopathy across genders. Poster presented at the 22nd annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Pittsburgh, PA.
- *Sadeh, N., **Verona, E.**, Bernat, E., & Patrick, C.J. (October, 2007). Differential correlates of alpha-asymmetry in psychopathic prison inmates. Poster presented at the 47th annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Savannah, Georgia.
- *Kilmer, A., *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2007). Fight or Flight: Fear, Anger, and Aggressive Responding. Poster presented at the 47th annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Savannah, Georgia.
- *Kilmer, A., **Verona, E.**, & Kalkhoff, W. (October, 2007). Executive function moderates the relationship between stress and internalizing/externalizing syndromes. Poster presented at the 21st annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Iowa City, Iowa.

- *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2007). Psychopathic personality trait differences in selective attention. Poster presented at the 21st annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Iowa City, Iowa.
- *Javdani, S., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2007). Validity of the Multidimensional Personality Questionnaire Easy Form (MPQ-EZ) for adolescents. Poster presented at the 21st annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Iowa City, Iowa.
- *Javdani, S., *Manongdo, J., *Kilmer, A., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2006). Factor structure of adolescent psychopathology and the effects of abuse and personality. Poster presented at the 20th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, San Diego, California.
- *Sadeh, N., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2006). Two measures of psychopathic tendencies in youth: Psychopathology correlates. Poster presented at the 20th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, San Diego, California.
- *Kilmer, A., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2006). Stress-induced negative emotional activation and aggressive behavior in men and women. Poster presented at the 46th annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. [*Student Poster Award Winner*]
- Verona, E.**, & *Sullivan, E. (October, 2004). Catharsis hypothesis revisited: Autonomic recovery following aggressive responses. Poster presented at the 44th annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Santa Fe, New Mexico.
- *Sellbom, M., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2004). Differential Neuropsychological Mechanisms for Two Psychopathy Factors. Poster presented at the 19th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, St. Louis, Missouri.
- *Kilmer, A., **Verona, E.**, & Kalkhoff, W. (October, 2004). Executive functioning and personality correlates of alcohol use and antisocial behavior in college students. Poster presented at the 19th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, St. Louis, Missouri.
- Verona, E.**, & Sachs-Ericsson, N. (October, 2004). Gender differences in structural relations between childhood abuse, parental history of externalizing, and adult antisocial behavior. Poster presented at the 19th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, St. Louis, Missouri.
- *Hicks, B.M., **Verona, E.**, & Patrick, C.J. (October, 2003). Gender differences in the covariation of suicide and violence: The differential effects of personality. Poster presentation at the 18th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Toronto, Canada
- *Fairchild, B., & **Verona, E.** (October, 2003). The effects of gender and rumination on anger-specific stroop interference. Poster presentation at the 18th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Toronto, Canada.
- Verona, E.**, & *Pole, M. (October, 2002). Effects of negative affective priming and physiological reactivity on laboratory aggression. Poster presented at the 42nd annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Washington, DC.
- *Pole, M., **Verona, E.**, & Docherty, N. (September, 2002). Rumination, physiological reactivity and laboratory aggression. Poster presented at the 17th annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, San Francisco, CA.

Verona, E., Patrick, C.J., & Lang, A.R. (October, 2001). The affective priming of aggressive behavior: Phasic and tonic emotional effects. Poster presented at the 41st annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Montreal, Canada.

Verona, E., Patrick, C.J., & Lang, A.R. (June, 2001). A direct assessment of the role of state and trait negative emotion in aggressive behavior. Poster presented at the 13th annual meeting of the American Psychological Society, Toronto, Canada.

Patrick, C.J., **Verona, E.,** *Sullivan, E.A. (October, 2000). Emotion and psychopathy in female offenders. Poster presented at the 40th annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, San Diego, California.

Verona, E., Patrick, C.J., Joiner, T.E. (June, 2000). Temperament mediates the relationship between antisociality and suicide risk. Poster presented at the 12th annual meeting of the American Psychological Society, Miami, FL.

Verona, E., Patrick, C.J., Bradley, M.M., & Lang, P.J. (October, 1999). Effects of foreground content and intensity on affective startle modulation. Poster presented at the 39th annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Granada, Spain.

Verona, E., Carbonell, J. L., & Curtin, J. J. (May, 1998). An observed pattern of overcontrolled hostility in one-time violent female offenders. Poster presented at 10th annual meeting of American Psychological Society, Washington, D.C.

Verona, E., Curtin, J. J., Levenston, G. K., Bradley, M. M., Lang, P. J., & Patrick, C. J. (October, 1997). Psychopathy and physiological response to emotionally evocative sounds. Poster presented at 37th annual meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Cape Code, Massachusetts.

GRANTS

Current and Completed Extramural Grants

Genes, Gendered Contexts, and Substance Use Outcomes (PI), National Institute of Drug Abuse DA027140. 225,000 TDC, 07/15/2011 – 06/30/2013.

Attention-Emotion Interactions in Psychopathy (Sponsor to Naomi Sadeh). Individual National Research Service Award (pre-doc), National Institute of Mental Health F31 MH086178, \$81,944 TDC, 09/10/2009-09/09/2011.

Using sticklebacks as a model for identifying genes related to risk-taking behavior (Consultant; PI Alison Bell), R01 GM082937-01. 2008-2013.

Training in Cognitive Psychophysiology (Core Faculty; PI Gregory A. Miller), NIMH 2T32MH019554, 08/01/1992 – 06/30/2013, \$221,064 TDC for 07/01/08-06/30/13.

Emotional and cognitive risk factors for aggression (PI). NIMH R03 Grant. Total Funds: \$135,700, 2003-2006

The Role of Negative Emotion in Aggressive Behavior (PI). NIMH R03 Dissertation Grant Award. Total Funds: \$18,262. Funded, 2000-2001

Current and Completed Intramural Grants

Principal Investigator, **Examining Stress Response and Disinhibition in Adolescent Boys Varying on the Serotonin Transporter Gene**. University of Illinois Campus Research Board. Total Funds: \$18,500. Funded, 2010-2011.

Principal Investigator, **Neurophysiological mechanisms for gene effects on antisocial personality.**
University of Illinois Campus Research Board. Total Funds: \$17,480. Funded, 2009-2010.

Principal Investigator, **Gene by Environment Effects on Suicidal and Externalizing Behaviors in Adolescents.**
University of Illinois Campus Research Board. Total Funds: \$16,096. Funded, 2006-2007.

Co-Principal Investigator, **Elaborating General Strain Theory: Examining the Role of Psychobiological Variables in the Stress-Aggression Relationship.** KSU University Research Council Award. PI: Kalkhoff, W. Total Funds: \$7000. Funded, 2004-2005

Principal Investigator, **Predictors of risk for adolescent externalizing behaviors.** KSU Farris Family Innovation Fund for Early Achievement. Total Funds: \$24,000. Funded, 2002-2004

Principal Investigator, **Gender differences in emotional and physiological risk factors for aggression.** KSU Applied Psychology Center Faculty Fellowship. Awarded course buy-out and research assistant time. Funded, 2004.

Principal Investigator, **Study of rumination as mediator of the emotion-aggression link..** KSU Applied Psychology Center Faculty Fellowship. Awarded course buy-out and research assistant time. Funded, 2002

Principal Investigator, **Emotional, physiological and cognitive risk factors for aggressive behavior.** KSU Research Council Summer Research and Creative Activity Appointment. Total Funds: \$6500. Funded, 2002

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Professional Service

Service to the Profession

Member of the Illinois State Clinical Psychologist Licensing Board, 2009-Present

Leadership Positions in Scientific Societies

Executive Board, Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, 2009-Present

Program Chair, Society for Psychophysiological Research, 2010

Program Chair, Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, 2009

Service to Scientific Societies

Program Committee, Society for Research in Psychopathology, 2010

Smadar Levin Student Poster Award Committee, Society for Research in Psychopathology, 2010

Public Relations Committee, Society for Psychophysiological Research, 2009-Present

Committee for International Outreach, Society for Psychophysiological Research, 2007-Present

Education and Training Committee, Society for Psychophysiological Research, 2004-2007

Program Committee, Society for Psychophysiological Research, 2004, 2006, 2009

Invited Participant, American Psychological Association Science Leadership Conference, 2006-2009

Memberships

Member, Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, 2005-Present

Member, International Society for Research on Aggression, 2003-Present

Member, Society for Research in Psychopathology, 2002-Present

Member, Society for Psychophysiological Research, 1997-Present

Editorial Responsibilities

Consulting Editor: *Psychological Science*, 2011-Present

Consulting Editor: *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, 2005-Present

Consulting Editor: *Assessment*, 2006-Present

Consulting Editor: *Personality Disorders: Theory, Research, and Treatment*, 2008-Present

Ad-Hoc Reviewer: *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, *Psychological Assessment*, *Journal of Abnormal Psychology*, *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*, *Biological Psychology*, *Archives of General Psychiatry*, *Biological Psychiatry*, *Assessment*, *Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology*, and others.

Grant Study Sections

NIG Grant Study Section (Special OppNet RFA: Basic Research on Self-Regulation), SRA: Jane Doussart-Roosevelt, 2011.

Ad-hoc member, NIH Grant Study Section (Psychosocial Risk and Disease Prevention), SRA: Martha Faraday, 2009.

Ad-hoc member, NIH Grant Study Section (Biobehavioral Mechanisms of Emotion, Stress and Health), SRA: Maribeth Champoux, 2005-2006.

Ad-hoc member, NIH Minority Fellowship Study Section (Brain Disorders and Clinical Neuroscience), SRA: Seetha Bhagavan, 2004.

University Service

Chair of the Institutional Review Board (IRB), University of Illinois, 2011-2014.

Member, Committee on Admissions and Academic Standards, University of Illinois, 2010-present.

Search Committee, IRB Coordinator, University of Illinois, 2009.

Member, Institutional Review Board (IRB), University of Illinois, 2009-Present.

LAS Senate (Admissions Committee, Student Life Committee), University of Illinois, 2008-2010.

Department Service

Fred Kanfer Clinical Search Committee, Department of Psychology, University of Illinois 2011-12

Advisory Committee, Department of Psychology, University of Illinois, 2008-2010.

Affective Neuroscience Search Committee, Department of Psychology, University of Illinois 2008-2009

Associate Director of Clinical Training, Department of Psychology, University of Illinois, 2006-2008, 2009-2010.

Molecular Genetics Search Committee, Department of Psychology, University of Illinois 2007-2008

Human Subjects Committee, Department of Psychology, University of Illinois, 2007-2008

Chair of Clinical-Community Awards Committee, 2006-2008, 2009-2010

University of Illinois Psychological Services Center Advisory Committee, 2004-Present.

Co-chair, University of Illinois Clinical/Community Division Admissions Committee, 2004-2006, 2007-2008, 2010-11.

Elected Member, Kent State University Psychology Department Faculty Advisory Committee, 2002-2004

Elected Member, Kent State University Psychology Department Chair Search Committee, 2002

Member, Kent State University Psychology Department Reorganization Committee, 2003-2004

Member, Kent State University Applied Psychology Center Advisory Committee, 2002-2003

Elected Member, Florida State University Psychology Department Graduate Student Advisory Committee, 1995-2000

TEACHING EXPERIENCE**Graduate Courses**

Psych 539: Clinical Science and Research in Clinical Intervention. Graduate Introductory Sequence Course. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Dept of Psychology, Champaign, IL, 2004-Present.

Psyc 574: Microskills, Graduate Pre-Practicum Course. University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Dept of Psychology, Champaign, IL, 2008-2009.

Psyc 546: Parole Assessment, Graduate Practicum Course. University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Dept of Psychology, Champaign, IL, 2008-Present

Psyc 546: Personality & Psychotherapy/Dialectical Behavior Therapy, Graduate Practicum and Seminar Course. University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Dept of Psychology, Champaign, IL, 2004-Present

Psy 60170: Adult Psychopathology. Required graduate course, Kent State University, Dept of Psychology, Kent, OH, Fall 2002

Undergraduate Courses

Psyc 238: Abnormal Psychology (1 section). University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Dept. of Psychology, Champaign, IL, Spring 2006

Psy 11762H: General Psychology – Honors Section (1 section). Kent State University, Dept of Psychology, Kent, OH, Spring 2002

Psy 40111: Abnormal Psychology (1 section). Kent State University, Dept of Psychology, Kent, OH, Spring 2002

Psych 1001: Introduction to Psychology Lecture Class (7 sections). Florida State University, Dept of Psychology, Tallahassee, FL, 1998-2000

EXP 3202-L: Sensation and Perception Laboratory (3 sections). Florida State University, Dept of Psychology, Tallahassee, FL, 1997-1998

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Licensed Clinical Psychologist in Illinois and Member of Illinois Licensing Board, Psychological Services Center, University of Illinois, Champaign, IL, 2005-Present. Specialization in clients with emotional dysregulation and personality disorders; Dialectical Behavior Therapy, Motivational Interviewing.

Parole Assessment Practicum Supervisor, Psychological Services Center, Champaign, IL, 2007-Present
Assessment practicum focusing on mental health or intake assessments of clients on probation or parole, many of who are coming out of prison. Formal training provided in the Structured Clinical Interview for DSM-IV (SCID) and the Psychopathy Checklist (PCL), as well as in the research and literature on criminal offending and psychopathic personality.

Psychotherapy Practicum Supervisor, Psychological Services Center, Champaign, IL, 2004-Present
Supervision of clinical psychology doctoral student assessment and treatment of adults and youth, focusing on emotional dysregulation and personality disorders. Formal didactics and training provided in Motivational Interviewing, Dialectical Behavior Therapy, therapeutic alliance, and personality disorders.

Clinical Supervisor, Kent State University, Kent, OH, 2001-2004. Supervision of clinical psychology graduate students working with clients in the department's psychological clinic.

Clinical Psychology Intern, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, Pittsburgh, PA, 2000-2001. Treatment and assessment of personality disorders, psychotic patients, substance-dependent populations, depressed and suicidal adolescents, adolescent sex offenders. Supervisors: Paul Pilkonis, Ph.D.; Marsha Marcus, Ph.D.

Psychological Trainee, The Easter Seal Society of North Florida, Tallahassee, FL, 9/1999 – 12/1999. Intelligence, achievement, and personality assessments to individuals requesting vocational rehabilitation. Supervisor: Joyce L. Carbonell, Ph.D.

Psychological Trainee, Regional Multidisciplinary Evaluation and Consulting Center, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL, 4/1998 – 12/1998. Psychoeducational and bilingual assessments to elementary school students of Hispanic origin. Supervisor: Beverly Atkeson, Ph.D.

Psychological Trainee, Catholic Social Services and Migrant Services, Quincy, FL, 8/1997 – 7/1998. Counseling, psychoeducational, and other psychological services to children of Mexican migrant workers and other Latino children. Supervisor: Elena Reyes, Ph.D.

Psychological Trainee, Florida State Hospital, Social Learning Unit, Chattahoochee, FL, 8/1996 – 8/1997. Assessments and behavioral interventions for chronic, institutionalized psychiatric patients. Supervisor: Jane Cormier, Ph.D.

Psychological Specialist, The Psychology Clinic at Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL, 9/1996 – 12/1997. Individual therapist for persons with a variety of problems (including: depression, ADHD, anxiety disorders, adjustment disorders, and personality disorders). Supervisors: Christopher J. Patrick, Ph.D, Richard Hagen, Ph.D., Wallace A. Kennedy, Ph.D.

WORKSHOPS CONDUCTED

Introduction to Motivational Interviewing, 3/2006, 9/2007, 6/2011. Conducted to various groups, including graduate students and community paraprofessionals. Champaign, IL, University of Illinois, Edelyn Verona, Ph.D.

Suicide Risk Assessment and Management Training, 2/2005. Champaign, IL, University of Illinois, Elaine Shpungin, Ph.D. & Edelyn Verona, Ph.D.

WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

Research and Methodology Workshops

Introduction to Matlab, 9/2010, SPR Pre-conference workshop. Montreal, Canada, Alejandro Lleras, Ph.D.

ERP Mini-Boot Camp (2 days), 10/2006, SPR Pre-conference workshop. Vancouver, Canada, Steve Luck, Ph.D.

American Psychological Association Advanced Training Institute in Functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging (5 days), 5/2006, Charlestown, MA, Massachusetts General Hospital, Robert Savoy, Ph.D.

Latent Trajectory/Growth Curve Analysis, 6/2004. Chapel Hill, NC, University of North Carolina, Kenneth Bollen, Ph.D. and Patrick Curran, Ph.D.

Applied Structural Equation Modeling, 5/2004. Ann Arbor, MI, University of Michigan, Center for Statistical Consultation and Research.

Human Genetics for the Behavioral Sciences: Introduction to Molecular and Quantitative Techniques, 10/2001, SPR Pre-conference workshop. Montreal, Canada, Gregory M. Carey, Ph.D.

Clinical and Teaching Workshops

Reflective Teaching Seminar, 2008-2009, College of Letters, Arts, & Sciences Teaching Academy, University of Illinois

Violence Risk Assessment and Management Training, 10/2004. Champaign, IL, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Stephen Hart, Ph.D.

K-SADS Training Workshop, 4/2001. Pittsburgh, PA, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, Jamie Zelazny

Beginning and Intermediate Motivational Interviewing Workshops, 2001. Pittsburgh, PA, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, Allan Zuckoff

Interpersonal Psychotherapy (IPT) Training Didactics, 10/2000. Pittsburgh, PA, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, Holly Swartz, M.D.

Clinical Work with Hispanic Populations, 2/1998. Tallahassee, FL, Tallahassee Memorial Psychiatric Center, Elena Reyes, Ph.D.

PANNS and SCI-PANNS Training Workshop, 4/1997. Chattahoochee, FL, Florida State Hospital, Staff

REFERENCES provided upon request