CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

2021 Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA Doctor of Philosophy: Clinical Psychology Concentration: Forensic Psychology

2016 The College of William & Mary, Williamsburg, VA, Magna Cum Laude Bachelor of Science: Psychology Bachelor of Arts: Sociology Honors: Psychology

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2016-Present **Graduate Research Assistant**, Dematteo Research Lab, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA Advisor: David DeMatteo, JD, PhD, ABPP (Forensic) *I assist Dr. David DeMatteo and fellow lab members in research, clinical, and writing projects pertaining*

to clinical psychology, forensic psychology, and the judicial system.

2015-2016 **Honors Thesis Student,** Psychology, The College of William & Mary, Williamsburg, VA Advisor: Danielle Dallaire, Ph.D.

Coming Home: Challenges Related to Reentry and Recidivism for Previously Incarcerated New Mothers. I conducted a follow-up study for participants previously enrolled in the Healthy Beginnings Project. My research focus was determining the impact of motherhood on reentry to society following incarceration.

2015 **Undergraduate Research Assistant,** Emotion Regulation Pilot Study, The College of William & Mary, Williamsburg, VA.

Advisors: Janice Zeman, Ph.D. & Danielle Dallaire, Ph.D. Research involved interviewing the adolescent children of incarcerated parents and primary caregivers to study the effects of parental incarceration on childhood emotional and psychological development.

2014-2016 **Undergraduate Research Assistant**, Healthy Beginnings Project, The College of William & Mary, Williamsburg, VA.

Advisor: Danielle Dallaire, Ph.D.

My role in this research project involved conducting and analyzing interviews, providing information and support to the women it serves, and tracking recidivism using an online database. The project was developed with a two-pronged research and intervention focus, working to improve birth outcomes and provide support for pregnant, incarcerated women.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

2015-2016 **Clinical Intern,** Harbor Point Behavioral Health Center, Portsmouth, VA Supervisor: Scott Cone, Ph.D.

I facilitated and assisted group, family, and individual therapy sessions with children and adolescents housed at Harbor Point Behavioral Health Center. Populations served included a child unit, general girls unit, general boys unit, self-injurious girls unit, intellectually disabled girls unit, intellectually disabled boys unit for sexual misconduct, and boys unit for sexual misconduct.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2016 (Fall) Teaching Assistant. Computer-Assisted Data Analysis I (Drexel University)
2016 (Fall) Teaching Assistant, General Psychology I (Drexel University)
2015 (Spring) Sharpe Teaching Fellow, Families, Law, and Psychology (The College of William & Mary)
2014 (Fall) Sharpe Teaching Fellow, Families, Law, and Psychology (The College of William & Mary)

PRESENTATIONS AND PUBLICATIONS

- **Perry, S.** (2016, May) Coming Home: Challenges Related to Reentry and Recidivsm for Previously Incarcerated New Mothers. Thesis presented in partial fulfillment of requirement for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Psychology from The College of William & Mary, Williamsburg, VA.
- Perry, S., Lopynski, E. & Olesen, M. (2016, February) How to Put the Residents First: Lessons from Inside the Merrimac Juvenile Detention Center. Workshop presented at the annual Active Citizens Conference, Williamsburg, VA.
- Perry, S., Kelsey, C., Dallaire, D., & Forestell, C. (2015, November). Linking Clinical Depression and Recidivism in Incarcerated Pregnant Women. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Chicago, IL.
- Dallaire, D., **Perry, S.,** Kelsey, C., & Forestell, C. (2015, November). Recidivism Rates Among Recently Incarcerated Pregnant Women. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Washington, DC.
- **Perry, S.,** Dallaire, D., & Forestell, C., (2015, September). An Exploration of Depression and Recidivism Among a Population of Incarcerated Pregnant Women. Poster presented at the Summer Research Showcase at the College of William & Mary, Williamsburg, VA
- Perry, S., Kelsey, C., Forestell, C., and Dallaire, D., (2015, April). An Examination of Incarceration, Motherhood, and Recidivism. Poster presented at the Undergraduate Research Symposium at the College of William & Mary, Williamsburg, VA.

GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2015 Kernodle Research Award, College of William & Mary (\$500)
- 2015 Student Leadership Development Conference Grant, College of William & Mary (\$300)
- 2015 Honors Fellow Scholarship, College of William & Mary (\$6,000)
- 2014 Sharpe Teaching Fellowship, College of William & Mary (\$1,000)
- 2014 Community Engagement Grant, College of William & Mary (\$600)

EMPLOYMENT AND SERVICE

- 2013 2016 **Co-Founder and Merrimac Liaison,** Merrimac Mentors, The College of William & Mary. In this role, I created and facilitated programming between residents and students at William & Mary. As a liaison between the program and detention center, I ensured all activities were appropriate and all needs of the program were met. I also oversaw and ran the orientation process for new mentors.
- 2015 2016 **Professional Development Supervisor,** Phonathon, The College of William & Mary. I supervised eighty employees during calling shifts, oversaw a team of eight lead callers in calling advanced pools and training new callers, and hosted professional development events for all employees.

- 2013 2016 **Elected Council Member,** Undergraduate Honor Council, The College of William & Mary. Elected for all three eligible terms, I was involved in the investigation and hearings of students accused of violating the Honor Code. I also served on the faculty liaison and community outreach committees.
- 2014-2015 **Lead Caller,** Phonathon, The College of William & Mary. I called elite pools of prospective donors to the College of William & Mary and trained and mentored new callers. My personal efforts raised over \$17,000 for the College in one semester.
- 2014-2015 **Risk Management Officer,** Delta Delta Delta Fraternity, The College of William & Mary. I worked with the President and Social Chair to implement risk management education and programming for the William & Mary Alpha Mu chapter, promoting healthy habits and lifestyles among its members.
- 2013 **Intern,** D.C. Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D.C. *I worked in the Internal Review and Medical Clinic Divisions. I coordinated psychological and physical evaluations for personnel, ran testing for applicants, and collated case files for internal review.*

TRAINING AND CERTIFICATIONS

 2015 Harbor Point Behavioral Health Center, United Health Services, Portsmouth, VA Behavioral Matrix, Level, and Consequence Training Blood borne Pathogens and Infection Control Training Seclusion and Restraint Procedures Training Identifying and Assessing Child Abuse & Neglect Training Trauma Informed Care Training Verbal De-Escalation Training Handle With Care (Restraint) Training and Certification
 2015 Hampton Roads Regional Jail, Portsmouth, VA Volunteer Training, Orientation and Certification
 2015 Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative

Biosafety and Security Training Series NIH Guidelines for Research Involving Recombinant and Synthetic Nucleic Acid Molecules Social and Behavioral Research Investigators – PHSC Training

- 2015 **The American Heart Association** *First Aid and First Responder Training and Certification CPR Training and Certification*
- 2014 National Institutes of Health Protecting Human Research Participants Certification

MEMBERSHIPS & RECOGNITIONS

- 2016 American Psychological Association Law Society
- 2016 Phi Beta Kappa Honors Society
- 2016 Ewell Award Recipient
- 2015 Omicron Delta Kappa Honor Society
- 2015 Psi Chi Psychology Honor Society
- 2014 Order of Omega Greek Honor Society
- 2013 Alpha Lambda Delta Freshman Honor Society
- 2013 Pi Eta Sigma Freshman Honor Society