

Curriculum Vitae Claire M. Lankford

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Education

Drexel University

Ph.D., Clinical Psychology, Forensic Psychology concentration **expected, June 2023**
M.S., Clinical Psychology **expected, November 2019**

The University of Alabama

M.S., Criminal Justice **May 2016**

University of Alabama at Birmingham

B.S., Psychology **August 2013**

Publications

Seigfried-Spellar, K., & **Lankford, C. M.** (in press). Personality and online environment factors differ for posters, trolls, lurkers, and confessors on Yik Yak. *Personality and Individual Differences*

DeMatteo, D., & **Lankford, C.** (2017). Limiting the reach of the death penalty: Indiana tried, but failed, to enact a law that would prohibit the death sentence for people with serious mental illness. Could other states come forward? *Monitor on Psychology*, 48(8), 33.

Moore, C. E., Brodsky, S. L., & Sams, D. (2016). The hidden lives of court reporters. *The Jury Expert*.

Cramer, R.J., **Moore, C.E.**, & Bryson, C.N. (2016). A test of the Trait-Interpersonal Model of suicide proneness in emerging adults. *Personality and Individual Differences*, 102, 252-259.

Bolding, M. S., Lahti, A. C., White, D., **Moore, C.**, Gurler, D., Gawne, T. J., & Gamlin, P. D. (2014). Vergence eye movements in patients with schizophrenia. *Vision Research*, 102, 64-70.

Book Chapters

DeMatteo, D., Murrie, D. C., Edens, J. F., & **Lankford, C.** (2019). Psychopathy in the courts. In M. DeLisi (Ed.), *Routledge international handbook of psychopathy and crime* (pp. 645-664). New York, NY: Routledge/Taylor & Francis Group.

Presentations

- Schiedel, R., **Lankford, C.**, Giallella, C., Savage, G., & Kosov, J. (2019, March) *Clinical Characteristics of Waitlisted Individuals and Implications for Policy and Practice: Addressing Forensic Waitlists in Policy and Practice*. Paper to presented at the 2018 Annual Conference of The American Psychology-Law Society (APA Div. 41), Portland, OR.
- Lankford, C.**, Schiedel, R., Giallella, C., Savage, G., & Kosov, J. (2019, March) *Investigation of the Association between Criminal Charges and Psycholegal Decision Making: Addressing Forensic Waitlists in Policy and Practice*. Paper to presented at the 2018 Annual Conference of The American Psychology-Law Society (APA Div. 41), Portland, OR.
- Lankford, C. M.**, Desai, A., DeMatteo, D., & Heilbrun, K. (2018, March). *Forensic mental health assessment of youth involved in terrorism*. Poster to be presented at the 2018 Annual Conference of The American Psychology-Law Society (APA Div. 41), Memphis, TN.
- Arnold, S., Desai, A., **Lankford, C. M.**, DeMatteo, D. (2018, March). *Factors that influence sentencing decisions in capital cases for defendants with mental illness*. Poster to be presented at the 2018 Annual Conference of The American Psychology-Law Society (APA Div. 41), Memphis, TN.
- Haney-Caron, E., April, K., Goldstein, N., DeMatteo, D., Bomysoad, R., Fishel, S., **Lankford, C. M.**, Singer, S., McKibben, K., Desai, A., & Ratkalkar, M. (2018, March). *False Confession in the lab: Questions raised from use of a novel paradigm*. Poster to be presented at the 2018 Annual Conference of The American Psychology-Law Society (APA Div. 41), Memphis, TN.
- Moore, C.**, & DeMatteo, D., (2017, August). *Mandatory arrest laws effect on victims of domestic violence*. Poster session presented at the 125th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- Fishel, S., **Moore, C.**, Arnold, S., Fairfax-Columbo, J., DeMatteo, D. (2017, August). *Trauma and risk assessment: Exploring the relationship between trauma and risk and the incorporation of Trauma experience into formal risk assessment*. Poster session presented at the 125th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC.
- King, C., Desai, A., Fishel, S., **Moore, C.**, & DeMatteo, D. (2017, June). *A multi-country snapshot of test usage in forensic mental health assessment using case law references*. Paper presented at the 2017 Annual Conference of the International Association of Forensic Mental Health Services, Split, Croatia.
- Moore, C. E.**, Brodsky, S. L., & Sams, D. (2016, March). *The hidden psychology of court reporters*. Poster session presented at the 2016 Annual Conference of the American Psychology-Law Society (APA Div. 41), Atlanta, GA.

Research Experience

Research Assistant

September 2016 – present

DeMatteo Lab, Drexel University

Supervisor: David DeMatteo, J.D., Ph.D, ABPP (Forensic)

- Assisted with Research Involving False Confessions
 - Administered and scored Wechsler Abbreviated Scale of Intelligence (WASI-II), Perceptions of Confession Behavior during the Holding and Interrogation Process (P-CHIP), Gudjonsson Suggestibility Scale (GSS-II) as part of a study investigating factors that make individuals vulnerable to false confessions
- *Thesis*: The Role of Insight Among Community Members with Psychopathic Characteristics
 - Designed and implemented study evaluating insight among individuals with high psychopathic traits in a community sample to determine if insight into psychopathy is associated with better outcomes (i.e., avoid criminality; long term employment).

Research Assistant

January 2015 - May 2016

Witness Research Lab, The University of Alabama

Supervisor: Stanley Brodsky, Ph.D.

- Research on court reporters and legal biases
 - Interviewed several court reporters as part of a pilot study

Research Assistant

January 2016 – May 2016

Psychology and Legal Decision Making Lab, The University of Alabama

Supervisor: Jennifer Cox, Ph.D.

- Research on male and female psychopathy and sentencing outcomes
 - Assisted with qualtrics, cleaning data, developing vignettes

Research Assistant

August - December 2015

The University of Alabama

Supervisor: Robert Cramer, Ph.D.

- Researching suicide, The Five Factor Model, and Interpersonal Theory of Suicide, manuscript preparation
 - Assisted with manuscript preparation

Research Assistant

August 2014 – May 2016

The University of Alabama

Supervisor: Kathryn Seigfried-Spellar, Ph.D

- Designed and implemented study evaluating personality traits among Internet users as part of an independent project to assess dark personality characteristics associated with online behaviors

Research Assistant

August 2014-May 2016

The University of Alabama

Supervisor: Adam Lankford, Ph.D.

- Collected data on foreign and domestic mass shooters, manuscript preparation, collecting data, coding data

Research Assistant

January 2013-July 2014

The University of Alabama at Birmingham

Supervisor: Mark Bolding, Ph.D.

- Assisted with grant and manuscript preparation, managed lab responsibilities

Clinical Experience

New Beginnings Veterans Clinic, Drexel University Department of Psychology, Philadelphia PA
Practicum Student, March 2019 – present

Supervisors: Christine Nezu, Ph.D., ABPP, and Art Nezu, Ph.D., DHL, ABPP

- Deliver community-based, life skills intervention to U.S. veterans in the greater Philadelphia area
- Completed extensive training in Emotion-Centered Problem Solving Therapy
- Conduct patient evaluations and develop tailored intervention plans based on unique patient needs
- Provide intervention to veterans focused on psychoeducation, problem-solving skills, and effective emotional regulation
- Engage in weekly supervision to consult

Drexel Psychological Services Center, Mood/Anxiety Team, Drexel University Department of Psychology, Philadelphia PA,

Practicum Student, June 2019 – present

Supervisor: Jennifer Schwartz, Ph.D.

- Provide therapy to clients with mood and anxiety disorders, including Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy and Acceptance and Commitment Therapy
- Screen clients for anxiety, depression, personality disorders, trauma-related disorders, and obsessive compulsive disorder
- Create case conceptualizations and plan individualized treatments for clients
- Participate in weekly group and individual supervision
- Complete intake reports and weekly contact notes

Re-entry Project, Drexel Psychological Services Center, Philadelphia, PA

Practicum Student, October 2016 - present

Supervisor: Kirk Heilbrun, Ph.D., ABPP (Clinical and Forensic)

- Assist with intake assessments involving risk and treatment needs for men working with the Philadelphia Reentry Court
- Provide motivational enhancement sessions and group therapy sessions to Reentry Project participants
- Administer, score, and interpret psychological assessment instruments

Re-entry Project, Drexel Psychological Services Center, Philadelphia, PA

Project Coordinator, June 2019 – present

Supervisor: Kirk Heilbrun, Ph.D., ABPP (Clinical and Forensic)

- Organize and co-lead weekly meetings with Reentry Project team to develop and execute intervention

- Manage administrative aspects of the project, including new referrals, intake scheduling, data management, clinic procedures, and development project manuals and guidelines.
- Collect and analyze client data and facilitate conference submissions
- Serve as liaison among stakeholders from the probation team, the Reentry Court, and the Drexel Psychological Services Center

Forensic Assistant

September 2016- present

Private Practice of David DeMatteo, Philadelphia, PA

Supervisor: David DeMatteo, J.D., Ph.D.

- Accompany and assist Dr. DeMatteo with privately contracted forensic assessments including file review, clinical interview, psychometric testing, and report writing
- Write forensic reports including detailed psychosocial history, interpret testing results (WASI-II, MAYSI-II, WRAT-2, MMPI-A), and providing treatment recommendations

Policy Experience

Forensic Associate

Philadelphia Department of Behavioral Health and Intellectual disAbility Services: June 2017 – August 2019

Supervisors: Christy Giallella, Ph.D.; Patricia Griffin, Ph.D.; Kate Reed, M.S. PsyD

- Assist with the coordination of activities and functions related to the Criminal Justice System to build a more effective and responsive system of services for people with serious mental illness, substance use disorders and co-occurring disorders involved in the criminal justice system
- Conduct Hearing Voices That Are Distressing module at Crisis Intervention Training (CIT) for police officers

Teaching Experience

Teaching Assistant

Drexel University, Philadelphia PA September 2018 - June 2019

- Abnormal Psychology and General Psychology

Teaching Assistant

August 2015 to May 2016

The University of Alabama

Supervisor: Kellin Treadway

- Graded Papers, printed/scanned paperwork, assisted with blackboard and online learning, proctored exams, assisted with attendance

Teaching Assistant

January 2016 to May 2016

The University of Alabama

Supervisor: Jimmy Williams, Ph.D.

- Helped manage Dr. Williams's online course