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EDUCATION

2017 (expected) **Ph.D., University of California, Los Angeles**
Clinical Psychology
Minor in Quantitative Psychology

2016-2017 **Clinical Psychology Intern, VA West Los Angeles Medical Center**

2010-2011 **M.A., University of California, Los Angeles**
Clinical Psychology

2004-2008 **B.A., University of Rochester**
Psychology, with Honors

EMPLOYMENT

2008-2010 Project Coordinator, Supporting Healthy Marriage Project at UCLA

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

2015-2016 U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children & Families, Family Strengthening Scholars Grant (\$25,000)

2015-2016 UCLA Dissertation Year Fellowship (\$35,500)

2012-2015 National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship (\$132,000)

2012 UCLA Graduate Summer Research Mentorship (\$6,500)

2012 IARR Conference Student Travel Award (\$500)

2011 UCLA Graduate Summer Research Mentorship (\$6,500)

2010-2011 UCLA University Fellowship (\$35,000)

2007 University of Rochester Barth-Crapsey Undergraduate Research Award (\$600)

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2016 APA Division 12 (Society of Clinical Psychology) Distinguished Student Research in Clinical Psychology Award
- 2015 Society for a Science of Clinical Psychology - Outstanding SSCP Student Researcher Award
- 2014 APA Anne Anastasi General Psychology Graduate Student Research Award – Finalist
- 2014 UCLA Dept. of Psychology Senior Clinician-Scientist Award
- 2013 Psi Chi/APA Edwin B. Newman Graduate Research Award
- 2008 University of Rochester Dept. of Psychology Zimmer Award for Outstanding Undergraduate Research

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Williamson, H. C.,** Karney, B. R., & Bradbury, T. N. (in press). Education and job-based interventions for unmarried couples living with low incomes: Benefit or burden? *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*.
- Lavner, J. A., Karney, B. R., **Williamson, H. C.,** & Bradbury, T. N. (in press). Bidirectional associations between newlywed's marital satisfaction and marital problems over time. *Family Process*.
- Williamson, H. C.,** Altman, N., Hsueh, J., & Bradbury, T. N. (2016). Effects of relationship education on couple communication and satisfaction: A randomized controlled trial with low-income couples. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 84*, 156-166. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/ccp0000056>
- Jackson, G. L., Trail, T. E., Kennedy, D. P., **Williamson, H. C.,** Bradbury, T. N., & Karney, B. R. (2016). The salience and severity of relationship problems among low-income couples. *Journal of Family Psychology, 30*, 2-11. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/fam0000158>
- Williamson, H. C.,** Nguyen, T. P., Karney, B. R., & Bradbury, T. N. (2015). Are problems that contribute to divorce present at the start of marriage, or do they emerge over time? *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*. Advance online publication. doi: 10.1177/0265407515617705
- Williamson, H. C.,** Rogge, R. D., Cobb, R. J., Lawrence, E., Johnson, M. D., & Bradbury, T. N. (2015). Risk moderates the outcome of relationship education: A randomized controlled trial. *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 83*, 617-629. doi:10.1037/a0038621

- Williamson, H. C.,** Trail, T. E., Bradbury, T. N., & Karney, B. R. (2014). Does premarital education decrease or increase couples' later help-seeking? *Journal of Family Psychology, 28*, 112-117. doi:10.1037/a0034984
- Williamson, H. C.,** Hanna, M. A., Lavner, J. A., Bradbury, T. N., & Karney, B. R. (2013). Discussion topic and observed behavior in couples' problem-solving conversations: Do problem severity and topic choice matter? *Journal of Family Psychology, 27*, 330-335. doi:10.1037/a0031534
- Williamson, H. C.,** Karney, B. R. & Bradbury, T. N. (2013). Financial strain and stressful events predict newlyweds' negative communication independent of relationship satisfaction. *Journal of Family Psychology, 27*, 65-75. doi:10.1037/a0031104
- Williamson, H. C.,** Ju, X., Bradbury, T. N., Karney, B. R., Fang, X., & Liu, X. (2012). Communication behavior and relationship satisfaction among American and Chinese newlywed couples. *Journal of Family Psychology, 26*, 308-315. doi:10.1037/a0027752
- Williamson, H. C.,** Bradbury, T. N., Trail, T. E., & Karney, B. R. (2011). Factor analysis of the Iowa Family Interaction Rating Scales. *Journal of Family Psychology, 25*, 993-999. doi:10.1037/a0025903

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Nguyen, T. P., **Williamson, H. C.,** & Bradbury, T. N. (forthcoming). Redefining Communication. In J. Fitzgerald (Ed.) *Foundations for couples' therapy: Research for the real world*. New York, NY: Routledge.
- Williamson, H. C.** (2013). Stepping in to the mentor role: Why and how. *Observer, 26*, 42-43.
- Williamson, H. C.** (2013). Hannah Williamson: Psi Chi/APA Edwin B. Newman Graduate Research Award. *American Psychologist, 68*, 722-724. doi:10.1037/a0034771

CONFERENCE SYMPOSIA CHAIRED

- Williamson, H.C.** (2014, Nov). *Relationship Interventions for Underrepresented Couples*. Symposium conducted at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), Philadelphia, PA.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Williamson, H. C.,** Karney, B. R., & Bradbury, T. N. (2016, Oct). *Does premarital education initiate earlier or later entry into couples therapy?* Paper accepted for presentation at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), New York, NY.

Williamson, H. C., Karney, B. R., & Bradbury, T. N. (2016, July). *How does financial strain affect communication in married couples?* Paper presented at the bi-annual conference of the International Association for Relationships Research (IARR), Toronto, ON.

Williamson, H. C., Altman, N., Hsueh, J., & Bradbury, T. N. (2016, May). *Effects of relationship education on couples communication and satisfaction: A randomized controlled trial with low-income couples from the Supporting Healthy Marriage study.* Paper presented at the annual conference of the Society for Prevention Research (SPR), San Francisco, CA.

Nguyen, T. P., **Williamson, H. C.,** Karney, B. R., & Bradbury, T. N. (2016, Jan). *Effect of neighborhood disadvantage on marital communication and relationship satisfaction.* Paper presented at the annual conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP), San Diego, CA.

Williamson, H. C. & Bradbury, T. N. (2015, Nov). *Effects of marriage promotion on unmarried new parents: A dismantling study of the Building Strong Families project.* Paper presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), Chicago, IL.

Williamson, H. C., Altman, N., Hsueh, J., & Bradbury, T. N. (2014, Nov). *Does relationship education improve outcomes in low-income couples? A randomized controlled trial.* Paper presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), Philadelphia, PA.

Williamson, H. C., Cobb, R. J., Johnson, M. D., Lawrence, E. Rogge, R. D., & Bradbury, T. N. (2013, Nov). *Does risk moderate the outcome of premarital education?* Paper presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), Nashville, TN.

Williamson, H. C., Karney, B. R., & Bradbury, T. N. (2012, July). *Financial strain and stressful events predict newlyweds' negative communication independent of relationship satisfaction.* Paper presented at the annual conference of the International Association for Relationships Research (IARR), Chicago, IL.

CONFERENCE POSTERS

† = mentored undergraduate student

Williamson, H. C., Karney, B. R., & Bradbury, T. N. (2016, June). *Educational interventions for low-income couples: Benefit or burden?* Poster presented at the Family Strengthening Scholars showcase of the bi-annual Research and Evaluation Conference on Self-Sufficiency (RECS), Washington, DC.

Nguyen, T. P., **Williamson, H. C.,** Karney, B. R., & Bradbury, T. N. (2015, Nov). *Effect of neighborhood disadvantage on marital communication and relationship satisfaction.*

Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), Chicago, IL.

Williamson, H. C., Jackson, G. L., Trail, T. E., Kennedy, D. P., Bradbury, T. N., & Karney, B. R. (2015, Feb). *The salience and severity of relationship problems among low-income couples*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP), Long Beach, CA.

Williamson, H. C., Karney, B. R., & Bradbury, T. N. (2012, Nov). *Do the couples most in need of help receive couples therapy?* Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), National Harbor, MD.

†Hickman, K. E., **Williamson, H. C.**, Bradbury, T. N., & Karney, B. R. (2012, July). *Neighborhood disadvantage is associated with negative communication behavior in newlyweds*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the International Association for Relationships Research (IARR), Chicago, IL.

Williamson, H. C., & Bradbury, T. N. (2011, Nov). *Influences on communication behavior in low-income Hispanic newlyweds*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), Toronto, ON.

†Hanna, M. A., **Williamson, H. C.**, & Bradbury, T. N. (2011, Nov). *The influence of problem topic on communication in low-income, Hispanic, African American, and Caucasian newlyweds*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), Toronto, ON.

†Hanna, M. A., **Williamson, H. C.**, & Bradbury, T. N. (2011, May). *The influence of problem topic on communication in low-income, Hispanic, African American, and Caucasian newlyweds*. Poster presented at the annual UCLA Psychology Undergraduate Research Conference (PURC), Los Angeles, CA.

Williamson, H. C., Rodrigues, A. E., & Rogge, R. D. (2008, May). *Deception and the rocky road to relationship deterioration*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the Association for Psychological Science (APS), Chicago, IL.

Williamson, H. C., Rodrigues, A. E., & Rogge, R. D. (2008, April). *Deception and the rocky road to relationship deterioration*. Poster presented at the National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR), Salisbury, MD.

TEACHING AND MENTORING

Undergraduate

Intimate Relationships

Professor Thomas Bradbury, Ph.D.

Guest Lecturer (Winter 2015)

- *Conflict in Relationships*
- Overall student evaluation rating of 8.3/9

Advanced Honors Seminar for Intimate Relationships: Diverse Contexts, Diverse People, Diverse Relationships**Professor Thomas Bradbury, Ph.D.**

Teaching Assistant (Winter 2015)

- Overall student evaluation rating of 8.7/9

Conflict and Communication in Couples and Families**Professor Neil Malamuth, Ph.D.**

Guest Lecturer (Winter 2012, Spring 2013, Winter 2014)

- *The Impact of External Stressors on Intimate Relationships*

UCLA Psychology Departmental Honors Program

Mentor (June 2010-June 2011)

- Worked one-on-one with an advanced undergraduate student to complete honors thesis, culminating in a peer-reviewed publication

Introduction to Psychology**Professor Dale McAdam, Ph.D.**

Teaching Assistant (Sept. 2007-Dec. 2007)

Graduate**Social Relationships and Health****Professor Ted Robles, Ph.D.**

Guest Lecturer (Winter 2016)

- *Observational Coding of Couple Communication*

Clinical Psychological Methods**Professor Michelle Craske, Ph.D.; Professor Constance Hammen, Ph.D.**

Teaching Assistant (Winter 2014, Winter 2015)

- Overall student evaluation ratings of 8.4/9 and 8.9/9

Professional and Ethical Issues in Clinical Psychology**Professor Danielle Keenan-Miller, Ph.D.**

Guest Lecturer (Spring 2014, Spring 2015, Spring 2016)

- *Behavioral Treatment for Insomnia*
- Overall student evaluation rating of 6/7 and 6.5/7

Introduction to Multilevel Modeling**Professor Jennifer Krull, Ph.D.**

Reader (Winter 2013)

- Graded homework assignments in advanced quantitative course

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

VA West Los Angeles Medical Center

Intern (August 2016-August 2017)

- Rotations:
 - Domiciliary Residential Rehabilitation and Treatment Program
 - Health Psychology
 - Primary Care-Mental Health Integration
 - Health Promotion/Disease Prevention
 - Women's Health
 - Rehabilitation Psychology
 - Substance Use Disorders

VA Sepulveda Ambulatory Care Center

Extern (September 2012-April 2014)

- Rotations
 - Couple Therapy
 - Health Psychology
 - Primary Care-Mental Health Integration
 - Substance Use Disorders
 - Sleep Disorders

University of California, Los Angeles, Department of Psychology Clinic

January 2011-July 2016

- Therapy Supervisor
- Intake Team Supervisor
- Therapist
- Psychological Assessor

SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Grant Reviewer

- U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families – Healthy Marriage and Relationship Education Grants; 2015
- APS Student Caucus RISE Research Award; 2011, 2013

Ad Hoc Reviewer

- Clinical Psychology and Psychotherapy
- Emerging Adulthood
- Family Process
- International Journal of Women's Health
- Journal of Family Issues
- Journal of Family Psychology
- Journal of Family Studies
- Journal of Health Psychology

- Journal of Social and Personal Relationships
- Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin
- Prevention Science
- SAGE Open
- The Spanish Journal of Psychology

Departmental Service

- Student representative, UCLA Psychology Clinical Area Committee; 2013-2014
 - Served on Mission Statement Subcommittee
 - Chaired student subcommittee responsible for gathering student feedback as part of programmatic self-study
- Panelist, various panels for undergraduate and graduate students organized by Dept. of Psychology and Psi Chi at UCLA (e.g., extramural fellowships, success in graduate school); 2012-2015
- Organizer of University of Rochester Undergraduate Research Expo; 2006

Memberships and Affiliations

- Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies
 - Couples Special Interest Group
- Association for Psychological Science
- International Association for Relationship Research
- National Council on Family Relations
 - Research & Theory Section
- Society of Clinical Psychology
- Society for Personality and Social Psychology
- Society for a Science of Clinical Psychology

REFERENCES

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