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### EMPLOYMENT

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#### AZUSA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY

Professor of Psychology, 2023 - Present  
Associate Professor of Psychology, 2019 – 2023  
Director of Traditional Undergraduate Psychology Programs, 2018 –2021  
Assistant Professor of Psychology, August 2016 –2019

#### MARIAN UNIVERSITY

Assistant Professor of Psychology, 2013 –2016

#### DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Research Scientist, Rehabilitation Research Center, 2011 – 2012

### EDUCATION

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#### UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

Ph.D., Social Psychology, May 2013  
Dissertation: “The Liking-Similarity Effect”

M.S., Social Psychology, May 2011  
Thesis: “Social Projection of Belongingness Needs”

#### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SAN BERNARDINO

B.A. Psychology, Summa Cum Laude, May 2009  
Thesis: “Effect of Self-Affirmation on Prejudice”

#### CHAFFEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

A.A. Liberal Arts and Sciences, May 2007

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE & EFFECTIVENESS

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General Psychology

Social Psych

Personality Psych

Political Psych

Statistics

Research Methods

Developmental Psych

Writing in Psych

Non-Experimental Methods    Theory & Research    Research Seminar    Psych of Good & Evil

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**AZUSA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY**


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FALL			SPRING		
	Student Rating <i>5-pt scale</i>	<u>IDEA</u> Score <i>Standardized</i> <i>M = 50, SD = 10</i>		Student Rating <i>5-pt scale</i>	<u>IDEA</u> Score <i>Standardized</i> <i>M = 50, SD = 10</i>
<b>2022</b>					
			General Psy	4.9	64
			General Psy	4.5	56
			Political Psy	4.7	59
<b>2021</b>					
General Psy	5.0	69	General Psy	5.0	67
General Psy	4.9	62	Political Psy	5.0	64
Writing in Psy	4.7	63	Writing in Psy	4.8	63
<b>2020</b>					
Writing in Psy	4.9	62	General Psy	4.7	58
General Psy	4.9	61	Social Psy	5.0	64
Social Psy	5.0	68			
<b>2019</b>					
Political Psy	4.3	54	Writing in Psy	4.5	61
Writing in Psy	5.0	70	Research Exp.	5.0	67
General Psy	4.8	60			
<b>2018</b>					
Social Psy	4.8	61	Thesis Sem	4.9	65
Research Exp.	4.9	62	Social Psy	4.9	63
<b>2017</b>					
Thesis Sem	4.4	58	Writing in Psy	4.5	60
Nonexperimental	4.4	52	Writing in Psy	4.8	59
Social Psy	4.6	58	Social Psy	4.7	58
Social Psy	4.9	62	Research Exp.	5.0	64
Research Exp.	4.8	61			
<b>2016</b>					
Research Exp	5.0	75			
Theory & Res.	4.4	56			

Social Psy	4.5	57
Social Psy	4.9	62

**MARIAN UNIVERSITY****UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA**

FALL		SPRING		FALL		SPRING	
Average Rating <i>5-pt scale</i>		Average Rating <i>5-pt scale</i>		Average Rating <i>5-pt scale</i>		Average Rating <i>5-pt scale</i>	
<b>2015</b>				<b>2013</b>			
General Psy	4.5	General Psy	4.5	General Psy	4.5		4.7
Statistics	4.5	Social Psy	4.7				
Res. Methods	4.8	Statistics	4.6				
<b>2014</b>				<b>2012</b>			
General Psy	4.6	Social Psy	4.8	Social Psy	4.7		4.6
Personality	4.5	General Psy	4.8				
Dev. Psy	4.6	Dev. Psy	4.7				

**TEACHING CERTIFICATION & TRAINING**

Academics for Black Survival and Wellness (2021)

Technology & Enhanced Learning (2013)

Assessing and Improving Pedagogy (2012)

**ACADEMIC RESOURCES DEVELOPED**

[APU's Psychology Curriculum](#) (BA, BS, Minor, Alcohol/Drug Counseling Minor)

[Psychology-related Career Exploration Webpage](#) (300+ psychology-related careers mapped onto curriculum)

[APA Style Writing Training](#) (self-paced modules with interactive content and low-stakes assessments, completion badge)

[Psychology Textbook Library](#) – Fund provides free textbooks for 1<sup>st</sup> Gen students, students with a disability, and/or those in financial need

**RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Romantic Relationships

Personality

Teaching of Psychology

**JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS**

\*Undergraduate Co-Author; \*\*Graduate Co-Author

43. Howell, J. L., **Collisson, B.**, & Webster, G. D. (2023) Vaccine envy and cutting the line: Dark personality predicted selfishness during the COVID-19 vaccine rollout. *Social and Personality Psychology Compass*.
42. Orhan, M. A., **Collisson, B.**, Howell, J. L., Kowal, M., & Pollet, T. V. (in press). Comparing foodie calls in Poland, the United Kingdom, and the United States: A registered replication report. *Psychological Reports*.
41. **Collisson, B.** & Eck, B. E. (2022). A social network analysis of psychology and faith integration: Network size, frequency and depth of student conversations correlate with integration. *Journal of Psychology and Christianity*, 41, 278-292.
40. Klein, R. A., Cook, C. L., Ebersole, C. R., Vitiello, C., Nosek, B. A., **Collisson, B.**, ... & Ratliff, K. (2022). Many Labs 4: Replicating mortality salience with and without original author involvement. *Collabra: Psychology*.
39. Orhan, M. A. & **Collisson, B.** (2022). Who said there's no such thing as a free lunch? Consumers' Dark Triad traits predict abuse of food refund policies. *Personality and Individual Differences*.
38. Rusbasan, D., **Collisson, B.**, & \*Ham, E. (2021). Effects of toxic coaching among collegiate student athletes: Burnout mediates the relation between school/sport conflict and commitment. *Journal of Issues in Intercollegiate Athletics*.
37. **Collisson, B.** & Eck, B. E. (2021). "Oh, the places you can go" Psychology students' perceived career options and interests. *Teaching of Psychology*, 49(3), 245-257.  
<https://doi.org/10.1177/00986283211013842>  
*Featured in: Zippia - The Career Expert*
36. **Collisson, B.**, Howell, J. L., & \*Monleon, J. (2021). Meddling friends and family: Dark Tetrad traits predict relationship interference of disliked couples. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 38(7), 2008-2028.  
<https://doi.org/10.1177/02654075211001127>  
*Featured in: Academic Times, PsyPost, Psychology Today, Medium, Newsbreak, Daily Advent*
35. **Collisson, B.**, Eck, B. E., & \*Harig, T. (2021). Introducing Gen Z psychology majors: Why they choose to major in psychology (and what they expect to learn). *Scholarship of Teaching and Learning in Psychology*.
34. McCutcheon, L., **Collisson, B.**, & Arugette, M. (2021). Celebrity salience and the misperception of racial economic wealth equality. *North American Journal of Psychology*, 23(2), 317-324.
33. **Collisson, B.**, Howell, J. L., & \*Harig, T. (2020). Foodie calls: Why some women date men for a free meal (rather than a relationship). *Social Psychological and Personality Science*, 11(3), 425-432.

*Featured in: The Atlantic, Newsweek, Good Morning America, New York Post, Yahoo Finance, CBS, ABC Eyewitness News, New Food Economy, Science Daily, Ask Men, Psych Central, DC Refined, The Telegraph, Bolde, AurekAlert, Earth.com, Phys.org, Neuroscience News, Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Local Radio, Study Finds, SciTech Europa, Daily Mail, Press Reader, World News, Angle News, Fooshya, Doctissimo, Young Independents, Xaralite, What's New Today, Newsgroove, Bright Surf, Red State, Times of Food, Big News Network, Times, Female Adda, Hilltop Monitor, Australia Newsley, Times of India, Unilad, VT, Instapundit, The Tribune, Lancashire Independent News, Men Suck, Resetera, Bipartisan Alliance, World News, VidMid, Outlook, Deccan Chronicle, Before it's News, Sick Chirpse, Guwahati Times, FL Vibe, Newsgram, Social News, WCCO, WWJ Newsradio, Ladders, Tom Leykis Podcast, Character & Context, Psychology Today, PsyPost*

32. **Collisson, B.**, McCutcheon, L., Johnston, M., & Edman, J. (2020). Gender, age, marital status, and selection of a favorite celebrity of the opposite gender. *Current Psychology*.
31. \*\*Allen, E. & **Collisson, B.** (2020). Do aspirational role models inspire or backfire? Perceived similarity mediates the effect of role models on minority students' college choices. *Journal of Marketing in Higher Education*, 30 (2), 221-238.  
<https://doi.org/10.1080/08841241.2020.1723780>
30. **Collisson, B.**, McCutcheon, L., Johnston, M., & Edman, J. (2020). How popular are pop stars? The false consensus of perceived celebrity popularity. *Psychology of Popular Media*.
29. **Collisson, B.**, Edwards, J. M., \*Chakrian, L., \*Mendoza, J., \*Anduiza, A., & \*Corona, A. R. (2019) Perceived Satisfaction and Inequity: A Survey of potential romantic partners for people with a disability. *Sexuality and Disability*, 38(3), 405-420. doi: 10.1007/s11195-019-09601-7
28. **Collisson, B.**, Edwards, J. M., Eck, B. & \*\*Allen, E.C. (2019). The Psy-FI Scale: Validating a measure of psychology and faith integration. *Journal of Psychology and Christianity*.  
  
*Used at the following sites: Dallas Baptist University, Western Seminary – Portland, Indiana Wesleyan University, Southeastern University, Cambellsville University*
27. Arugette, M., Ho, H., **Collisson, B.**, McCutcheon, L., & Piotrowski, P. (2019). Stacking up with the Stars: Relative Deprivation and Excessive Admiration of Celebrities. *Psychological Reports*.
26. \*Harig, T., \*Young, J., & **Collisson, B.** (2019). Don't hate the player, hate the game: Scarcity of romantic partners breeds prejudice towards rival singles. *Journal of Psychology and Behavioral Sciences*.
25. Klein, R. A., Vianello, M., Hasselman, F., Adams, B. G., Alper, S., **Collisson, B.**, ... & Nosek, B. A. (2018). Many labs 2: Investigating variation in replicability across sample and setting. *Advances in Methods and Practices in Psychological Science*, 1(4), 443-490.

24. **Collisson, B.** & \*Ponce de Leon, L. (2018). Perceived inequity predicts prejudice towards age-gap relationships. *Current Psychology*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12144-018-9895-6>

*Featured in Psychology Today, Newsmax, Greenheart, Public Radio, Bellevue Chapel, Exploring Your Mind, RadioLove*

23. McCutcheon, L., Greenwood, D., **Collisson, B.**, & Wong, M. (2018). What's fame got to do with it? Clarifying links among celebrity attitudes, fame appeal, and narcissistic subtypes. *Personality and Individual Differences*, 131, 238-243.
22. **Collisson, B.**, Browne, B., McCutcheon, L., Britt, R., & Browne, A. (2018). Interpersonal beginnings of fandom: The relation between attachment styles, trust, and the admiration of celebrities. *Interpersona*, 12(1), 23-33.
21. **Collisson, B.** & Rusbasan, D. (2018). Psychology or psychological science? A survey of graduate psychology faculty regarding program names. *Teaching of Psychology*, 45(2), 164-171.
20. **Collisson, B.**, \*Cordoviz, P., \*Ponce de Leon, L., \*Guillen, S., \*Shier, J., & \*\*Xiao, Z. (2018). Should I break up or make up? A text analysis of online relationship advice. *North American Journal of Psychology*, 20(2), 301-310.
19. Allan, B.A., Duffy, R. D., & **Collisson, B.** (2017). Helping others increases meaningful work: Evidence from three experiments. *Journal of Counseling Psychology*, 65(2), 155-165.
18. Allan, B. A., Duffy, R. D., & **Collisson, B.** (2016). Task significance and performance: Meaningfulness as a mediator. *Journal of Career Assessment*, 1-11.
17. **Collisson, B.**, \*\*Saludes, C., & Crosier, B.S. (2017). Social connection seeking. *Encyclopedia for Personality and Individual Differences*.  
doi: [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-28099-8\\_1829-1](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-28099-8_1829-1)
16. **Collisson, B.** & Rusbasan, D. (2016). Perceived and actual weight stigma among romantic couples. *Interpersona*, 10(2), 125-135.
15. Gillen, M., **Collisson, B.**, Murtagh, M., Browne, B., & McCutcheon, L. E. (2016). Additional psychometric data for the mate value scale. *Journal of Relationships Research*. 7, 1-7.
14. McCutcheon, L. E., Gillen, M. M., Browne, B., Murtagh, M. & **Collisson, B.** (2016). Intimate relationships and attitudes toward celebrities. *Interpersona*, 1(1), 77-89.
13. **Collisson, B.** Howell, J. L., Rusbasan, D. & \*Rosenfeld, E. (2016). Date someone your own size: Prejudice and discrimination towards mixed-weight relationships. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 1, 1-31.

*Featured in Psychology Today, Brit+Co, Revelist, Rebel Circus, Boston Globe, Medium, National Affairs, Lady Clever, Elite Daily, Psychology of Attractiveness, Psychology Today Magazine, Rewire*

12. \*Combs, N. & **Collisson, B.** (2016). Egocentric inferences about terrorist groups. *Psi Chi Journal of Psychological Research*, 21(2), 66-69.
11. **Collisson, B.** (2015). Farewell to Fido: Pet owners' commitment and relinquishment of companion animals. *American Journal of Applied Psychology*, 3(2), 27-33.
10. **Collisson, B.**, Kellogg, J. & Rusbasan, D. (2015). Perceptions of psychology as a science: The effect of citations within introductory textbooks. *North American Journal of Psychology*, 17(1), 77-88.
9. **Collisson, B.** & Howell, J.L. (2014). The liking-similarity effect: Perceptions of similarity as a function of liking. *Journal of Social Psychology*, 154(5), 384-400.
8. Howell, J.L., **Collisson, B.**, & King, K.\* (2014). Physics envy: Psychologists' perceptions of psychology and agreement about core concepts. *Teaching of Psychology*, 41(4), 330-334.
7. **Collisson, B.** (2014). Failing to see eye to eye: The role of the self in conflict misperception. *North American Journal of Psychology*, 16(2), 193-201.
6. **Collisson, B.** (2013). Social projection of belongingness needs. *North American Journal of Psychology*, 15(3), 513-526.
5. Howell, J.L., **Collisson, B.**, Crysel, L., Garrido, C., Newell, S., Cottrell, ... Shepperd, J.A. (2013) Managing the threat of impending implicit attitude feedback. (2013) *Social Psychological and Personality Science*, 4(6), 715-722.
4. Griggs, R.A. & **Collisson, B.** (2013). ToP's greatest hits: The most frequently cited Teaching of Psychology articles. *Teaching of Psychology*, 40, 76-87.
3. Griggs, R.A. & **Collisson, B.** (2013). Following Teaching of Psychology into middle age: Changes, contributors, and content. *Teaching of Psychology*, 40, 6-14.
2. \*Dzedzy, A., \*Hirshauer, J., \*Hughes, J., \*Soutullo, O., & \*Wijnperle, J., **Collisson, B.** (2013). Belongingness Needs and Gender Differences in Jealousy. *University of Florida Undergraduate Journal*. Available online.
1. Chambers, J.R., Schlenker, B.R., & **Collisson, B.** (2013). Ideology and prejudice: The role of value conflicts. *Psychological Science*, 24, 140-149.

## MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVISION

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1. **Collisson, B.** & Yin, C. The ick: When dating partners elicit spontaneous feelings of disgust. *Under review at Interpersona*.

## WORKING MANUSCRIPTS

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1. **Collisson, B., & Cook, C.** Cycles of spite within romantic relationships: Relationship dissatisfaction and the withholding of intimacy and affection. *Targeted for Journal of Social Psychology*.

## PRACTITIONER PUBLICATIONS

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\*Undergraduate Co-Author

20. **Collisson, B.** (2022, November 14). The mindset that could doom your dating life. *Psychology Today*. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202211/the-mindset-could-doom-your-dating-life>
19. **Collisson, B.** (2022, October 12). Top 20 jobs that psych majors want but don't know about. *Psychology Today*. Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202210/top-20-jobs-psych-majors-want-don-t-know-about>
18. **Collisson, B.** (2022, October 11). Who dated (and who didn't) during COVID. *Psychology Today*. News; Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202210/who-dated-and-who-didn-t-during-covid>
17. **Collisson, B.** (2022, October 7). Interfaith relationships are increasingly common but do they work out? *Psychology Today*. Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202210/interfaith-relationships-are-becoming-common-do-they-work>
16. **Collisson, B.** (2022, October 3). What people look for in a friend, friend with benefits, or forever partner. *Psychology Today*. Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202210/friend-or-friend-benefits>
15. **Collisson, B.** (2022, September 24). How to make relationship happiness last. *Psychology Today*. News; Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202209/how-make-relationship-happiness-last>
14. **Collisson, B.** (2022, September 13). Why others hold grudges against people you already forgave. *Psychology Today*. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202209/why-others-hold-grudges-against-people-you-already-forgave>
13. **Collisson, B.** (2022, August 31). Unconscious ways to foster relationships. *Psychology Today*. Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202208/unconscious-ways-people-form-relationships>
12. **Collisson, B.** (2022, August 30). Can technology detect if you're lonely? *Psychology Today*. News; Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202208/can-your-phone-detect-if-you-re-lonely>



11. **Collisson, B.** (2022, August 29). Four theories for why people fall in love. *Psychology Today*. Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202208/4-theories-why-people-fall-in-love>
10. **Collisson, B.** (2022, June 22). How manipulative lovers exploit their partners. *Psychology Today*. Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202206/how-manipulative-lovers-exploit-dating-and-sex>
9. **Collisson, B.** (2022, June 15). Seven deadly sins on the dating market. *Psychology Today*. Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202206/seven-deadly-sins-when-choosing-who-date>
8. **Collisson, B.** (2022, June 11). Why first moves often go unnoticed. *Psychology Today*. Essential Topic. [https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202206/why-first-moves-go-unnoticed#\\_](https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202206/why-first-moves-go-unnoticed#_)
7. **Collisson, B.** (2022, June 10). How much like you does your partner need to be? *Psychology Today*. Essential Home; Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202206/should-you-date-your-mirror-image-or-do-opposites-attract>
6. **Collisson, B.** (2022, June 2). How bored couples can wake up their relationships. *Psychology Today*. News; Essential Topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202206/how-spice-bland-relationship>
5. **Collisson, B.** (2022, June 1). Why some people will try to sabotage your love life. *Psychology Today*. Essential topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202206/can-your-friends-and-family-threaten-your-love-life>
4. **Collisson, B.** (2022, May 26). Who needs to worry most about mate poaching. *Psychology Today*. Essential topic. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202205/who-needs-worry-most-about-mate-poaching>
3. **Collisson, B.** (2022, May 25). What your date's home may reveal about their personality. *Psychology Today*. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/dating-toxic-or-tender/202205/what-your-dates-home-may-reveal-about-their-personality>
2. \*Harig, T. & **Collisson, B.** (2020, July 27) Who dates for free food? *Character and Context*. <https://spsp.org/news-center/blog/harig-collisson-free-food-dating>
1. **Collisson, B.**, Rusbasan, D., Camp, L., Kellogg, J., & Allan, B. (2015, December 2). Showcasing psychological science: A conference for high school students and teachers. *Observations*. <https://www.psychologicalscience.org/publications/observer/obsonline/showcasing-psychological-science-a-conference-for-high-school-students-and-teachers.html>

## SYMPOSIA

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\*Invited Keynote Address

14. Fernandez, N., **Collisson, B.**, & Eck, B. E. (February, 2021). Gen Z College Students' Mental Health During a Pandemic: A Preventative Outreach Initiative. Symposium presented at the Christian and Psychology Society, virtual due to COVID-19 travel restrictions.
13. **Collisson, B.** (February, 2020). Dating with a Disability: A Survey of Potential Partner's Relationship Perceptions. Symposium presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Association, New Orleans, LA.
13. **Collisson, B.**, Harig, T. & Chakrian, L. (April, 2019). Dark Side of Dating. Symposium presented at the Western Psychological Association, Pasadena, CA.
12. **Collisson, B.**, Harig, T. & Chakrian, L. (February, 2019). Dating Leagues. Symposium presented at the Common Day of Learning, Azusa, CA.
11. **Collisson, B.**, Edwards, J.M., & Eck, B.E. (April, 2018). The Psy-FI Scale: Validating a Measure of Psychology and Faith Integration. Symposium presented at the Christian and Psychology Society, Norfolk, VA.
10. **Collisson, B.** (May, 2017), "Cougars and Cradle-Robbers: Perceived Inequity Predicts Prejudice towards Age-Gap Relationships." Symposium presented at the Common Day of Learning, Azusa, CA.
9. \***Collisson, B.** (April, 2016), "Evolution of the Teaching of Psychology" Keynote address presented at Southwestern Psychological Association – Teaching of Psychology, Dallas, TX.
8. **Collisson, B.** (February, 2016), "Attacking, Defending, and Triaging the Science of Psychology" Symposium presented at the Midwestern Institute for Students and Teachers of Psychology, Glen Ellyn, IL
7. **Collisson, B.**, Rosenfeld, E., & Kellogg, J. (February, 2015), "The Value of Undergraduate Directed Research" Symposium presented at the Midwestern Institute for Students and Teachers of Psychology, Glen Ellyn, IL
6. **Collisson, B.** (January, 2015), "The Stigma of Mixed-Weight Relationships," Presented at the Marian University Teaching and Learning Committee Research Symposium, Indianapolis, IN.
5. **Collisson, B.** (May, 2014), "Applications of the Investment Model to Student Commitment," Symposium presented at the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL
4. **Collisson, B.** & Kellogg, J. (February, 2014), "Predicting Student Commitment to a College Major," Symposium presented at the Midwestern Institute for Students and Teachers of Psychology, Glen Ellyn, IL
3. **Collisson, B.** (February, 2014), "Overcoming Physics Envy: Psychologists' Perceptions of Psychology and Agreement about Core Concepts," Symposium presented at the Midwestern Institute for Students and Teachers of Psychology, Glen Ellyn, IL
2. **Collisson, B.** (January, 2012) "How to Turn Psychology Students into Research Psychologists," Symposium presented at the Teaching of Psychology Preconference, Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Diego, CA.

1. Howell, J., **Collisson, B.**, Crysel, L., & Garrido, C. (November, 2011), "Managing the Threat of Unexpected Implicit Attitude Feedback" Symposium presented at the Society of Southeastern Social Psychologists Conference, Johnson City, TN.

## **SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

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### \*Student Co-Presenter

27. Gomez, A. & **Collisson, B.** (May, 2022). Motivated inferences of police (mis)conduct: Racial discrimination predicts perceived policing violations. Poster presented at the Western Psychological Association, Portland, OR.
26. Weber, V. & **Collisson, B.** (May, 2019). Stigmatization of military personnel in higher education. Poster presented at Association for Psychological Science, Washington DC.
25. Harig, T & **Collisson, B.** (February, 2019). Don't hate the player, hate the game: Scarcity of partners elicits prejudice towards rival singles. Poster presented at Common Day of Learning, Azusa, CA.
24. Saludes, C., Diaz-Castaneda, P., & **Collisson, B.** (May, 2018). The Efficacy of Tail-Wagging Therapy: An Investigative Approach to Canines in Clinical Settings. Poster presented at Association for Psychological Science, San Francisco, CA.
23. **Collisson, B.**, Edwards, J.M., & Eck, B.E. (May, 2018). The Psy-FI Scale: Validating a Measure of Psychology and Faith Integration. Poster presented at Faculty Development Day, Azusa, CA.
22. Corona, A., Mendoza, J., Chakrian, L., & **Collisson, B.** (April, 2018). The Stigma of Dating with a Disability. Poster presented at the Western Psychological Association, Portland, OR.
21. Chakrian, L., Mendoza, J., & Corona, A., & **Collisson, B.** (April, 2018). Stigma and Romantic Rejection. Poster presented at the Western Psychological Association, Portland, OR.
20. Corona, A., Mendoza, J., Chakrian, L., & **Collisson, B.** (February, 2018). The Stigma of Dating with a Disability. Poster presented at the Common Day of Learning, Azusa, CA.
19. Chakrian, L., Mendoza, J., & Corona, A., & **Collisson, B.** (February, 2018). Stigma and Romantic Rejection. Poster presented at the Common Day of Learning, Azusa, CA.
18. Saludes, C., Brandon, C. & **Collisson, B.** (May, 2017). Cougars and Cradle-Robbers: Perceived Inequity Predicts Age-Gap Prejudice. Poster presented at the Western Psychological Association, Sacramento, CA.
17. **Collisson, B.**, Rusbasan, D., & Howell, J. (May, 2016). Date Someone Your Own Size: Prejudice and Discrimination towards Mixed-Weight Relationships. Poster presented at the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.
16. \*Colson, J., \*Davids, A., \*Kelley, C., & **Collisson, B.** (November, 2015). Who is Cupid? The Personality of Matchmakers. Poster presentation at the Showcasing Psychological Science and Pedagogy Conference, Indianapolis, IN.
15. \*Combs, N. & **Collisson, B.** (March, 2015). Inferences of Terrorist Groups' Values. Poster presented at Marian University's Undergraduate Conference of Academic Research and Excellence in Scholarship, Indianapolis, IN.

14. \*Rosenfeld, E.. & **Collisson, B.** (March, 2015). Stereotypes and Prejudice towards Mixed-Weight Relationships. Poster presented at Marian University's Undergraduate Conference of Academic Research and Excellence in Scholarship, Indianapolis, IN.
13. \*McIntyre, C. & **Collisson, B.** (March, 2015). Psychopathy, Personality, and Pet Abandonment. Poster presented at Marian University's Undergraduate Conference of Academic Research and Excellence in Scholarship, Indianapolis, IN.
12. \*Combs, N. & **Collisson, B.** (March, 2014). Living in a Post 9/11 World: Egocentric Judgments about the Values of Terrorist Groups. Supervised student presentation at Marian University's Undergraduate Conference of Academic Research and Excellence in Scholarship, Indianapolis, IN.
11. **Collisson, B.** (January, 2014), "Projection of Political Values onto a Religious Agent." Poster presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, Austin, TX.
10. **Collisson, B.**, & Chambers, J.R. (January, 2013), "Stereotype Formation as Assimilation and Contrast" Poster presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, New Orleans, LA.
9. **Collisson, B.** & Klein, R. (May, 2013), "Personality Correlates of Social Inference" Poster presented at the Society for Southeastern Social Psychologists, Gainesville, FL.
8. \*Solomon, I. & **Collisson, B.** (April, 2012), "The Good, the Bad, and the Similar" Poster presented at the University of Florida Undergraduate Research Forum, Gainesville, FL.
7. \*Soutullo, O., \*Dzedzy, A., & **Collisson, B.** (April, 2012), "Explaining Gender Differences in Jealousy" Poster presented at the University of Florida Undergraduate Research Forum, Gainesville, FL.
6. **Collisson, B.** & Chambers, J.R. (January, 2012), "The Enemy Effect: Perceptions of Similarity as a Function of Interpersonal Attraction" Poster presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, San Diego, CA.
5. \*Dzedzy, A. & **Collisson, B.** (April, 2011), "The Effect of Liking on Perceived Similarity" Poster presented at the University of Florida Undergraduate Research Forum, Gainesville, FL.
4. \*Solomon, I., \*Jacobs, A., & **Collisson, B.** (April, 2011), "Conformity to Prejudice" Poster presented at the University of Florida Undergraduate Research Forum, Gainesville, FL.
3. **Collisson, B.**, & Chambers, J.R. (January, 2011), "I Could Use Someone like Me: The Social Projection of Belongingness Needs" Poster presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, San Antonio, TX.
2. **Collisson, B.**, & Rivera, L., & Dasgupta, N. (January, 2010), "The Negative Effect of Domain Relevant Self-Affirmation on Prejudice" Poster presented at the Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
1. **Collisson, B.** & Rivera, L. (June, 2009). The Relationship between Self-Affirmation and Prejudice. Poster presented at California State University Graduate Studies Annual Student Research Conference, San Bernardino, CA.

## **MEDIA COVERAGE OF RESEARCH**

**FOODIE CALLS**

The Atlantic: [“When one person on a date is just there for the free food”](#)  
 Newsweek: [“Foodie Calls: Scientists studied women who go on dates for free meals, and found one shared personality trait”](#)  
 Good Morning America: [“Women who make ‘foodie calls’ more likely to have psychopathic behavior”](#)  
 The Daily Show with Trevor Noah: [“Foodie Call”](#)  
 New York Post: [“A third of women only date men because of the free food”](#)  
 Yahoo Finance: [“A third of daters on only there for the free food”](#)  
 CBS: [“Foodie call”](#)  
 ABC Eyewitness News: [“Some women agree to date men for free food”](#)  
 The Doctors Show: [“Have you ever made a ‘Foodie Call?’”](#)  
 New Food Economy: [“The fraught sexual politics of the ‘foodie call’”](#)  
 Science Daily: [“Foodie calls”](#)  
 Ask Men: [“Many women are going on dates for a free meal”](#)  
 Psych Central: [“Foodie calls: Going on a date for a free meal”](#)  
 DC Refined: [“Foodie calls: A whole new reason to hate dating in DC”](#)  
 The Telegraph: [“Rise of the foodie calls”](#)  
 Bolde: [“Foodie calls are becoming a big problem in dating”](#)  
 EurekAlert: [“Foodie Calls: Dating for a Free Meal”](#)  
 Earth.com: [“Up to 33% of women admit to ‘foodie calls’”](#)  
 Phys.org: [“Dating for a free meal”](#)  
 Neuroscience News: [“Women who date for a free meal likely exhibit triad personality traits”](#)  
 Society for Personality and Social Psychology: [“Foodie Calls”](#)  
 Local Radio: [“Study shows 33% of women have ‘foodie called’”](#); KFrog (Los Angeles); The Eagle (Fargo)  
 Study Finds: [“The Foodie Call”](#)  
 SciTech Europa: [“The dark personality traits associated with dating for a free meal”](#)  
 Daily Mail: [“Rise of foodie calls”](#)  
 Press Reader: [“Women who date for a free meal”](#)  
 The World News: [“A third of women date for the food”](#)  
 Angle News: [“A THIRD of women have gone on a romantic date just for a free meal”](#)  
 Foosha: [“Courting for a free meal”](#)  
 Doctissimo: [“Foodie call”](#)  
 The Young Independents: [“All you need to know about ‘foodie calls’”](#)  
 Xaralite: [“Foodie calls: The new dating cult”](#)  
 What’s New Today: [“Third of women went on a romantic date for a free meal”](#)  
 Newsgroove: [“Third of women have gone on a date for a free meal”](#)  
 Bright Surf: [“Foodie calls”](#)  
 Red State: [“The ‘foodie call’: A third of women admit to going on dates for a free meal”](#)  
 Times of Food: [“Is it a foodie call or sneating?”](#)  
 Big News Network: [“Is foodie call the new dating trend?”](#)  
 Times (Nigeria): [“A third of women date for the free food”](#)  
 Female Adda: [“Divide pay during dates!”](#)  
 Hilltop Monitor: [“One in four women go on a date for a free meal”](#)

Australia Newsley: "[A third of women have gone on a romantic date for a free meal](#)"  
 Times of India: "[About one-third of women go on dates for free meals](#)"  
 Unilad: "[One-third of women admit to going on a date for a free meal](#)"  
 VT: "[A third of women have gone on a romantic date for a free meal](#)"  
 Instapundit: "[A third of women have gone on a romantic date for a free meal](#)"  
 The Tribune (India): "[Food over romance](#)"  
 Lancashire Independent News: "[Foodie calls](#)"  
 Men Suck: "[Some women date men just for the food](#)"  
 Resetera: "[Third of women gone on date for free food](#)"  
 Bipartisan Alliance: "[Foodie calls](#)"  
 World News: "[Foodie calls](#)"  
 VidMid: "[One third of women admit to going on date for a free meal](#)"  
 Outlook (India): "[1 in 4 women go on a date for a free meal](#)"  
 Deccan Chronicle: "[1 in 4 women go on a date for a free meal](#)"  
 Before Its News: "[The foodie call](#)"  
 Sick Chirpse: "[One third of women date for free food](#)"  
 Guwahati Times: "[Nearly 1 in 4 women have dated for a free meal](#)"  
 FL Vibe: "[One third of women have dated men for free food](#)"  
 Newsgram: "[Foodie call](#)"  
 Social News: "[1 in 4 women go on dates for free meals](#)"  
 WCCO: "[Newest dating trends](#)"  
 WWJ Newsradio: "[Foodie call: What, who, and why?](#)"  
 Ladders: "[Beware: Foodie calls on the rise](#)"  
 Tom Leykis Podcast  
 Character & Context: "[Foodie calls: Who dates for free food?](#)"  
 Psychology Today: "[The psychology of the foodie call](#)"  
 PsyPost: "[Dark Personality Traits Predict Deceptive Dating](#)"  
 The Standard: "[One in three women date for free food](#)"

## ***RELATIONAL PREJUDICE***

### ***MIXED-WEIGHT COUPLES***

Psychology Today: "[Date Someone Your Own Size](#)"  
 Brit + Co: "[The Unfair Thing that Happens to Mixed-Weight Couples](#)"  
 Revelist: "[Study on Fat People with Thin Partners Comes to a Sad Conclusion](#)"  
 Rebel Circus: "[Stories from People in Mixed-Weight Relationships](#)"  
 Boston Globe: "[Class Warfare at 30,000 Feet](#)"  
 Medium: "[Couples Who Vary in Weight Experience More Prejudice](#)"  
 National Affairs: "[Date Someone Your Own Size](#)"  
 Lady Clever: "[People More Prejudiced Towards Mixed-Weight Couples](#)"  
 Elite Daily: "[Date Someone Who Weighs the Same as You](#)"  
 Psychology of Attractiveness: "[Do Opposites Attract?](#)"  
 Psychology Today Magazine: "[Just Because We're Different](#)"  
 Rewire: "[Why Do 'Mixed' Couples Face Discrimination](#)"  
 Giddy: "[The Psychology of Mixed-Weight Relationships](#)"

### ***AGE-GAP COUPLES***

Psychology Today: “[Age-Gap Romance: Recipe for Stigma or Success](#)”  
 Psychology Today: “[Why Do People Look Down on Age-gap Romances?](#)”  
 Newsmax: “[Why Younger Women Date Older Men](#)”  
 Greenheart: “[Ideas for Dating Older](#)”  
 Public Radio: “[Why younger women prefer to date older men](#)”  
 Bellevue Chapel “[Older Women and Dating](#)”  
 Exploring Your Mind: “[Age is more than a number](#)”  
 RadioLove: “[Why young men find older woman so appealing](#)”  
 Newsmax “[Cross Decade Dating](#)”

### ***RELATIONSHIP INTERFERENCE***

Psychology Today “[Why friends and relatives cannot stop meddling](#)”  
 Medium “[Why some people meddle with relationships of friends and family](#)”  
 Psy Post “[People with Dark Personality Traits to Meddle in Relationships](#)”  
 Academic Times “[Dark Personalities Interfere in Others’ Relationships](#)”  
 Newsbreak “[The personality of meddling friends and family](#)”  
 Daily Advent “[Personality of Meddling friends](#)”

### ***TEACHING & LEARNING OF PSYCHOLOGY***

Zippia – The Career Expert: “[Predicting the Future of the Job Market](#)”  
 APU: “[Benefits of Taking a Wide Variety of College Classes](#)”  
 APU: “[Why Research in College Create a Strong Overall Experience](#)”  
 APU: “[Featured Faculty: Career Development](#)”

### ***DARK PERSONALITY TRAITS***

TherapyTips – “[Another Way Dark Personalities Cheat the System](#)”

## **HONORS**

### **GRANTS**

TOTAL FUNDING - \$19,255 USD

- **Collisson, B.**, Lacy, L., Eck, B., & Fernandez, N. *Templeton Foundation*, Cougars Care 2.0: A Social Network Analysis of Character Development Training. (*Not funded for \$234,500*; 2021)
- **Collisson, B.** *APA – Pearsall Grant*, An intervention to reduce stigma of dating people with disabilities. (*Not funded for \$10,000*, 2019)
- \$3,615 **Collisson, B.** *FRC Planning Grant*, The stigma of dating people with disabilities. (Awarded 2018)
- \$4,215 **Collisson, B.**, Diaz-Castaneda, P., & Ecklund, K. *Anticipatory Thinking Grant*, A mixed-methods analysis of engagement and retention efforts for Psychology’s Generation Z students. (Awarded 2017)

- \$1,500      **Collisson, B.**, Eck, B., & Edwards, J. *APU Office of Faith Integration – Faith Integration Project Grant*, Creating and validating a psychology and faith integration scale. (Awarded 2016)
- \$1,200      **Collisson, B.**, Harmon, A., Neal-Beliveau, B., Rusbasan, D., Camp, L., & Kellogg, J. *Society for Teaching of Psychology – Partnership Grant*, Indiana Psychology Conference. (Awarded 2016)
- \$1,200      **Collisson, B.**, Rusbasan, D., Camp, L., & Kellogg, J. *Society for Teaching of Psychology – Conference Speaker Grant*, Showcase for Psychological Science and Pedagogy Conference. (Awarded 2015)
- \$5,000      **Collisson, B.**, Rusbasan, D., Camp, L., & Kellogg, J. *Association for Psychological Science: Fund for Teaching and Public Understanding of Psychological Science*, High School and College Conference for Psychological Science (Awarded 2014)
- \$275        **Collisson B.** *Perspectives on Psychological Science*, (Awarded 2014)
- \$750        **Collisson, B.** *Marian University - Professional Development Mini-Grant*, (Awarded 2014)
- \$1,000      Allan, B., Duffy, R., & **Collisson, B.** *Consulting Psychology Journal*, (Awarded 2013)
- \$500        **Collisson, B.** *University of Florida Travel Grants*, (Awarded 2010, 2011, 2012)

### TEACHING AWARDS

- Nominated for Society for Teaching of Psychology, Early Career Award (2017)
- Howard Hughes Medical Institute's Science for Life Mentor Award (2012)
- Outstanding Graduate Instructor, University of Florida (2011)

### RESEARCH AWARDS

- Western Psychological Association Research Award, awarded concurrently with undergraduate student co-authors (2018)
- First Place, University of Florida Research Forum, Awarded concurrently with undergraduate student co-author (2011)
- First Place, California State University Graduate Studies Research Conference (2009)
- Psychology Student of the Year, Chaffey College (2007)

## ADVISING & MENTORSHIP

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### GRADUATE STUDENTS

2022/2023      Joann Ly



2021/2022	Austin Gomez, Hideaki Asto, Joann Ly
2020/2021	Michael Ta, Austin Gomez, Hideaki Asto
2019/2020	Michael Ta
2018/2019	Zizhong (David) Xiao, Vanessa Weber, Evelyn Allen
2017/2018	Zizhong (David) Xiao, Vanessa Weber, Evelyn Allen
2016/2017	Camille Brandon, Crystal Saludes

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS**

Spring 2022	Rylee Gutierrez, Eliana Sanders
Fall 2021	Branayia Thomas-Mack, Jonathan Oncena, Seth Storlie
Spring 2021	Roni Darnold, Kililani Mattson, Jasmine Navarro, Andrew Berdugo, Jonathan Woodruff
Fall 2020	Jacqueline Wagner, Kililani Mattson, Branayia Thomas-Mack, Roni Darnold, Jasmine Navarro, Abigail King
Spring 2020	Branayia Thomas-Mack, Ashley Papa, M'khayla Sandoval, Jasmine Monelon, Jessica Carter
Fall 2019	Jessica Carter, Jasmine Monleon, Tania Maradiaga
Spring 2019	Paulina Avellaneda, Josh Cantong, Samantha Castro, Alyssa Flores, Brianna Gentile, Trista Harig, Kieran O'Neill, Tabitha Parker, Sierra Potter, Jonathan Wee, Candace Weir
Fall 2018	Sabrina Castro, Samantha Castro, Trista Harig, Josh Cantong
Spring 2018	Sabrina Castro, Lara Chakrian, Ashley Corona, Kieran Deal, Courtney Fredericks, Trista Harig, Jennifer Mendoza, Maddy Rico, Jon Shier, Ashley Stanford, Joanna Young
Fall 2017	Lexi Anduiza, Nick Barbrow, Cyinna Booker, Lara Chakrian, Ashley Corona, Sarah Guillen, Bethany Ling, Hannah McCleary, Jennifer Mendoza, Maddy Rico
Spring 2017	Katlyn Liepman, Sarah Guillen, Pollyn Cordoviz, Trista Harig, Edenrose Podgorski, Luciana Ponce de Leon, Joanna Young, Jon Shier, Andrew Maradiaga, Jamie Jebb
Fall 2016	Marlene Martinez, Angele Doakes, Luciana Ponce De Leon
2015	Fletcher Kitchell, Emily Rosenfeld
2014	Emily Rosenfeld, Caitlyn McIntyre
2013	Nina Combs
2012	Isabelle Solomon, Olivia Soutullo, Juliana Hughes, Jonathon Wijnperle
2011	Adam Dzedzy, Ashley Jacobs, Justin Hirshauer

**COMMITTEE WORK****UNIVERSITY SERVICE**

Strategic Planning – Enrollment Management Workgroup (2020 – 2022)  
Strategic Planning – Diversity, Equity, and Inclusiveness Workgroup (2020 – 2022)  
Faculty Senator (2020 – 2023)  
Behavioral & Applied Sciences Curriculum Committee Chair (2019)  
Trustees Scholarship Committee (2018)  
Admissions– Sciences Representative (2015 – 2016)  
Student Conduct– Faculty Representative (2015 – 2016)  
General Election Committee (2015 – 2016)  
Advising Council (2015 – 2016)  
Discipleship Group Leader (2016 - 2017)

**DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE**

Head of Department Assessment (2021 – Current)  
Program Director, Traditional UG Psychology Programs (2017 – 2021)  
Living Learning Community (2016-2019)  
Thesis Committee Chair (2018-Current)  
Faculty Social Committee (2017 - Current)  
Field and Research Experience Management (2017 - 2018)

**CONFERENCE PLANNING**

Showcasing Psychological Science and Pedagogy (Chair; 2015 - 2016)  
Marian University Research and Scholarship Conference (2012 – 2016)  
Society for Southeastern Social Psychologists (2011-2012)

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Alternative Spring Break in Kentucky (2015, 2016)  
Day of Leadership and Service – First Semester Freshman (2015)  
Marian Univ. Scholarship Interviewer/Judge (2011, 2014)  
Indy DO Day of Community Service (2013 - 2015)  
Volunteer at Holy Family Homeless Shelter (2013, 2014)

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Peer Reviewer

*Journal of Social and Personal Relationships, Personal Relationships, Basic and Applied Social Psychology, Teaching of Psychology, Psychology of Popular Media, Psychological Reports, The Social Science Journal, Journal of Psychology, Journal of Psychology & Behavioral Sciences, Undergraduate Journal of Psychology, Current Directions in Psychological Science*

#### **PUBLIC SPEAKING EVENTS**

Research Forums (2016-2019)

Faculty Friday Night – TED Talk Series (2015-2016)

Psi Chi Club Invited Speaker (2013, 2019)

New Student Orientation, Advising, Registration (2014-2016)

Alumni Board Update on Psychology Department (2015)

Family Day Presentation – On Transitioning to College (2014)

Preview Day for Prospective Students (2013 - 2022)

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#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Society for the Teaching of Psychology

Society for Personality and Social Psychology

Association for Psychological Science

Society for Southeastern Social Psychologists

Midwestern Psychological Association

Western Psychological Association

American Psychological Association