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Education

- 2008 M.A. Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan.
Major: Clinical Psychology
Thesis: *"A Neuropsychological Investigation of Treated vs. Treatment Naïve Children with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder – Combined Type"*
(Advisor: Margaret Semrud-Clikeman, Ph.D.)
- 2005 B.S. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon. (Cum Laude)
Major: Psychology
Minor: Cell Biology
Senior Project: *"An fMRI Study of Attention- Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder in Adolescent Girls: Effects of Stimulant Medication on Working Memory"*
(Data collected and analyzed at the University of California, Berkeley, 2004).
- 2004 University of California, Berkeley, Research Opportunity Program Scholarship.
(Advisor: Stephen Hinshaw, Ph.D.)

Awards

Graduate Fellowship, Michigan State University (2008)
Phi Kappa Phi, National Honor Society (2005)
University of California, Berkeley, Research Opportunity Program Scholarship (2004)
President's Award for Outstanding Community Engagement, Portland State University (2004)
Dean's List (2001-2005)
Darren Ulven Memorial Scholarship (2001)

Professional Activities

Student Member, American Psychological Association, 2004 – present
Student Member, Western Psychological Association, 2004 – present
Student Member, Children and Adults with ADHD, 2007 – present
Student Member, International Neuropsychological Society, 2007 – present

Clinical Experience

9/2007-Current Clinician. Michigan State University Psychological Clinic. East Lansing, Michigan. Clinical Supervisor(s): Alytia Levendosky, Ph.D., Daniel Greenberg, Ph.D.

1/2008-3/2008 Clinician. Group treatment for preschoolers suffering loss or family violence Maplehill Head Start, Lansing, Michigan.

6/2007-Current Research Assistant -Neuropsychological Assessment. Center for Neurodevelopmental Study, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan.
Conducting neuropsychological assessments for SCK, ADHD, and Expert studies.
Supervisor: Dr. Margaret Semrud-Clikeman and Dr. Jodene Fine.

Community Experience

10/2006 Community Depression Screening at Star of David Church. Lansing, MI.

2002-2004 YWCA Yolanda House, Domestic Violence Shelter. Child Advocate.

Teaching Experience

2008 Instructor. Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan.
Child and Family Psychopathology, 424, Section 101. Summer 2008.
Supervisor: Kevin Ford, Ph.D.

2007 Instructor. Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan.
Child and Family Psychopathology 424, Section 730. Summer 2007.
Supervisor: Alytia A. Levendosky, Ph.D.

2004 Teaching Assistant. Portland State University, Portland, Oregon. Statistics 243 & 244. Department of Mathematics, Portland State University.

Offices/Committees

2007- Current Vice President, Student Organization for Cognitive Sciences (SOCS). Clinical Psychology, Michigan State University.

2007-Current Colloquium Committee, Clinical Interest Group, Department of Psychology, Michigan State University.

Research Experience

08/2006-Current Research Assistant. Center for Neurodevelopmental Study, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI. Currently assisting on numerous projects such as exploring the neural processes involved in understanding the neural correlates of social processing in children with Autism Spectrum Disorders, assessing response to reward/punishment in children with ADHD, and using neuroimaging to techniques to better understand the process of spatial 3-D manipulation and verbal working memory in language and non-language graduate students. Supervisor: Margaret Semrud-Clikeman, Ph.D.

06/2007-Current Independent Research Project. Center for Neurodevelopmental Study, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI. An MRI study of the cerebellum and vermis in children with ADHD. Supervisor: Margaret Semrud-Clikeman, Ph.D.

2002-2005 Research Assistant. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Department of Urology/Oncology. Portland, OR. Recursive Partitioning for Risk Stratification in Men Undergoing Repeat Prostate Biopsies Supervisor: Mark Garzotto M.D.

2004 Undergraduate Thesis. University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA. Department of Psychology. An fMRI Study of Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder in Adolescent Girls: Effects of Stimulant Medication on Working Memory. Analyzed fMRI data in SPM, presented findings at annual WPA convention in Portland, OR. Supervisors: Stephen Hinshaw, Ph.D., Margaret Sheridan Graduate Student.

- 2001-2005 Research Assistant. Portland State University, Portland, OR. Department of Psychology. Domestic Violence Intervention Research Project. Interviewed court-mandated domestic violence men at local domestic violence intervention programs. SPSS data entry, questionnaire development.
Supervisor: Eric Mankowski Ph.D.
- 2002-2004 Research Assistant. Doernbecher Children's Hospital/Oregon Health and Sciences University, Portland, OR. Department of Pediatric Pain and Anesthesiology Pain and Quality of Life in Children with Cystic Fibrosis: Predictors of Pain. Subject recruitment, data entry, child/parent interviews.
Supervisors: Jeffrey Koh M.D., Dale Harrison Ph.D., MPH.
- 2003 Research Assistant. Doernbecher Children's Hospital/ Oregon Health and Sciences University, Department of Pediatric Pain and Anesthesiology. Propofol and Outcomes of Surgery. Data entry.
Supervisor: Dale Harrison MPH.
- 2002-2003 Research Assistant. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Department of Cardiothoracic Surgery. Leukodepletion and Outcomes of Surgery. Data entry, data management, patient chart review.
Supervisors: Grace Chien M.D., Pasala Ravichandran M.D., Prudence Marshal MS.
- 2002 Research Assistant. Veterans Affairs Medical Center, Department of Urology/ Oncology. Trans Urethral Resection of the Prostate (TURP Procedure). Data entry and data analysis.
Supervisor: Edith Legg M.D., Mark Garzotto M.D.

Publications

- Bledsoe, J.,** Semrud-Clikeman, & M., Pliszka, S.R. (In Press). An MRI Study of the Cerebellar Vermis in Chronically-Treated and Treatment-Naïve Children with ADHD-Combined Type. *Biological Psychiatry*.
- Semrud-Clikeman, M., Teeter Ellison, P.A., & **Bledsoe, J.** (In Press); Traumatic Brain Injury in Children and Adolescents. In M. Semrud-Clikeman & P.A. Teeter Ellison (Eds.) Child Neuropsychology. New York: Springer Science.

Semrud-Clikeman, M., Fine, J.G., & **Bledsoe, J.** (In press); Neuroimaging in Women. In E. Fletcher-Janzen & C. Reynolds (Eds.), The Neuropsychology of Women. New York: Kluwer.

Garzotto, M., Park, Y., Mongoue-Tchokote, S., **Bledsoe, J.**, Peters, L., Blank, B., Austin, D., Beer, T., Motomi, M. (August 2005). Recursive Partitioning for Risk Stratification in Men Undergoing Repeat Prostate Biopsies. *Journal of Cancer*, 104, 9, 1911-7.

Garzotto, M., Mongoue-Tchokote, S., **Bledsoe, J.**, Parra, O., Peters, L., Park, Y., Beers, T. M., & Mori, M. (2004) Predictors of prostate cancer in men undergoing serial prostate biopsies: Results from 371 patients. *American Society of Clinical Oncology*, 23, 402.

Publications in Progress

Bledsoe, J., Semrud-Clikeman, M., & Pliszka, S.R. (In Preparation) A Neuropsychological Investigation of Chronically Treated and Treatment Naïve Children with ADHD-Combined Type.

Bledsoe, J. Semrud-Clikeman, M., & Pliszka, S.R. (In Preparation). Response Interference vs. Academic Ability in Children with ADHD-Combined Type: Rethinking the Role of Executive Functions in Reading, Writing, and Mathematics.

Fine, J.G., Semrud-Clikeman, M., Zhu, D., & **Bledsoe, J.** (In Preparation). Gender differences in brain activation to emotional photos and videos. To be submitted to *Biological Psychiatry*.

Semrud-Clikeman, M., Fine, J.G., Zhu, D., & **Bledsoe, J.** (In Preparation). Asymmetry and whole-brain activation to emotional photos and videos. To be submitted to *Biological Psychiatry*.

Conference Presentations

Bledsoe, J., Semrud-Clikeman, M., Pliszka, S.R. *Cerebellar Area in Chronically-Treated and Treatment-Naïve Children with ADHD-C*. Poster presented at the National Academy of Neuropsychology, (NAN). October, 2008. New York.

Bledsoe, J., Semrud-Clikeman, M., Pliszka, S.R. *Response Interference and Academic Ability in Children with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder – Combined Type*. Poster presented at the National Academy of Neuropsychology (NAN). October, 2008. New York.

- Semrud-Clikeman, M., Goldenring Fine, J., Zhu, D., & **Bledsoe, J.** *Differential Activation to Emotions in Video Vignettes vs. Photos*. Poster presented at the National Academy of Neuropsychology (NAN). October, 2008. New York.
- Semrud-Clikeman, M., Goldenring Fine, J., Zhu, D., & **Bledsoe, J.** *Differential Activation to Positive and Negative Emotions to Photos and Videos*. Poster presented at the National Academy of Neuropsychology (NAN). October, 2008. New York.
- Goldenring Fine, J., Semrud-Clikeman, M., Zhu, D., & **Bledsoe, J.** *Gender Differences in BOLD Activation to Happy and Sad Photos and Video Vignettes*. Poster presented at the National Academy of Neuropsychology (NAN). October, 2008. New York.
- Bledsoe, J.**, Semrud-Clikeman, M., Pliszka, S.R. *An MRI Study of the Cerebellar Vermis in Chronically Treated and Treatment Naïve Children with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder*. Poster presented at the American Psychological Association Meeting (APA), August, 2008. Boston, Massachusetts.
- Fine, J.G., Semrud-Clikeman, M., Zhu, D., Ogg, J.A., **Bledsoe, J.** (2008). *Gender Differences in Activation of Happy and Sad Video Vignettes*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, February, 2008. Waikoloa, Hawaii.
- Fine, J.G., Semrud-Clikeman, M., Zhu, D., **Bledsoe, J.** (2008). *Greater Differential Activation to Emotions in Video Vignettes vs. Photos*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, February, 2008. Waikoloa, Hawaii.
- Fine, J.G., Semrud-Clikeman, M., Zhu, D., **Bledsoe, J.** (2008). *Gender Differences in Activation to Happy and Sad Human Faces*. Annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, February 2008, Waikoloa, Hawaii.
- Semrud-Clikeman, M., Fine, J.G., Zhu, D., Ogg, J. A., **Bledsoe, J.** (2008). *Asymmetric activation to happy and sad video vignettes*. Annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, February 2008, Waikoloa, Hawaii.
- Semrud-Clikeman, M., Fine, J.G., Zhu, D., **Bledsoe, J.** (2008). *Asymmetric activation to happy and sad photos*. Annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, February 2008, Waikoloa, Hawaii.
- Semrud-Clikeman, M., Fine, J.G., **Bledsoe, J.** (2008). *Meta-analysis of empirical research in assessment and diagnosis of NVLD*. Annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, February 2008, Waikoloa, Hawaii.

- Bledsoe, J., Semrud-Clikeman, M., Pliszka, S.R.** *Academic and Executive Functioning in Treated vs. Treatment Naïve Adolescents with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder – Combined Type.* Poster presented at the Children and Adults with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (CHADD), International Conference, November, 2007. Washington, D.C.
- Bledsoe, J., Semrud-Clikeman, M., Pliszka, S.R.** *Effects of Stimulant Medication on Attention and Concentration in Treated vs. Treatment Naïve Adolescents with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder – Combined Type.* Poster presented at the American Psychological Association Conference, August, 2007. San Francisco, CA.
- Bledsoe, J., Sheridan, M., Hinshaw, S.P.** *An fMRI study of attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder in adolescent girls: effects of stimulant medication on working memory.* Poster presented at the Western Psychological Association Annual Meeting, April, 2005. Portland, OR.
- Garzotto M, Collins L, Park Y, Mongoue-Tchokote S, **Bledsoe J**, Peters L, Blank BH, Beer TM, Mori M. *PSA Doubling Time for the Prediction of Aggressive Prostate Cancer on Repeat Prostate Biopsy.* Poster presented at the 2005 American Society for Clinical Oncology, Prostate Cancer Symposium.
- Garzotto M, Collins L, Park Y, Mongoue-Tchokote S, **Bledsoe J**, Peters L, Blank BH, Beer TM, Mori M. *PSA Doubling Time for the Prediction of Aggressive Prostate Cancer on Repeat Prostate Biopsy.* Poster presented at the 2004 American Urological Association Annual Meeting.
- Bledsoe, J.** *Domestic Violence and Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder.* Presented at Tri-County Batterer Intervention Project Network Meeting. Portland, OR. July 2002.
- Legg, E, **Bledsoe J**, Garzotto M: *The morbidity of transurethral prostatectomy: a contemporary series.* Poster presented at the Northwest Urological Society Meeting. Portland, OR December 7-8, 2002.