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PROFESSOR

PSYCHOLOGY PROGRAM DIRECTOR

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Social Psychology	2006
Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL Dissertation: <i>Pseudo-credibility and Persuasion</i> Dissertation Chair: Dr. Brad Sagarin	
M.A. Social Psychology	2004
Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL Thesis: <i>A Leading Researcher Approves of This Thesis: Pseudo-credibility and Persuasion</i> Thesis Chair: Dr. John Skowronski	
B.S. Psychology	2000
University of Wisconsin - River Falls, River Falls, WI	

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professor & Psychology Program Director	August 2017 - present
Department of Psychology, University of Wisconsin - Stout	
Associate Professor & Psychology Program Director	June 2015 - July 2017
Department of Psychology, University of Wisconsin - Stout	
Associate Professor	August 2012 - May 2015
Department of Psychology, University of Wisconsin - Stout	
Assistant Professor	August 2006 - July 2012
Department of Psychology, University of Wisconsin - Stout	
Adjunct Instructor	August 2005 - December 2005
Department of Psychology, Aurora University	

RECENT COURSES TAUGHT

In-person Courses:

PSYC-100 Psychology Seminar I
PSYC-190 Psychological Research Methods
PSYC-270 Social Cognition & Behavior
PSYC-280 Forensic Psyc, Law, & Ethics
PSYC-300 Psychology Seminar II
PSYC-360 Personality Theories & Applications
PSYC-377/577 Consumer Psychology

Online Courses:

PSYC-100 Psychology Seminar I
PSYC-270 Social Cognition & Behavior
PSYC-280 Forensic Psyc, Law, & Ethics
PSYC-300 Psychology Seminar II
PSYC-360 Personality Theories & Applications
PSYC-377/577 Consumer Psychology
PSYC-490 Research Practicum

RECENT RESEARCH PROJECTS

- Development & validation of scale assessing psychosocial burden of Alopecia Areata
- Influence of media consumption habits & belief in a just world*
- Influence of social media use on mental health literacy*
- Influence of cognitive load on lying and lie detection accuracy*

*Collaboration with undergraduate psychology students