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### EDUCATION

- Doctor of Clinical Psychology** September 2012  
*Florida Institute of Technology* (APA Accredited); School of Psychology, Melbourne, Florida  
Concentrations: Forensic Psychology; Child & Family Therapy
- Master of Science, Clinical Psychology** May 2009  
*Florida Institute of Technology*; Melbourne, Florida
- Master of Science, Clinical Psychology** May 2007  
*Radford University*; Radford, Virginia
- Bachelor of Science, Psychology, Minor in Sociology** May 2005  
*Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University*; Blacksburg, Virginia

### CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

**Assistant Clinical Professor**, Auburn University, Auburn, AL Sept. 2013-present  
*Primary Responsibilities*: Teaching and providing clinical and research supervision to undergraduate and graduate students at Mt. Meigs, an Alabama Department of Youth Services (DYS) residential placement for adjudicated juveniles.

### AWARDS AND HONORS

Outstanding Recent Alumna, Virginia Tech Black Alumni Awards, Virginia Tech Alumni Association, 2016  
American Psychology-Law Society (AP-LS) Continuing Education Grant, 2014  
The Elizabeth B. Wolf Outstanding Clinical Student Award, Florida Tech Psychology Department, 2011  
National Psychologist Trainee Register (NPTR) Credentialing Scholarship, 2011  
Outstanding Graduate Student in Clinical Psychology, Florida Tech Honors Convocation, 2009-2010  
State of Delaware Scholarship Incentive Program (ScIP), 2008-2009  
Michael Serafino Best Student Paper Award, Society for Police and Criminal Psychology, Washington DC, 2006  
Student Research Travel Award, College of Graduate and Extended Education, Radford, University, 2006  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place-Undergraduate Division Poster Presentation at 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Graduate Student Assembly Research Symposium, Virginia Tech, 2005  
Center for Academic Enrichment & Excellence (CAEE) Student Support Grant, Virginia Tech, 2005  
Undergraduate Researcher of the Week, Stress and Coping Lab, Virginia Tech, 2004, 2005  
Student Transition Program (STP) Merit Scholarship, Virginia Tech, 2002  
John Lee Pratt Foundation Freshman Merit Scholarship, Virginia Tech, 2001-2002  
Presidential Campus Enrichment Grant (PCEG), Virginia Tech, 2001-2005

### GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

**External Funding:**

Accountability Based Juvenile Treatment and Assessment  
Alabama Department of Youth Services (DYS)  
Principal Investigator: Barry Burkhart, Ph.D., ABPP  
Status: Funded (renewed annually since 1999; Director of Assessment since 2013)

**Internal Funding:**

Creating Connections with Detained Adolescents & College Students: A Pilot Project  
Community and Civic Engagement Project Support Grant, Auburn University, 2016  
Principal Investigator  
Status: Funded and in progress

Risk Assessment Training for Graduate Students in Clinical Psychology  
The Daniel F. Breeden Endowed Grant Program, 2014-2015  
The Biggio Center for the Enhancement of Teaching and Learning at Auburn University  
Principal Investigator  
Status: Funded and completed

**SUPERVISORY, ADMINISTRATIVE, AND LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE**

**Associate Director**, Family Learning Program February 2010-June 2011  
*Responsibilities:* Associate Director for an evidence-based sexual abuse treatment program for child victims and their families. Received phone calls requesting information and services for families that have been impacted by sexual abuse. Scheduled initial intakes and feedback sessions for families accepted for services. Organized monthly billing statements for state funded vendors, including Victim's Compensation, VOCA, Children's Medical Services, and the Federal Office of Probation. Planned and facilitated weekly team meetings for over 25 therapists and undergraduate interns. Attended weekly administrative meetings with the agency director.

**Peer Supervisor**, Psychological Services at the Scott Center for Autism January 2010-May 2010  
*Responsibilities:* Reviewed psychotherapy notes, psychological assessments, initial intake reports, treatment plans, and termination summaries. Reviewed video tapes and guided supervisees through practicum experience. Facilitated group supervision and provided supervisees different therapeutic models and clinical techniques to assist them to meet clients' needs.

**CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

**Minnesota State Operated Forensic Services (MSOFS)**, St. Peter, MN Sept. 2012-Sept. 2013  
**Post-Doctoral Fellow, Forensic Psychology**  
*Population Served:* Adult and juvenile inpatient and outpatient defendants requiring court-ordered evaluations.  
*Primary Responsibilities:* Conducted competence to stand trial, competency to proceed, and criminal responsibility evaluations for inpatient and outpatient defendants. Conducted violence and sexual violence risk assessments. Attended forensic psychology and case law didactics.

**Patton State Hospital**, Patton, CA Sept. 2011-Aug. 2012  
**Pre-Doctoral Intern-Forensic Track** (APA Accredited)  
*Population Served:* The largest maximum-security forensic psychiatric hospital, housing 1500 male and female patients admitted under various California penal codes, including incompetent to stand trial (IST), not guilty by reason of insanity (NGRI), and mentally disordered offenders (MDOs).  
*Primary Responsibilities:* Conducted individual psychotherapy with severely mentally ill patients. Conducted clinical and forensic evaluations on patients, including competency to stand trial evaluations,

violence risk assessments, and malingering assessments. Rotations: Brief-Solution Focused Therapy: Provided eight sessions of individual psychotherapy utilizing a Solution-Focused approach for patients preparing for discharge or conditional release programs; Positive Behavior Support: Conducted functional behavioral assessments on patients referred for behavioral problems including physical and verbal aggression, and self-injurious behaviors; and Sex Offender Treatment Program: Provided individual and group psychotherapy for patients housed on the sex offender treatment unit. Conducted general violence and sexual violence risk assessments.

## **PRACTICUM EXPERIENCE**

**Sex Offender Treatment Team, Family Learning Program; Melbourne, FL** April 2010-June 2011  
**Practicum Clinician**

*Population Served:* Federal-funded outpatient sex offender treatment program

*Responsibilities:* Co-led individual and group psychotherapy implementing Relapse Prevention and Good Lives treatment models. Conducted initial evaluations consisting of a clinical interview and administered the Sone Sexual History Interview, MMPI-2, WASI, and Static-99. Assisted with diagnosing and formulating treatment plans for offenders. Developed monthly treatment progress reports for state-wide and federal probation officers. Participated in weekly group supervision and received feedback from audio recordings of sessions from an ATSA trained supervisor. Organized and prepared monthly billing statements for the Federal Office of Probation.

**Brevard Outpatient Alternative Treatment (B.O.A.T.), Satellite Beach, FL** May 2010-Dec. 2010  
**Practicum Clinician**

*Population Served:* State-funded outpatient substance abuse/dual diagnosis treatment program and anger management for adults and adolescents. Most adolescent clients were court-mandated for both individual and group substance abuse treatment.

*Responsibilities:* Provided individual and family psychotherapy for adolescents and adults with alcohol and drug related disorders and co-existing conditions. Conducted couples therapy sessions as needed. Provided psycho-education in treatment regarding addiction, assertiveness, and self-esteem. Conducted an adolescent process and psycho-education group for adolescents ranging from ages 12 to 18. Assisted with diagnosis and formulating individualized treatment plans for clients. Conducted on-site drug tests and urinalysis screenings on clients. Completed authorization and re-authorization paperwork, as well as monthly reports for TANF clients.

**Women's Center; Melbourne, FL** May 2010-Dec. 2010  
**Practicum Clinician**

*Population Served:* Outpatient community mental health clinic serving a diverse population of men, women, and children in individual and group formats.

*Responsibilities:* Ongoing psychological treatment of individuals from initial intake to termination, and available for crisis walk-in sessions. Co-led support group for male survivors of childhood sexual abuse. Occasionally led women's domestic violence support group discussing topics such as the cycle of violence. Conducted psychological evaluations on an as-needed basis for diagnostic clarity and treatment planning.

**Paulillo and Paulillo, LLC; Melbourne, FL** Feb. 2010-Sept. 2010  
**Student Clinician**

*Population Served:* Children and adults claimants applying for Social Security disability benefits from the Office of Disabilities. In addition, adults and children referred for private evaluations for independent practice.

*Responsibilities:* Conducted clinical interviews and mental status examinations for all clients. Wrote reports to be used in determination of eligibility for benefits. Completed learning disability evaluations as requested.

**Brevard County Jail Complex-Mental Health Unit; Cocoa, FL**  
**Practicum Clinician**

Aug. 2009-May 2010

*Population Served:* County jail that houses over 1,800 male, female, and juvenile inmates. The population consisted of a diversity of inmates including race, age, gender, and sexual orientation.

*Responsibilities:* Assessed over 150 inmates in various areas of the jail including the mental health unit which houses many of the seriously mentally ill inmates and those at high risk for suicidal behaviors. Other areas included the general adult male population, women's annex, and the medical unit which houses inmates with acute and chronic physical ailments. Conducted suicide risk assessments, initial assessments, and follow-up sessions with inmates to facilitate diagnosis and treatment. Clinical services were provided to inmates located at all security levels. Involved in making housing placement decisions for inmates. Developed and led group for severely mentally ill inmates focusing on coping skills, identifying and modulating feelings, and finding community resources. Shadowed personnel throughout criminal justice system, including correctional officers, court officials, and unit psychiatrist.

**Poch, Jacobson, and Associates; Melbourne, FL**  
**Practicum Clinician-Forensic Evaluation Team**

Aug. 2009-Dec. 2010

*Population Served:* Defendants being evaluated by a clinical forensic psychologist for mental state at the time of the crime in a variety of criminal cases including capital murder.

*Responsibilities:* Participated in forensic evaluation process for two capital murder cases. Involved in case evaluation and development process and selecting appropriate assessment measures. Conducted review of discovery material and developed psychosocial evaluations. Conducted literature reviews on psychopathology in military combat veterans.

**Devereux, Inc.; Viera, FL**  
**Practicum Clinician**

May 2009-Aug. 2009

*Population Served:* Dual Diagnosis Center (DDC) which provides services for children and adolescents between the ages of 5 and 17 with a diagnosis of a developmental or intellectual disability that is co-morbid with an Axis I diagnosis. Most of the children and adolescents display both behavioral and emotional problems. The DDC is a locked facility and has the capacity to serve 60 children and adolescents.

*Responsibilities:* Administered, scored, and interpreted psychological assessments and provided written reports and individual feedback to clients and a multidisciplinary team. Co-led adolescent both process and psycho-educational substance abuse groups to 8 to 10 male and female adolescents. Attended clinical rounds, IEP meetings, and participated in treatment team meetings with a multidisciplinary staff including behavior analysts, teachers, and psychiatrists.

**Forensic Psychological Evaluations, LLC; Melbourne, FL**  
**Student Clinician—Forensic Case Team**

April 2009-June 2011

*Population Served:* Inmates evaluated for the Sexually Violent Predator Program and defendants who are being evaluated to determine competency to continue with court proceedings.

*Responsibilities:* Reviewed multiple forensic cases and assisted in preparing the evaluator for expert witness testimony regarding sexually violent predator evaluations. This included debating diagnoses and conclusions, as well as participating in mock trials. Participated in competency evaluations and was responsible for administering, scoring, interpreting, and providing written results for testing.

**Building Blocks, Parent-Child Interaction Therapy Lab, Melbourne, FL**  
**Practicum Clinician**

Jan. 2009-Sept. 2009

*Population Served:* Research-based clinic serving parents and their children ranging in age from 3 to 7 years old. Children typically present with conduct disorder and oppositional behaviors. Parent may have co-morbid depression and substance abuse issues.

*Responsibilities:* Completed course in Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT) skills and achieved mastery in both Child Directed Intervention (CDI) and Parent Directed Intervention (PDI) skills. Co-therapist for three families in PCIT. Taught parents PCIT skills, including both CDI and PDI, and administered in-vivo supervision to assist parents in achieving mastery in those related skills. Administered weekly behavioral assessments to families including the DPICS. Coded behavioral observations which were incorporated in treatment plans.

**Community Psychological Services (CPS); Melbourne, FL**  
**Practicum Clinician**

August 2008-May 2009

*Population Served:* Outpatient community mental health clinic operating on a sliding scale serving children, adolescents, and adults across Brevard County, FL.

*Responsibilities:* Engaged in weekly individual therapy sessions with adults. Completed intake interviews, social security evaluations, learning disability evaluations for children, intelligence and psychological assessments, and weekly administrative duties. Completed community outreach services to market and raise awareness of services offered by the clinic.

**Family Learning Program (FLP); Melbourne, FL**  
**Practicum Clinician**

August 2007-June 2011

*Population Served:* Sexual abuse treatment program serving sexually abused children and adolescents, their caregivers, and siblings.

*Responsibilities:* Provided outpatient group therapy and assessment to individuals affected by sexual abuse. Co-led groups for pre-teen and teenage victims of sexual abuse and non-offending caretakers, as well as conducted individual and family therapy as needed. Utilized Trauma-Focused Cognitive-Behavior Therapy Model and included a focus on psycho-education, cognitive coping, affective identification and expression, stress management, and behavior management strategies. Conducted intake interviews and assessments for new families entering treatment.

**Southwestern Virginia Counseling and Psychological Services; Wytheville, VA**  
**Practicum Clinician**

Jan. 2007-May 2007

*Population Served:* Rural group practice providing clinical and assessment services to a diverse population of children, adolescents, and adults.

*Responsibilities:* Administered and scored intelligence, personality, and behavioral assessments for children, adolescents, and adults. Observed Social Security disability and forensic competency evaluations with licensed psychologists. Participated in weekly individual and group supervision.

**Tekoa, Inc.; Christiansburg, VA**

August 2006-Dec. 2006

**Practicum Clinician-Assessment and Evaluation**

*Population Served:* Residential treatment facility for adolescents ranging in age from 12 to 17 years old.

*Responsibilities:* Administered cognitive and personality assessments on male and female adolescents. Completed integrated evaluations on clients. Presented cases to supervisor and other graduate students in weekly team supervision.

**Radford University School of Nursing; Radford, VA**  
**Graduate Assistantship**

May 2006-August 2006

*Responsibilities:* Responded to inquiries regarding the undergraduate and graduate nursing programs. Assisted in administering, collecting, coding, and analyzing alumni survey data.

**Office of Substance Abuse and Sexual Assault Education, Radford University; Radford, VA**  
**Graduate Assistantship**

August 2005-May 2007

*Responsibilities:* Conducted counseling exit interviews for RU Aware program for students who violated the alcohol policies in the conduct system. Helped organized campus-wide events such as Take Back the

Night, Alcohol Awareness Week, The Clothesline Project, and Eating Disorders Awareness Week. Presented lectures on the topics of sexual assault, rapist profiles, internet safety, and alcohol awareness to freshman University 100 classes, psychology and nursing classes, and fraternities and sororities. Assisted and supervised the Radford University Peer Educators program.

## PUBLICATIONS

### Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles:

Morais, H.B., Alexander, A.A., Fix, R.L., & Burkhart, B.R. (2016). Childhood Sexual Abuse in Adolescents Adjudicated for Sex Offenses: Mental Health Consequences and Sexual Offending Behaviors. *Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Research and Treatment*. doi: 10.1177/1079063215625224

Morais, H.B., Joyal, C.C., Alexander, A.A., Fix, R.L., & Burkhart, B.R. (2015). The neuropsychology of adolescent sexual offending: Testing an executive dysfunction hypothesis. *Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Research and Treatment*. doi: 10.1177/1079063215569545

Elliott, A.N., Alexander, A.A., Pierce, T.W., Aspelmeier, J.E., & Richmond, J.M. (November 2009). Childhood Victimization, Poly-victimization, and Adjustment to College in Women. *Child Maltreatment, 14(4)*, 330-343. doi: 10.1177/1077559509332262

Richmond, J.M., Elliott, A.N., Pierce, T.W., Aspelmeier, J.E., & Alexander, A.A. (May 2009). Poly-victimization, Childhood Victimization, and Psychological Distress in College Women. *Child Maltreatment, 14(2)*, 127-147. doi: 10.1177/1077559508326357

### Book Chapters:

Alexander, A.A., & Harrelson, M.E. (in press). Assessment of Trauma in Rural Settings. In M. Baker, J. Ford, B. Canfield, & T. Grabb (Eds.), *Identifying, Treating, and Preventing Childhood Trauma in Rural Communities*.

Jones, R.T., Hadder, J., Carvajal, F., Chapman, S., & Alexander, A. (2006). Conducting Research on Diverse, Minority, and Marginalized Communities. In F. Norris, M. Friedman, D. Reissman, & P. Watson (Eds.), *Research Methods for Studying Mental Health after Disasters and Terrorism: Community and Public Approaches* (pp. 265-277). New York: Guilford Press.

### Reference Books:

Alexander, A. (2014). Ansell-Casey Independent Living Assessment for Life Skills. In L.H. Cousins (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Human Services and Diversity*. Los Angeles, CA: Sage Publications.

Alexander, A. (2014). Daniel Memorial Institute, Inc. Independent Living Assessment for Life Skills (DMA). In L.H. Cousins (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Human Services and Diversity*. Los Angeles, CA: Sage Publications.

Alexander, A. (2014). Antisocial Behavior. In A. Scull (Ed.), *Cultural Sociology of Mental Illness: An A to Z Guide* (Vol. 1). Los Angeles, CA: Sage Publications.

Alexander, A. (2014). Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder. In A. Scull (Ed.), *Cultural Sociology of Mental Illness: An A to Z Guide* (Vol. 2). Los Angeles, CA: Sage Publications.

## PRESENTATIONS

### Paper Presentations:

- Harrelson, M.E., Kelner, W., & Alexander, A.A. (2016, April). *The effect of psychoeducation on public perceptions of adolescents with illegal sexual behavior*. Paper presentation at the Auburn University This is Research Student Symposium, Auburn, AL.
- Silverstein, M., Fix, R.L., & Alexander, A.A. (2016, April). *A model of risky sexual behavior on college campuses: The role of sexual victimization history, sexual sensation seeking, alcohol use, and masculinity*. Paper presentation at the Auburn University This is Research Student Symposium, Auburn, AL.
- Walker, E., Thrift, M., Kelner, W., Fix, R.L., & Alexander, A.A. (2016, April). *Comparing coercive sexuality scores with sexual sensation seeking, hostility towards women, sexual compulsivity, and rape myth acceptance scores*. Paper presentation at the Auburn University This is Research Student Symposium, Auburn, AL.
- Harrelson, M.E., & Alexander, A.A. (2016, March). *Sexual Risk-Taking Behaviors, Compulsivity, and Sexual Coercion in College Males*. Paper presented at the American-Psychology Law Society (AP-LS) Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.
- Alexander, A.A.** (2015, July). *Risk Assessment Training for Graduate Students in Clinical Psychology*. Paper presented at the Vancouver International Conference on the Teaching of Psychology, Vancouver, BC.
- Alexander, A.A.** (2015, April). *Helping Our Boys: Disproportionate Minority Confinement in the Juvenile Justice System*. Paper presented at the Auburn University College of Liberal Arts (CLA) Diversity Research Symposium, Auburn, AL.
- Alexander, A.A., Fix, R.L., & Burkhardt, B.R.** (2015, March). *Disproportionate Minority Contact: African American Adolescents in the Juvenile Justice System*. Paper presented at the American Psychology-Law Society (AP-LS) Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.
- Harrelson, M., Alexander, A.A., & Burkhardt, B.R. (2015, March). *Perceptions of Group Therapy from Adolescents with Illegal Sexual Behaviors (AISB)*. Paper presented at the American Psychology-Law Society (AP-LS) Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.
- Kantra, L., Alexander, A., & Stefurak, J. (2015, March). *Psychopathy, Intelligence, and Offense Type in Detained Adolescents*. Paper presented at the Southeastern Psychological Association (SEPA) Conference, Hilton Head, SC.
- Alexander, A.A., & Fix, R.** (2014, October). *A Comparison of Gang Affiliated and Non-Gang Affiliated Juveniles Sex Offenders*. Paper presented at the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.
- Alexander, A.A., Welsh, E.A., Glassmire, D.M., & Guest, P.** (2014, March). *Underdiagnosing Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in a Forensic State Hospital*. Paper presented at the American Psychology-Law Society (AP-LS) Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.
- Mims, B., Simmons, L., Norwood-Strickland, A., & Alexander, A. (2014, March). *Autism Symptoms in Juvenile Delinquents*. Paper presented at the Annual Southeastern Psychological Association (SEPA) Conference, Nashville, TN.

Elliott, A., **Alexander, A.**, & Marin, C. (2007, April). *Childhood maltreatment, Poly-victimization, Psychological Distress, and Adjustment to College in College Age Women*. Paper presented at the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Gender Studies Conference, Radford University, Radford, VA.

Elliott, A., **Alexander, A.**, Marin, C., & Nunn, J. (2007, April). *Childhood maltreatment, Poly-victimization, Psychological Distress, and Adjustment to College in Women*. Paper presented at the Undergraduate/Graduate Student Engagement Forum, Radford University, Radford, VA.

**Alexander, A.A.**, & Calcano, M. (2006, October). *A Review of Neonaticide Cases in the United States*. Paper presented at The Society for Police and Criminal Psychology Annual Conference, Chevy Chase, MD.

*\*Awarded the Michael Serafino Best Student Paper Award, Society for Police and Criminal Psychology, Washington DC*

#### **Poster Presentations:**

Silverstein, M., Fix, R.L., & **Alexander, A.A.** (2016, August). *A model of risky sexual behavior on college campuses: The role of sexual victimization history, sexual sensation seeking, alcohol use, and masculinity*. Poster presentation at the Cutting Edge Research from Emerging Psychological Scientists: Late-Breaking Poster Session at the American Psychological Association convention, Denver, CO.

Serrano Amerigo, L., Kelner, W., Harrelson, M.E., & **Alexander, A.A.** (2016, March). *Risky Sexual Behaviors Among Sorority Members*. Poster presented at the American-Psychology Law Society (AP-LS) Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Dieujuste, N., Silverstein, M., Fix, R.L., & **Alexander, A.** (2016, March). *The Graduate School Application Process: The Role of Mentorship on Perceived Stress and Application Confidence in Racial/Ethnic Minorities*. Poster presented at the Auburn University College of Liberal Arts (CLA) Diversity Research Symposium, Auburn, AL.

Harrelson, M.E., & **Alexander, A.A.** (2015, November). *Childhood Poly-victimization and Sexual Preoccupation in College-Aged Women*. Poster presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS) Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.

**Alexander, A.A.**, & Harrelson, M.E. (2015, November). *Cumulative Childhood Victimization, Sexual Coercion, and Sexual Compulsivity in College-Aged Males*. Poster presented at the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS) Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Dieujuste, N., Silverstein, M., Fix, R., & **Alexander, A.A.** (2015, October). *Application Confidence and Perceived Stress in the Graduate School Application Process in Racial/Ethnic Minorities*. Poster presented at the Black Doctoral Network Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Daly, T., Harrelson, M.E., & **Alexander, A.A.** (2015, April). *The Relationship Between Excessive Alcohol Use and Sexual Risk Taking in College-Aged Males*. Poster presentation at the Auburn University This is Research Student Symposium, Auburn, AL.

Fix, R.L., Burkhart, B., **Alexander, A.A.**, & Cyperski, M. (2015, January). *Disproportionate Minority Contact: Implications for African American Juveniles who Commit Sexual Offenses*. Poster presentation at the National Multicultural Conference and Summit, Atlanta, GA.



Fix, R.L., Morais, H.B., Alexander, A.A., & Burkhart, B.R. (2014, October). *Juvenile Sex Offenders versus Non-Sex Offenders: Sexual Behaviors and Race/Ethnicity*. Poster presentation at the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) Annual Conference, San Diego, CA.

Fix, R.L., Alexander, A.A., Morais, H.B., & Burkhart, B. (2014, April). *Disproportionate Minority Contact: Implications for African American Juveniles who Commit Sexual Offenses*. Poster presentation at the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Department of Psychology Research and Teaching Festival, Auburn University, Auburn, AL.

**\*Awarded Clinical Psychology Student Best Poster Award**

**Alexander, A.,** Wolfteich, P., Chavez, F., & Edwards, H. (2011, March). *Non-offending Caregiver Support and Blame and Internalizing Symptoms in Sexually Abused Children*. Poster presentation at the School of Psychology Research Colloquium, Florida Institute of Technology, Melbourne, FL.

**Alexander, A.A.,** Harris, K.M., Braun, C.R., Jones, R.T., & Ollendick, T.H. (2005, April). *The Relationship Between Family Cohesiveness and Problem Focused Support Coping in Children Following A Residential Fire*. Poster presentation at the Annual Undergraduate Research & Prospective Graduate Student Conference, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA.

**Alexander, A.A.,** Harris, K.M., Braun, C.R., Jones, R.T., & Ollendick, T.H. (2005, March). *The Relationship Between Family Cohesiveness and Problem Focused Support Coping in Children Following A Residential Fire*. Poster presentation at the Graduate Student Assembly's 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Research Symposium & Exposition, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA.

#### **Invited Presentations:**

**Alexander, A.A.** (2016, March). *Preventing Burnout: How to Maintain a Healthy Professional and Personal Life*. Continuing Education workshop (2 hrs) presented at the Alabama Department of Youth Services—Mt. Meigs for National Social Work Month, Mt. Meigs, AL.

**Alexander, A.,** Hess, D., Kemp, K., & Yasuhara, K. (2016, March). *Becoming an Academic: Panel Discussion on the Joys, Trials, and Tribulations of Being a New Assistant Professor* (Chair: K. Yasuhara). Invited presentation at the American Psychology-Law Society (AP-LS) Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA

**Alexander, A.A.** (2016, February). *Making a Murderer: Examining Causes of Violent Behavior*. Invited presentation for the Auburn University Honors Congress, Auburn, AL.

**Alexander, A.A.** (2015, October). *Trauma Informed Care with Youth Who Have Sexually Offended*. Continuing Education workshop (3 hrs) presented at the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) Annual Conference, Montreal, Canada.

Duke, A., **Alexander, A.,** & Wells Marshall, J. (2015, October). *Outreach-Focused Academic Appointments: Exploring the Strengths and Challenges*. Invited presentation at the Black Doctoral Network Conference, Atlanta, GA.

**Alexander, A.A., & Harrelson, M.E.** (2015, June). *Trauma-Informed Assessment and Treatment of Children and Adolescents*. Continuing Education workshop (3 hrs) presented at the Alabama Psychological Association Annual Summer Convention, Orange Beach, AL.

**Alexander, A.A.** (2013, January). *Child Sexual Abuse and Forensic Interviewing*. Invited presentation for undergraduate Introduction to Forensic Psychology course, Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter, MN.

**Alexander, A.A.** (2010, November). *Careers in Psychology and Forensic Psychology*. Invited presentation for West Shore Jr./Sr. High School career day, Melbourne, FL.

**Alexander, A.A.** (2010, September). *Child Sexual Abuse and Forensic Interviewing*. Invited presentation for undergraduate Forensic Clinical Psychology course, Florida Institute of Technology, Melbourne, FL.

**Alexander, A.A.** (2010, March). *Institutional Review Board (IRB) Procedures*. Invited presentation for undergraduate psychology Pre-Internship course, Florida Institute of Technology, Melbourne, FL.

**Alexander, A.A.** (2009, November). *Careers in Psychology and Forensic Psychology*. Invited presentation for West Shore Jr./Sr. High School career day, Melbourne, FL.

**Alexander, A.A.** (2009, October). *Child Sexual Abuse and Forensic Interviewing*. Invited presentation for undergraduate Forensic Clinical Psychology course, Florida Institute of Technology, Melbourne, FL.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Auburn University;** Auburn, AL

<i>Introduction to Forensic Psychology</i> (PSYC 3970)	Spring 2016
<i>Introduction to Clinical Methods and Ethics</i> (PSYC 8310)	Summer 2014
<i>Experiential Learning</i> (in Police and Criminal Psychology) (PSYC 3940)	Summer 2014

**Florida Institute of Technology;** Melbourne, FL

<i>Clinical Forensic Assessment</i> (PSYC 6105), Teaching Assistant	Fall 2009, Fall 2010
<i>Psychopharmacology</i> (PSYC 5511), Teaching Assistant	Fall 2009, Fall 2010
<i>Fundamentals of Forensic Psychology</i> (PSYC 6104), Teaching Assist.	Sum. 2009, Sum. 2010
<i>Introduction to Psychology</i> (PSYC 1411), Teaching Fellow	Spr. & Fall 2008, Spr. 2009

## UNIVERSITY & COMMUNITY SERVICE

**Auburn University and Departmental Service:**

University Senate, Non-Tenure Track Committee Member, 2014-2015

Dissertation Committee:

Melissa Cyperski (2014-present). Predeterminants, Patterns, and Predictive Utility of the Therapeutic Alliance with Delinquent Adolescents in Residential Care

Thesis Committees:

John Michael Falligant (2015). Preschool Life Skills Training Using the Response to Intervention Model with Preschoolers with Developmental Disabilities

Megan Harrelson (2015-present). The Effect of Poly-Victimization and Caregiver Attachment on Disclosure of Illegal Sexual Behavior

**Other Service:**

Vice President of Membership, Pi Gamma Mu, Radford University  
Sexual Assault Brochure Committee, Radford University

CARE Companion, Women's Resource Center of New River Valley  
Student Judicial Committee, Virginia Tech  
Joint Committee on Diversity and Multicultural Affairs, Virginia Tech  
Psychology Club, Virginia Tech  
Red Cross Disaster Action Team, Blacksburg, VA

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

Ad hoc Reviewer:

*Child Abuse and Neglect; Current Psychology; International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology; Psychological Services; Violence and Victims; Journal of Adolescent Health; Journal of Interpersonal Violence*

Teaching, Training, and Careers Committee, American Psychology-Law Society, 2015-present  
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration (SAMHSA) Division of Grant Review Peer Reviewer, 2014-present

Reviewer, American Psychology-Law Society (AP-LS) Annual Conference, 2012-2015

Session Chair, American Psychology-Law Society (AP-LS) Annual Conference

*Perceptions of Juvenile Offenders: Factors that Influence Judicial Decision-Making*, 2016  
*Suicide, PTSD, and Victimization in Forensic Inpatient and Community Samples*, 2015  
*Sentencing, Imprisonment, & Corrections with Juveniles*, 2014

Editorial Board, *Psychological Services*, 2012-2014

Reviewer, Special Issue: Psychology and Law, *International Journal of Law and Psychiatry*, 2014

Mentor, American Psychological Association of Graduate Students (APAGS) LGBT Mentoring Program, 2014

Reviewer, AP-LS Division presentations for the 2014 APA Conference, 2013

Senior Reviewer, Association for Psychological Science Student Caucus (APSSC) Student Research Grant, 2008

Senior Reviewer, Association for Psychological Science Student Caucus (APSSC) Rise-UP Grant, 2008

Reviewer, Association for Psychological Science Student Caucus (APSSC) Student Research Grant, 2007

Reviewer, Association for Psychological Science Student Caucus (APSSC) Rise-UP Grant, 2007

Peer Reviewer, *The New School Psychology Bulletin* (NSPB), June 2006-November 2007

Association for Psychological Science Student Caucus (APSSC) Campus Representative, Radford University, 2005-2007

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Psychological Association

Affiliate Member of Divisions 18, 41, 42

American Psychology-Law Society (APA Division 41)

Alabama Psychological Association

Association for the Treatment of Sex Abusers (ATSA)

International Association for Correctional and Forensic Psychology (IACFP)

International Society of Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS)

Pi Gamma Mu, International Honor Society for the Social Sciences

Psi Chi, National Psychology Honors Society