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## BROAD RESEARCH INTERESTS AND AIMS

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I direct the Georgia Center for Developmental Science ([GCDS](#)), a university-wide hub that supports interdisciplinary research, training, and community partnerships focused on youth development and health. GCDS brings together faculty from developmental science, neuroscience, public health, psychology, and related fields and provides shared resources for grant development, data science, and collaborative initiatives.

My research examines how adversity shapes health and resilience from childhood through adolescence. I study biobehavioral and environmental processes that link chronic stressors such as violence, poverty, and other psychosocial stressors with healthy versus risky development. Using multilevel and multimethod approaches, I aim to identify mechanisms of resilience and to generate evidence that can guide prevention efforts and support healthy development in underserved communities. This work has been featured in TIME, The Washington Post, U.S. News & World Report, HealthDay, and UGA News.

## EDUCATION

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| 2011 | Postdoctoral Training in Developmental Psychopathology, University of Rochester, Rochester, New York |
| 2009 | Ph.D. in Developmental Psychology, Florida International University, Miami, Florida                  |
| 2000 | B.A. in Behavioral Sciences, Ben Gurion University, Beer-Sheva, Israel                               |

## ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

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| 2025–Present | Samuel A. and Sharon Y. Nickols Endowed Professor, University of Georgia                  |
| 2024–Present | Director, Georgia Center for Developmental Science, University of Georgia                 |
| 2024–Present | Professor (Tenured), Human Development and Family Science, University of Georgia          |
| 2020–2023    | Director of Graduate Program, Human Development and Family Science, University of Georgia |
| 2018–2024    | Associate Professor, Human Development and Family Science, University of Georgia          |
| 2013–2017    | Assistant Professor, Human Development and Family Science, University of Georgia          |
| 2011–2013    | Research Assistant Professor, Mt. Hope Family Center, University of Rochester             |
| 2009–2011    | Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Mt. Hope Family Center, University of Rochester             |

## EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP AND CENTER DEVELOPMENT

**Scientific mission and growth.** Founded GCDS in 2024 as a university-wide extension of the Youth Development Institute Lab, developed its scientific mission, recruited senior and affiliated faculty, and expanded collaboration across departments, colleges, and partner institutions.

**Executive administration.** Accountable for strategic direction, personnel, budget, shared facilities, space, and operations. Applies structured project management across multi-site data collection, facility scheduling, human subjects compliance, and concurrent grant deadlines.

**Shared scientific infrastructure.** Oversees MRI neuroimaging, RSA and HRV assessment, cortisol and biospecimen procedures, behavioral paradigms, and data science platforms that support a multi-investigator research community.

**Funding and faculty development.** Supports affiliated and early-career faculty through team formation, grant development, methods consultation, internal review, and planning toward independent external funding.

**Community partnership.** Established the Family and Community Engagement team and recruited its initial staff to build sustained partnerships with rural families, schools, service providers, and state agencies across Georgia.

**Scientific convening and visibility.** Led the inaugural GCDS conference, Pathways of Risk and Resilience, From Neuron to Neighborhood, in April 2026. The meeting brought together more than 100 faculty members, students, distinguished guests, and community participants.

**Mentoring and training.** Builds shared mentoring structures for doctoral students, postdoctoral scholars, early-career faculty, undergraduate researchers, and summer medical student interns.

**Foundation and donor engagement.** Secured \$53,500 in philanthropic gifts for the Center and Department and a \$25,000 private foundation award. Works with College leadership and advancement professionals to build support for Center personnel, trainees, and scientific infrastructure.

### Affiliations and Fellowships

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| 2025–2026    | President's Faculty Advisory Council, University of Georgia                                                    |
| 2025–2026    | ASPIRE Fellows Cohort, University of Georgia                                                                   |
| 2022–2023    | Lady Davis Fellow and Visiting Professor, Department of Psychological Sciences, Hebrew University of Jerusalem |
| 2019–Present | Program Faculty, Integrated Life Sciences and Neuroscience, University of Georgia                              |
| 2018–Present | Research Fellow, Owens Institute for Behavioral Research, University of Georgia                                |
| 2017–Present | Director, Early Life Stress and Adversity Research Workgroup, Owens Institute for Behavioral Research          |
| 2015–Present | Adjunct Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Georgia                                             |
| 2015–2017    | Research Associate, Department of Public Health, University of Haifa, Israel                                   |

## RESEARCH FUNDING

### Current External Support

| Project, sponsor, and role                                                                                                                                                                          | Amount      |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| <i>A Neuroecological Approach to Examining the Effects of Early Life Adversity on Adolescent Drug Use Vulnerabilities Using the ABCD Dataset</i><br>Principal Investigator   NIDA R01 DA058334-01A1 | \$3,124,760 |
| <i>Early Adversity and Drug Use Vulnerability Among Low-Income Rural Children: Testing a Neuroecological Model of Resilience</i><br>Principal Investigator   NIDA R01 DA055630-01                   | \$3,264,082 |
| <i>Coregulatory Synchrony in Parent-Child Interaction</i><br>Principal Investigator   Mental Research Institute                                                                                     | \$25,000    |

### Pending External Support

| Project, sponsor, and role                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Amount              |
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| <i>Neurobiological Correlates of Susceptibility, Resilience, and Recovery to Substance Abuse in Participants with Childhood Maltreatment</i><br>Co-Investigator   NIDA R01 DA065290 (pending)   PI Martin H. Teicher, McLean Hospital, Harvard Medical School | \$4,438,697 (total) |

## Completed External Support

| Project, sponsor, and role                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Amount      |
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| <i>The Influence of Community and Family Protective Processes on Neurocognitive Systems Associated with Early-Onset Drug Use: An Investigation of Rural Southern Youth</i><br><b>Principal Investigator</b>   NIDA K01 DA045219-02 | \$892,504   |
| <i>Self-Regulation and the Transition to Middle School</i><br><b>Co-Investigator</b>   NICHD R01 HD075311-01A1   PI Margaret Caughy                                                                                                | \$2,866,971 |
| <i>Egg Consumption, Inflammation and Bone Health in Children</i><br><b>Co-Investigator</b>   Egg Nutrition Center   PI Richard Lewis                                                                                               | \$500,000   |
| <i>Follow-Up of Chronic Stress of Maltreatment: Drug Use Vulnerability</i><br><b>Co-Principal Investigator</b>   NIDA R01 DA017741   PI Dante Cicchetti                                                                            | \$2,370,484 |
| <i>Child Abuse and Trauma-Related Psychopathology: Multiple Levels of Analysis</i><br><b>Co-Principal Investigator</b>   NIAAA R01   PI Fred Rogosch                                                                               | \$2,447,652 |
| <i>Applying Behavioral Economics to Predict Alcohol Trajectories During the Transition to Adulthood</i><br><b>Consultant</b>   NIAAA R01 AA024930   PIs James MacKillop and James Murphy                                           | \$1,460,652 |

## Completed Internal and Pilot Support

| Project, sponsor, and role                                                                                                                                                                                   | Amount               |
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| <i>Early Life Stress, Parenting, and Risky Decision-Making: A Multilevel Mechanism</i><br><b>Principal Investigator</b>   UGA Clinical and Translational Research Unit                                       | \$50,000             |
| <i>Neural and Cognitive Mediators of Childhood Adversity and Adult Risk Behavior in Rural African American Women</i><br><b>Principal Investigator</b>   NIDA P30 DA027827 via the Center for Family Research | \$25,000             |
| <i>Early Life Stress, Parenting, and Risky Decision-Making: A Follow-Up Study</i><br><b>Principal Investigator</b>   Owens Institute for Behavioral Research                                                 | \$10,000             |
| <i>Early Life Stress and Substance Abuse Among Young Adults: A Socioemotional Approach</i><br><b>Principal Investigator</b>   UGA Faculty Research Grants Program, FRG-SE0042                                | \$9,955              |
| <i>Childhood Experiences, Vagal Tone, and Risk Behaviors</i><br><b>Principal Investigator</b>   Owens Institute for Behavioral Research                                                                      | \$10,000             |
| <i>Examining Individual Differences in Drinking Motives and Drinking Patterns Among Arab and Jewish Young Adults in Israel</i><br><b>Principal Investigator</b>   Pfizer                                     | NIS 10,000 (\$3,000) |
| <i>Egg Consumption, Inflammation and Bone Health in Children</i><br><b>Co-Investigator</b>   Egg Nutrition Center   PI Richard Lewis                                                                         | \$50,000             |

## MENTORING AND TALENT DEVELOPMENT

Mentoring spans doctoral and postdoctoral training, early-career faculty development, undergraduate research, and cross-institutional summer experiences. The record includes 16 doctoral students as major professor, three postdoctoral scholars, and more than 100 undergraduate researchers, many supported through the Center for Undergraduate Research Opportunities. Through GCDS, early-career faculty receive coordinated support in building independent research programs, interdisciplinary teams, and competitive proposals for external funding.

### Postdoctoral Scholars Mentored

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|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>2026–Present</b> | Cullin J. Howard, advancing to Research Scientist appointment, University of Georgia |
| <b>2023–2026</b>    | Nitzan Scharf, Faculty, Tel-Hai College, Israel                                      |
| <b>2024–Present</b> | Cory Carvalho, preparing NIH K01 career development application                      |

### Major Professor for Doctoral Students

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|-------------|--------------------------|
| <b>2018</b> | Mathew Carlson, HDF5-MFT |
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| 2019          | Erinn Duprey, HDFS                    |
| 2020          | Sihong Liu, HDFS                      |
| 2021          | Zehua Cui, HDFS                       |
| 2022          | Landry Huffman-Goodgame, Neuroscience |
| 2024          | Cory Carvalho, HDFS                   |
| 2024          | *Ava Jane Reck, HDFS                  |
| 2025          | Linhao Zhang, HDFS                    |
| 2025          | *Cullin Howard, HDFS                  |
| 2026          | Rabech Azarmehr, HDFS                 |
| Expected 2027 | Brooklyn Anne Crabtree, Neuroscience  |
| Expected 2028 | Avary Evans, HDFS                     |
| Expected 2029 | Feiyu Wang, HDFS                      |
| Expected 2029 | Kathryn Harmeyer, HDFS                |
| Expected 2029 | Lauren Holley, HDFS                   |
| Expected 2029 | Morrighan Wingate, HDFS               |

\* Co-mentored doctoral student

#### Doctoral Committee Service

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|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2015 | Tae Lee, HDFS                                                     |
| 2016 | Josie Kwon, HDFS                                                  |
| 2016 | Savannah Spivey, HDFS                                             |
| 2017 | DaYoung Bae, HDFS                                                 |
| 2017 | Megan Hicks, HDFS                                                 |
| 2017 | Bertranna Abrahams, HDFS-MFT                                      |
| 2018 | Megan Oed, HDFS                                                   |
| 2019 | Aly Degraff, HDFS                                                 |
| 2019 | Ashely Walsdorf, HDFS-MFT                                         |
| 2019 | Dian Yu, HDFS                                                     |
| 2021 | Kimberly Osborne, HDFS                                            |
| 2024 | Mai Spaulding, Foods and Nutrition                                |
| 2016 | Laura Colman, College of Public Health                            |
| 2017 | Joseph Kindler, Foods and Nutrition                               |
| 2017 | Haidong Zhao, Financial Planning, Housing, and Consumer Economics |
| 2019 | Lauren Coheley, Foods and Nutrition                               |

#### Master's Thesis Students

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|------|------------------------------------------|
| 2015 | Jenne Duncan, HDFS                       |
| 2016 | Lindsay Carrick, Child Life              |
| 2017 | Joanie E. Bilms, Psychology              |
| 2018 | Rachel Grave Moore, Child Life           |
| 2021 | Alyssa Wilson, HDFS Double Dawgs Program |

#### Undergraduate and Summer Research Training

**Undergraduate research.** More than 100 undergraduate researchers have participated in the laboratory since 2015, most with CURO support. The Fall 2026 cohort includes 25 students across HDFS, psychology, data science, biology, biomedical physiology, microbiology, and related programs.

**Cross-institutional training.** The Summer 2026 program included two medical students from the Medical College of Georgia, a Vanderbilt University master's student, and a McGill University undergraduate, alongside UGA research interns.

**Progression and outcomes.** Trainees contribute to data collection, analysis, conference presentations, and manuscripts, with many continuing to medical, doctoral, and other professional programs.

## HONORS AND RECOGNITION

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| <b>2026</b> | Bill and June Platt Outstanding Faculty Research Award, College of Family and Consumer Sciences, University of Georgia |
| <b>2023</b> | Creative Research Medal, University of Georgia Office of Research                                                      |
| <b>2019</b> | Faculty Mentoring Undergraduate Research Award, College of Family and Consumer Sciences, University of Georgia         |
| <b>2018</b> | Distinguished Fellow, Owens Institute for Behavioral Research, University of Georgia                                   |
| <b>2017</b> | Travel Award, Society for Prevention Research                                                                          |
| <b>2016</b> | NIAAA and NIDA Travel Award, American Psychological Association Convention                                             |
| <b>2015</b> | Summer Research Institute Fellow, National Data Archive on Child Abuse and Neglect, Cornell University                 |
| <b>2015</b> | Early Career Faculty Research Award, College of Family and Consumer Sciences, University of Georgia                    |
| <b>2012</b> | Centers for AIDS Research Travel Award, Brown University                                                               |
| <b>2010</b> | NIH Young Scholars Travel Grant, Washington University in St. Louis                                                    |
| <b>2008</b> | Graduate School Dissertation Year Fellowship, Florida International University                                         |

## SELECTED NATIONAL MEDIA COVERAGE AND PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT

Brusie, C. (2026, July 17). A hidden influence on teen girls' emotions: Testosterone. HealthDay, syndicated by U.S. News & World Report. [Article](#)

Ortega, L. (2024, June 14). Racism can spark depression and anxiety in Black adolescents, study finds. The Washington Post. [Article](#)

Ducharme, J. (2024, March 14). Why zero stress shouldn't be your goal. TIME. [Article](#)

Hataway, L. (2025, December 2). Youth experiencing economic hardship at higher risk of suicide, suicidal thoughts. UGA News. [Article](#)

Hataway, L. (2025, June 9). Lack of sleep disrupts key brain functions in adolescents. UGA News. [Article](#)

Hataway, L. (2024, June 12). Black youth are paying an emotional toll due to racism. UGA News. [Article](#)

Hataway, L. (2023, May 25). Researcher awarded \$3.2M to study child brain development. UGA News. [Article](#)

## EDITORIAL LEADERSHIP AND BOARD SERVICE

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| <b>2018–2025</b>    | Associate Editor, Journal of Research on Adolescence                                |
| <b>Current</b>      | Editorial Board, Developmental Cognitive Neuroscience                               |
| <b>Current</b>      | Editorial Board, Development and Psychopathology                                    |
| <b>Current</b>      | Editorial Board, Developmental Psychobiology                                        |
| <b>Current</b>      | Consulting Editor, Child Maltreatment                                               |
| <b>Current</b>      | Editorial Board, Child Abuse & Neglect                                              |
| <b>Through 2025</b> | Editorial Board, Journal of Adolescence                                             |
| <b>Current</b>      | Editorial Board, Developmental Child Welfare                                        |
| <b>Current</b>      | Editorial Board, Adversity and Resilience Science: Journal of Research and Practice |

## SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS CONVENED AND CHAIRED

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| <b>April 2026</b>    | Convener, Pathways of Risk and Resilience, From Neuron to Neighborhood, inaugural Georgia Center for Developmental Science conference, Athens, Georgia                                                             |
| <b>October 2025</b>  | Panel Chair, Bridging Disciplines, Building Resilience, 25th National Hispanic Science Network Annual International Scientific Conference, Miami, Florida                                                          |
| <b>November 2025</b> | Session Chair, Multilevel Mechanisms of Early Life Stress: Neural, Metabolic, and Behavioral Consequences, 58th Annual Meeting of the International Society for Developmental Psychobiology, San Diego, California |

## INVITED COLLOQUIA AND ADDRESSES

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| <b>November 2024</b>  | Biological Embedding of Caregiving Adversity, Child Maltreatment Solutions Network, Pennsylvania State University                                         |
| <b>September 2024</b> | Early-Life Adversity and Neurodevelopmental Resilience: Multidisciplinary Perspectives in a Rapidly Changing World, Château de Belmont, Tours, France     |
| <b>June 2023</b>      | Psychosocial Stress and Youth Development: A Multilevel Transdisciplinary Perspective on Resilience and the Case for Hormesis, University of Oslo, Norway |

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| <b>December 2022</b>  | The Development of Risk and Resilience in Youth: A Multilevel Ecological Perspective, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel                                                       |
| <b>October 2022</b>   | The Development of Risk and Resilience in Youth: A Multilevel Ecological Perspective, Bronfenbrenner Center for Translational Research, Cornell University                         |
| <b>February 2022</b>  | Development of Risk and Resilience in Youth: A Multilevel Ecological Perspective, University of California, Davis                                                                  |
| <b>October 2021</b>   | The Development of Risk and Resilience in Youth: A Multilevel Ecological Perspective, Mt. Hope Family Center, University of Rochester                                              |
| <b>March 2020</b>     | Keynote, Resilience and Human Development: A Multilevel Evolutionary Transdisciplinary Perspective and the Case for Hormesis, McMaster University, Canada                          |
| <b>October 2019</b>   | Keynote, Resilience and Human Development: A Multilevel Evolutionary Transdisciplinary Perspective and the Case for Hormesis, Oklahoma State University                            |
| <b>February 2019</b>  | Social Determinants of Health and Resilience Among At-Risk Youth: A Developmental Evolutionary Perspective, Georgia State University                                               |
| <b>August 2018</b>    | Heart Rate Variability as a Mechanism in Psychiatric Disorders: Empirical Findings and Best Practices for Assessment, Peter Boris Center for Addiction, McMaster University        |
| <b>July 2017</b>      | Early Life Stress, Neurocognitive Vulnerabilities, and Risk Behaviors Versus Resilience, Offord Center for Child Studies and Peter Boris Center for Addiction, McMaster University |
| <b>April 2016</b>     | Early Life Stress, Neurocognitive Vulnerabilities, and Risk Behaviors Versus Resilience, Mark Chaffin Center for Healthy Development, Georgia State University                     |
| <b>September 2013</b> | Adverse Childhood Experiences, Family Functioning, and Resilience in Military Families: A Pattern-Based Approach, Oklahoma State University                                        |

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

\* denotes student or mentee authorship. Publication links are provided where available.

### 2026

- \*Azarmehr, R., Geier, C., **Oshri, A.** (2026). Adolescent Cannabis Expectancies Are Associated With Parental Drug Use History Via Negative Urgency. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*. [DOI](#)
- Dong, Y., **Oshri, A.**, Geier, C., & Koss, K. J. (2026). The role of peer influence in shaping developmental trajectories of substance use expectancies in early adolescence. *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors*. [DOI](#)
- Hargrove, C. M., Futris, T. G., Richardson, E. W., & **Oshri, A.** (2026). Trajectories of change following relationship education for couples raising children with disabilities. *Child & Family Social Work*, 1–13. [DOI](#)
- \*Evans, A. I., Kogan, S. M., Koss, K. J., House, E. M., Geier, C. F., & **Oshri, A.** (2026). Links between hormonal and pubertal development, and adolescent females' risk for affective symptoms. *Psychoneuroendocrinology*, 188, 107849. [DOI](#)
- Kwon, E., Adekunle, D., Ginty, A., Vichaya, E., Cariveau, K., & **Oshri, A.** (2026). Determinants and outcomes of pubertal stress recalibration process: A scoping review. *Biological Psychology*, 109238. [DOI](#)
- \*Azarmehr, R., Howard, C. J., Kogan, S. M., Geier, C., & **Oshri, A.** (2026). Negative Urgency Mediates the Effect of Family Conflict on Cannabis Positive Expectancy: The Moderating Role of Anterior Cingulate Cortex. *Addiction Biology*, 31(2), e70131. [Article](#)
- Steffen, G., Lindig, K., \*Howard, C. J., Jerry, C., Bell, C., Morrow, K. E., Gallegos, D., **Oshri, A.**, Suveg, C., Kello, C., & Abney, D. H. (2026). Coupling of rhythms in prefrontal cortex and autonomic nervous system in school-age children. *Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences*, 1555(1), e70203. [DOI](#)
- Carvalho, C. A., Ravindran, N., \*Howard, C., **Oshri, A.**, & Hale, L. (2026). Sociodemographic Associations With Early Smartphone Ownership in US Adolescents. *Pediatrics*, e2025073891. [DOI](#)

### 2025

- \*Holley, L., Hefferan, C., Geier, C., Bales, D. & **Oshri, A.** (2025). Enhancing pediatric research protocols: Utilizing developmentally appropriate principles and incorporating Certified Child Life Specialists. *Developmental Cognitive Neuroscience*. [DOI](#)
- Oshri, A.**, Howard, C. J., Kogan, S. M., Shang, L., Geier, C. F., & Bauer, B. W. (2025). Neurobehavioral pathways linking socioeconomic status hardship to suicide risk versus resilience in young adolescents: The roles of sleep health and default mode network connectivity. *Nature: Translational Psychiatry*, 15, 497. [DOI](#)
- \*Howard, C. J., **Oshri, A.**, Card, N., & et al. (2025). Perceived mother and father parenting and adolescent social anxiety symptoms: A meta-analysis. *Adolescent Research Review*. [DOI](#)
- Kogan, S. M., Reck, A. J., Tiwari, B., Thapha, J. R., Carter, S., **Oshri, A.**, Koss, K., Ahn, S. J., Beach, S. R. H., Fisher, S., Smith, E. P., & Zhang, L. (2025). Family-centered prevention attenuates the association between structural racism risk and Black adolescents' self-regulation and externalizing behaviors: Secondary analysis of a randomized clinical trial. *Prevention Science*, 26, 932–942. [DOI](#)
- \*Zhang, L., Geier, C., House, E., **Oshri, A.** (2025). Latent default mode network connectivity patterns: Associations with sleep health and adolescent psychopathology. *Brain and Behavior*, 15(5), e70579. [Article](#)
- \*Reck A, Holley L, Bower K, Whitaker S, Hall C, Brown C, Berg A, Alvarado C, Bales D, Suma K, Fowler K, Geier C and Oshri A (2025). Building trust in rural communities: recruitment and retention strategies in developmental science. *Frontiers in public health*, 13, 1586988. [DOI](#)
- \*Cui, Z., Duprey, E.B., Huffman, L.G., Liu, S., Smith, E.P., O. Caughy, M., **Oshri, A.** (2025). Neighborhood socioeconomic disadvantage and physical disorder, parenting strategies, and youths' future orientation. *Journal of Applied Developmental Psychology*, 96, 101730. [DOI](#)
- \*Zhang, L., **Oshri, A.**, Carvalho, C., Uddin, L. Q., Geier, C., Nagata, J. M., Cummins, K., Hoffman, E.A., Tomko, R.L., Chaarani, B., Squeglia, L.M., Wing, D., Mason, M.J., Fuemmeler, B., Lisdahl, K., Tapert, S.F., Baker, F.C., & Kiss, O. (2025). Prospective associations between Sleep, Sensation-Seeking and Mature Screen Usage in Early Adolescents: Findings from the Adolescent Brain Cognitive Development (ABCD) Study. *Sleep*, 48(1), 1–12. [DOI](#)

## 2024

- \*Cui, Z., Sweet, L., Kogan, S.M., **Oshri, A.** (2024). Working memory related brain-behavior associations in the context of socioeconomic and psychosocial deprivation. *Cortex*, 181, 59–73. [DOI](#)
- Oshri, A.**, \*Reck, A. J., Carter, S. E., Uddin, L. Q., Geier, C. F., Beach, S., Brody, G., Kogan, S., Sweet, L. (2024). Racial discrimination and risk for internalizing and externalizing symptoms among Black youths. *JAMA network open*, 7(6),. [DOI](#)
- \*Reck, A. Sweet, L., Geier, C., Kogan, S., \*Cui, Z., **Oshri, A.**, (2024). Food insecurity and adolescent impulsivity: The mediating role of functional connectivity in the context of family flexibility. *Developmental Science*. 27(6), e13554. [DOI](#)
- McMains, J. T., Liu, S., **Oshri, A.**, Sweet, L. H. (2024). Childhood maltreatment and substance use risk: A moderated mediation model of autonomic reactivity and distress tolerance. *Child Abuse & Neglect*, 154, 106940. [DOI](#)
- Hale, M. E., Morrow, K., Xu, J., Han, Z. R., **Oshri, A.**, Shaffer, A., Caughy, M. O., & Suveg, C. (2024). RSA Instability in Mothers in Mothers of Adolescents is Related to Depressive Symptoms and Supportive Parenting Behaviors. *Developmental Psychobiology*, 66(5). e22513. [DOI](#)
- Oshri, A.**, \*Howard, C.J., \*Zhang, L., \*Reck, A., Cui, Z., Liu, S., Duprey, E., \*Evans, A.E. \*Azarmehr, R., & Geier, C. (2024) Strengthening through adversity: The hormesis model in developmental psychopathology. *Development and Psychopathology*, Published Online, 1-17. [DOI](#)
- Kogan, S., \*Reck, A.J., Curtis, M.G., & **Oshri, A.** (2024) Childhood adversity and racial discrimination forecast suicidal and death ideation among emerging adult black men: A longitudinal analysis. *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*. 31(2), 347–355. [DOI](#)
- \*Zhang, L., \*Sasser, J., Doane, D. L., Peltz, J., **Oshri, A.** (2024). Latent profiles of sleep patterns in adolescence: associations with behavioral health risk. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 74(1), 177-185. [DOI](#)
- \*Azarmehr, R., J. \*Reck, A., \*Zhang, L., **Oshri, A.** (2024). COVID-19-related stress exacerbates the effect of child maltreatment on negative affect via increased identity confusion during adolescence. *Journal of Adolescence*, 96(1), 18-30. [DOI](#)
- Peltz, J., \*Zhang, L., \*Sasser, J., **Oshri, A.**, & Doane, L. D. (2024). The Influence of Pubertal Development on Early Adolescent Sleep and Changes in Family Functioning. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 53(2), 459-471. [DOI](#)

## 2023

- \*Carvalho, C., & **Oshri, A.** (2023). The protective role of the autonomic nervous system in intergenerational cycles of neglect. *Child Psychiatry & Human Development*, 1-14. [DOI](#)
- Cohaley, L.M., Mengyun, Y., Chen, X., O'Connor, P.J. Kealey, K.S., Laing, E.M., **Oshri, A.**, Marand, A.K., Lance, J.M., Kindler, J.M., Lewis, R.D. (2023). The impact of whole egg consumption on bone accrual in health children: A randomized controlled trial. *Journal of Bone and Mineral Research*, 38(12). [DOI](#)
- Kwon, E., **Oshri, A.**, Zapolski, T., Zuercher, H., & Kogan, S., (2023). Substance use trajectories among emerging adult Black men: Risk factors and consequences. *Drug and Alcohol Review*, 42(7), 1816-1824. [DOI](#)
- Oshri, A.**, \*Liu, S., Suveg, C. M., Caughy, M. O. B., & \*Huffman, L. G. (2023). Biological sensitivity to context as a dyadic construct: An investigation of child-parent RSA synchrony among low-SES youth. *Development and Psychopathology*, 35(1), 95-108. [DOI](#)
- \*Zhang, L., \*Cui, Z., \*Huffman, L., **Oshri, A.** (2023). Sleep mediates the effect of stressful environments on youth impulsivity: The moderating role of default mode network connectivity. *Sleep Health*, 9(4), 503-511. [DOI](#)
- \*Sasser, J., & **Oshri, A.** (2023). In or out of sync? Concordance between parent and adolescent sleep varies by family context. *Journal of Research on Adolescence*, 33(3). [DOI](#)
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- \*Evans, A., Harmeyer, K., Wang, F., Scharf, N., Geier, C., & **Oshri, A.** (2025). Parental monitoring and perceived harm of substance use: Unlocking within- and between-person bidirectional associations in the ABCD sample. Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- \*Howard, C., Scharf, N., Brown, G., Abney, D., Geier, C., & **Oshri, A.** (2025). Fluctuations in stress-evoked parent-adolescent physiological synchrony and parents' adversity: A nonlinear signal processing approach. Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- \*Reck, A., Kogan, S., Koss, K., Sweet, L., & **Oshri, A.** (2024). Food insecurity, impulsivity, and resting-state connectivity among adolescents: The translational significance of family neuroscience. Southeast Regional Clinical and Translational Science Conference, Pine Mountain, Georgia.
- \*Reck, A., Carvalho, C., & **Oshri, A.** (2023). Food insecurity and depressive symptoms in adolescence: Sex differences in the modulating effect of respiratory sinus arrhythmia reactivity. National Council on Family Relations Annual Meeting, Orlando, Florida.
- \*Reck, A., Kogan, S., & **Oshri, A.** (2023). Resource insecurity's influence on patterns of emotion and reward processing and later psychopathology in the ABCD Study. International Society for Developmental Psychobiology Annual Meeting, Utrecht, Netherlands.
- \*Azarmehr, R., Reck, A. J., Howard, C., & **Oshri, A.** (2023). Examining the link between impulsivity and alcohol use via emotion regulation among young adults in the context of respiratory sinus arrhythmia reactivity. International Society for Developmental Psychobiology Annual Meeting.
- \*Azarmehr, R., Reck, A., Zhang, L., Huffman, L. G., & **Oshri, A.** (2022). COVID-19 stress exacerbates the effect of child maltreatment on negative affect via identity confusion in adolescence. International Society for Developmental Psychobiology Annual Meeting.
- \*Reck, A., **Oshri, A.**, Kogan, S., Cui, Z., & Sweet, L. (2022). Food insecurity, functional connectivity, and sensation seeking in rural adolescents: The protective role of family flexibility. International Society for Developmental Psychobiology Annual Meeting, San Diego, California.
- \*Zhang, L., Carvalho, C., Azarmehr, R., Cui, Z., & **Oshri, A.** (2022). Latent typologies of sleep patterns: Associations with resting-state functional connectivity and internalizing and externalizing problems. Flux Society Annual Meeting.
- \*Reck, A., Huffman, L., Kogan, S., & **Oshri, A.** (2022). Neurobiological effects of racism on neural processing of emotions among Black American adolescents. Society for Research in Child Development Special Topics Meeting, Rio Grande, Puerto Rico.

## TEACHING

### University of Georgia

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| Spring 2026 | Resilience Science and Human Development: Past, Present, and Future, HDFS 8950 |
| 2024–2025   | Principles of Life-Span Human Development, HDFS 8710                           |
| 2017–2023   | Statistics in Human Development and Family Science Research, HDFS 7170         |
| Fall 2022   | GradFIRST: First-Year Introduction to Research and Scholarship Training        |
| 2013–2019   | Structural Equation Modeling for Social Science, HDFS 8730                     |
| 2014–2016   | Child Development, HDFS 2950                                                   |
| 2013–2016   | Statistics in Human Development and Family Science Research, HDFS 6900         |

### Other Teaching and Guest Instruction

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|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2010–2012   | Guest Speaker, Developmental Psychopathology, University of Rochester    |
| 2005–2006   | Instructor, Introduction to Psychology, Florida International University |
| Spring 2005 | Instructor, Children's Learning, Florida International University        |

## PROFESSIONAL AND INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

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| 2025–2026    | President's Faculty Advisory Council, University of Georgia             |
| 2024–2026    | Social and Behavioral Sciences Faculty Awards Review Committee          |
| 2019–2026    | University Committee on Facilities                                      |
| 2016         | Search Committee, Clinical Director Faculty, Department of Psychology   |
| 2013–2014    | Search Committee, Clinical Psychology Faculty, Department of Psychology |

### College Service

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| 2024–Present | Dean Advisory Committee, College of Family and Consumer Sciences |
| 2019–Present | BFO HDFS and College of Family and Consumer Sciences, Chair      |
| 2018–2020    | Dean Advisory Committee, College of Family and Consumer Sciences |

### Department Service

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| 2021–Present | Department Head Committee, Human Development and Family Science    |
| 2017–Present | HDFS Awards Committee                                              |
| 2013–Present | Undergraduate Program Committee                                    |
| 2013–Present | Graduate Admissions Committee                                      |
| 2013–Present | Graduate Program Committee                                         |
| 2018         | Chair, Tenure-Track Faculty Search for Developmental Methodologist |
| 2013–2014    | Department Head Search Committee                                   |
| 2013–2014    | Marriage and Family Therapy Faculty Search Committee               |

## AD HOC JOURNAL REVIEW

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Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences; Child Development; Developmental Psychology; Development and Psychopathology; Addiction; JAMA Pediatrics; Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology; Journal of Adolescence; American Journal of Public Health; Clinical Psychology Review; Child Abuse & Neglect; Child Maltreatment; Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology; Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health; American Journal on Addictions; Criminal Justice and Behavior; Substance Use & Misuse; and Journal of Psychiatric Research.

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

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Flux Society for Developmental Cognitive Neuroscience\*  
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American Psychological Association, Division 7, Developmental Psychology\*  
American Psychological Association, Division 37, Society for Child and Family Policy and Practice  
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Association for Psychological Science  
Society for Prevention Research  
Society for Research on Adolescence\*  
National Council on Family Relations\*  
Society for Research in Child Development\*  
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