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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Psychology & Social Behavior, University of California, Irvine, expected 2019
 Major: Social Psychology, Minor: Quantitative Methods

M.A., Psychology, California State University, Fullerton, 2011

B.A., Psychology (*cum laude*), California State University, Fullerton, 2009

HONORS AND AWARDS

SPSP Media Psychology Pre-Conference Registration Award 2017

Graduate Student Mentoring Award, UCI 2014, 2015

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

American Psychological Association
 Society for Personality and Social Psychology

RESEARCH POSITIONS

01/2017 – present **Graduate Student Researcher**, National Center for Child Traumatic Stress at the University of California, Los Angeles
“Examining the Short- and Long-term Impact of Mass Violence in Communities” Melissa Brymer & Robert Pynoos, PIs. National Institute of Justice, 1/1/17 – 12/31/19

07/2013 – present **Graduate Student Researcher**, Silver Stress and Coping Lab
 Director: Roxane Cohen Silver, University of California, Irvine

09/2010 – 01/2013 **Research Support Technician**, Ci3 Programmer
 Social Science Research Center (SSRC)
 California State University, Fullerton

EDITORIAL POSITION

08/2015 – 09/2016 **Associate Editor**, *Translational Issues in Psychological Science* - special issue on Social Media

PUBLICATIONS

- Jones, N. M.**, Wojcik, S. P., Sweeting, J., & Silver, R. C. (2016). [Tweeting negative emotion: An investigation of Twitter data in the aftermath of violence on college campuses](#). *Psychological Methods*, 21, 526-541. doi: 10.1037/met0000099
- Jones, N. M.**, Garfin, D. R., Holman, E. A., & Silver, R. C. (2016). [Media use and exposure to graphic content in the week following the Boston Marathon bombings](#). *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 58, 47-59. doi:10.1002/ajcp.12073
- Guadagno, R. E., **Jones, N. M.**, Kimbrough, A. K., & Mattu, A. (2016). Translating social media psychological research. *Translational Issues in Psychological Science*, 2, 213-215. doi: 10.1037/tps0000087

TALKS / CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Jones, N. M.** (2017, January). *Uncertainty during a campus lockdown: An analysis of rumor communication and distress*. Data Blitz presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, TX.
- Jones, N. M.** (2016, March). *Using social media to answer psychological questions*. Presented at Saddleback Community College, Mission Viejo, CA
- Beals, K. P., Ghavami, N., **Jones, N. M.**, & Conlon, C. (2013, April). *Diversity in Research Workshop*. Panelist presentation at the annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association, Reno, NV.

CONFERENCE POSTERS

- Jones N. M.**, Wojcik, S. P., Sweeting J., & Silver, R. C. (2015, May). *Tweeting negative emotion: Affective signal in community samples of Twitter users in the aftermath of the 2014 Isla Vista killings*. Poster presented at the UC Irvine Data Science Initiative's Afternoon of Data Science, Irvine, CA.
- Jones, N. M.**, Garfin, D. R., Holman, E. A., & Silver, R. C. (2015, February). *Media use and exposure to graphic content in the week following the Boston Marathon bombings*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.
- Page, B., & **Jones, N. M.** (2014, February). *Can moral foundations predict perceptions of cheating behaviors? The role of purity in perceiving deception*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX.
- Jones, N. M.**, Warstadt, M., Schultz, R., McKinnis, D. L., & Beals, K. P. (2010, January). *Do LGB individuals distance themselves from the majority community following the passage of anti-gay referenda? A quantitative and qualitative look*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Las Vegas, NV.

McKinnis, D. L., Fadakar, G., Ortiz, C., **Jones, N. M.**, & Beals, K. P. (2010, January). *Non-recognition of same-sex unions and relationship commitment: A look at the effects of the California Supreme Court's decision to uphold Proposition 8*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Las Vegas, NV.

McKinnis, D. L., **Jones, N. M.**, Schultz, R., Fadakar, G., Ortiz, C., Martinez, R., & Beals, K. P. (2009, April). *Effects of Proposition 8 on gay, lesbian, and bisexual individuals*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association, Portland, OR.

MEDIA COVERAGE

Arizona Public Radio (KNAU) - [Study: Twitter Reveals Community Trauma after Campus Shootings](#). October 7, 2016.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

10/2013 - 12/2016 **Graduate Teaching Assistant**, University of California, Irvine
 Quantitative methods in psychology (graduate-level statistics series)
 Applied statistics for psychological research
 Research Methods
 Social Relationships
 Psychology Fundamentals

08/2011 - 08/2013 **Part-time Faculty Member**, California State University, Fullerton
 Computer Applications in Psychology
 Human Sexual Behavior
 Research Methods

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

UCLA Summer Institute in Longitudinal Research, July 2015

- Mixed Models for Longitudinal Data (Instructor: Don Hedeker)
- Variance Modeling of Ecological Momentary Assessment Data (Instructor: Don Hedeker)

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Quantitative data management and analysis in Stata, SPSS, and R. Survey design and programming in Qualtrics, Ci3, and Limesurvey. Familiarity with HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP.

REFERENCES

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