

Lauren E. McKinley

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

2019 – Present

Doctor of Philosophy, Psychology
University of California, Merced, Merced, CA

2019

Master of Arts, Psychology
San Diego State University, San Diego, CA
Cumulative/Psychology GPA: 3.96

Master's Thesis Title: The Effectiveness of an Intervention Derived from the Fear Avoidance Model for Fibromyalgia Patients

2017

Bachelor of Arts, Psychology, *Summa Cum Laude*
San Diego State University, San Diego, CA
Cumulative GPA: 3.80
Psychology Major GPA: 3.97

Honor's Thesis Title: The Effects of Age and Comorbidity on the Perceived Likelihood of Hiring a Health Care Advocate for Traumatic Brain Injury Patients

PUBLICATIONS

McKinley, L.E., Mansoor, M.M., Liew, C.V., McKinnon, S.A., & Cronan, T.A. (2017). Demographic Predictors of the Perceived Likelihood of Hiring a Health Care Advocate. *Californian Journal of Health Promotion*, 15(3), 59-67.

Cronan, T.A., Van Liew, C., **McKinley, L. E.**, & Marr, N.C. (2019). "Does the Sex of Mentors and Students Affect Students' Perceptions of Research Mentors?" *Journal of Research in Gender Studies*, 9(2): 9–24. doi:10.22381/JRGS9220191

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

McKinley, L. E., Hua, S., Stal, J., D'Eon, M. S., Afari, N., Cronan, T. A. (2019). *Psychology Research and Behavior Management*. Predictors of Quality of Life Among Breast Cancer Patients.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

McKinley, L.E., Slemmons, A. & Cronan, T.A. (April 2019). *Sleep Disturbance and Duration among Minority versus Non-Minority Fibromyalgia Patients*. Poster presented at the 99th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Pasadena, CA.

Marr, N.C., Givogue, K.A, Azzoo, K.I., **McKinley, L.E.**, & Cronan, T.A. (April 2019). *Perceived likelihood of hiring a health care advocate: Effects of traumatic brain injury, schizophrenia, and*

diabetes. Poster presented at the 99th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Pasadena, CA. *Received Psi Chi Regional Research Award*

Marr, N.C., Cecchini, G.A., **McKinley, L.E.**, & Cronan, T.A. (April 2019). *The effects of fibromyalgia syndrome and ethnic minority status on mood disturbance and levels of depression*. Poster presented at the 99th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Pasadena, CA.

Stal, J., Kaye, Z., **McKinley, L.E.**, & Cronan, T.A. *The Effects of Alcohol Consumption and Sleep Duration on Fibromyalgia Symptoms*. Poster presented at the 99th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Pasadena, CA.

McKinley, L.E., Mansoor, M.M., Hua, S., Cronan, T.A. (April 2018). *Predictors of Quality of Life Among Breast Cancer Patients*. Poster presented at the 98th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Portland, OR.

Mansoor, M.M., **McKinley, L.E.**, & Cronan, T.A. (April 2018). *Effects of Depression on the Quality of Life Among Fibromyalgia Patients*. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine convention, New Orleans, LA.

Nilstomt, A.L., Mansoor, M.M., **McKinley, L.E.**, Cronan, T.A. (April 2018). *Predictors of Health Status Among Fibromyalgia and Osteoarthritis Patients*. Poster presented at the 98th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Portland, OR.

Marr, N., Mansoor, M.M., **McKinley, L.E.**, Stal, J., Cronan, T.A. (April 2018). *The Effects of Health Condition on One's Own Health Status on the Perceived Likelihood of Hiring a Health Care Advocate*. Poster presented at the 98th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Portland, OR.

Hua, S., Stal, J., **McKinley, L.E.**, Mansoor, M.M., Cronan, T.A. (April 2018). *Predictors of the Perceived Likelihood of Hiring a Health Care Advocate for Cognitive Impairments*. Poster Presented at the 98th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Portland, OR.

Stal, J., Hua, S., Marr, N., Mansoor, M.M., **McKinley, L.E.**, Cronan, T.A. (April 2018). *The Perceived Likelihood of Hiring a Health Care Advocate for a Parent or Child with an Acute or Chronic Condition*. Poster presented at the 98th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Portland, OR. *Received Psi Chi Regional Research Award*

McKinley, L.E., Alcaraz, L. Y., McKinnon, S. A., Cronan, T. A. (March 2017) *The Effects of Age and Comorbidity on the Likelihood of Traumatic Brain Injury Patients Hiring a Health Care Advocate*. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Conference in San Diego, CA.

Mansoor, M.M., McKinnon, S., Van Liew, C., **McKinley, L.E.**, & Cronan, T.A. (March 2017). *The Effects of Duration of Symptoms on Health Status Depends on Self-Efficacy Levels*. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Conference in San Diego, CA.

Hua, S., **McKinley, L. E.**, McKinnon, S. A., Cronan, T. A. (April 2017) *Effects of Serious Mental Disorders on the Perceived Likelihood of Hiring a Health Care Advocate*. Poster presented at the 97th

annual Western Psychological Association convention, Sacramento, CA. *Received Psi Chi Regional Research Award*

McKinley, L.E., Mansoor, M. M., McKinnon, S. A., Cronan, T. A. (April 2016). The Effects of Ethnicity, Social Support, and Age on Hiring a Health Care Advocate. Poster presented at the 96th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Long Beach, CA.

Mansoor, M.M., **McKinley, L.E.**, McKinnon, S. A., & Cronan, T.A. (April 2016). Demographic Predictors of the Likelihood of Hiring a Health Care Advocate for Physical and Mental Health Conditions. Poster presented at the 96th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Long Beach, CA.

McKinnon, S. A., **McKinley, L. E.**, May, A. C., Santoro, M. S., Little, T. J. R. & Cronan, T. A. (April 2015). The Experience of Trauma on Mood Disturbance in Fibromyalgia Syndrome. Poster presented at the 95th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Las Vegas, NV. *Received Psi Chi Regional Research Award*

Ridenour, C.L., **McKinley, L.E.**, May, A.C., Cronan, T.A. (April 2015). Hiring a Health Care Advocate: Chronic Condition and Service Type. Poster submitted at the 95th annual Western Psychological Association convention, Las Vegas, NV.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2014-2017

Health Outcomes Studies Laboratory, San Diego State University
Principal Investigator: Dr. Terry A. Cronan, Ph.D.

Research Assistant, *Responsibilities*: First authored a publication in a peer reviewed academic journal and poster presentations; Contributed to research projects; Administered a battery of assessments to participants newly diagnosed with breast cancer; Designed and implemented a Health Care Advocacy study; Trained research assistants to collect data in the community; Assisted with community data collection; Trained research assistants to enter and verify data; Assisted with data entry and verification; Created self-report questionnaires; Conducted literature reviews; Developed research questions and hypotheses; Analyzed data in SPSS; Presented findings at conferences; Wrote a manuscript-style honor's thesis.

2017-Present

Health Outcomes Studies Laboratory, San Diego State University
Principal Investigator: Dr. Terry A. Cronan, Ph.D.

Graduate Research Assistant, *Responsibilities*: Conducted tender-point examinations on participants with Fibromyalgia Syndrome; Administered the Montreal Cognitive Assessment (MOCA) to participants; Administered a battery of questionnaires to participants with Fibromyalgia Syndrome; Trained research assistants to conduct tender-point examinations and administer the MOCA to participants; Contributed to publications and poster presentations; Mentored

undergraduate research assistants; Created and edited educational materials used in interventions for participants with Fibromyalgia; Compiled therapist training materials for therapists who were conducting the interventions for participants with Fibromyalgia; Worked with therapists to improve education-intervention materials; Managed datasets and trained research assistants to enter and verify data; analyzed data in R and SPSS; presented findings at conferences.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Fall 2017-Present

Teaching Assistant, Advanced Research Methods (PSY 410)

Psychology Department, San Diego State University

Supervisor: Dr. Terry Cronan

Responsibilities: Tutored and assisted students in understanding concepts and materials covered in class; Presented to the class; Supervised community-based data collection; Constructed quizzes and exams; Graded papers, quizzes, and exams.

INVITED TALKS

Undergraduate Graduation Requirements and Planning - Advancing Diversity in Aging Research (ADAR) Program, San Diego State University, August 10, 2016

Joining a Lab: Professionalism, Time Management, and Planning - Advancing Diversity in Aging Research (ADAR) Program, San Diego State University, August 1, 2018

ACADEMIC SERVICE

January 2015-2017

Psychology Peer Adviser, Undergraduate Advising

San Diego State University, CA

Supervisor Spring 2015: Dr. Emilio Ulloa, Ph.D.

Supervisor Fall 2015-Present: Dr. Katherine Turner, Ph.D.

Responsibilities: Provided academic advising to undergraduate psychology students; assisted students with schedule management, course selection, filing academic petitions, and declaration of the psychology majors and minors.

March 2015-2016

Explore SDSU Volunteer, San Diego State University

Responsibilities: Provided students and parents information about the psychology department, undergraduate psychology advising, course scheduling, graduation requirements, and the university campus.

ACADEMIC AWARDS & HONORS

2013-Present

Dean's List

College of Sciences, San Diego State University

2015

Psi Chi International Honor Society Regional Research Award

Western Psychological Association Convention

2015	PsyMORE Undergraduate Research Symposium Certificate of Recognition, San Diego State University
2015	Undergraduate Peer Advising 'Big Kahuna' Award Excellence in Procedure and Protocol, San Diego State University
2017	Psi Chi International Honor Society Regional Research Award Western Psychological Association Convention
May 2017	Graduate Honor: <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> Bachelor of Arts, Psychology, San Diego State University
2018	Psi Chi International Honor Society Regional Research Award Western Psychological Association Convention
2019	Psi Chi International Honor Society Regional Research Award Western Psychological Association Convention
2019 - 2020	UC Merced HotChalk Recruitment Fellowship (Amount: \$4,000)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2013-Present	Psi Chi, International Honor Society in Psychology Member
2014-Present	National Society of Collegiate Scholars (NSCS) Member
2015-Present	Western Psychological Association (WPA) Student Affiliate
2017-Present	Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM) Student Affiliate
2019-Present	UC Merced Health Sciences Research Institute Graduate Student Member

EXTRACURRICULR ACTIVITY & SKILLS

2016	Study Abroad Program: Rimini, Italy <i>Conflict Resolution Training</i> San Diego State University, College of Extended Studies The National Conflict Resolution Center
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- **Statistical Analysis Training in R and SPSS**

- **Institutional Review Board (IRB) Certification**

REFERENCES

Dr. Terry Cronan, (619) 594-4595, San Diego State University, 6505 Alvarado Court, Suite 110, San Diego, CA 92120, tcronan@mail.sdsu.edu.

Dr. Martin Hagger, (209) 233-4998, University of California, Merced, 5200 N. Lake Rd., Merced, CA 95343, mhagger@ucmerced.edu