

Curriculum Vitae  
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#### **EDUCATION AND DEGREES**

- December 2005* Doctor of Philosophy, Clinical Psychology, Minor in Quantitative Psychology, Specialization in Behavioral Genetics, University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) Dissertation Chair: Peter Bentler, Ph.D.
- August 2005* Completion of APA accredited Clinical Psychology Internship, St. John's Child and Family Development Center, Santa Monica, California
- December 1999* Master of Arts Degree, Clinical Psychology, UCLA
- December 1997* Bachelor of Arts Degree, Summa Cum Laude, Psychology, UCLA

#### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

- August 2008* American Psychological Association Division 50 Early Career Presentation Award
- August 2007* National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) National Institute and National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) Early Career Psychologist Award
- October 2006* NIDA Junior Investigator Travel Award
- July 2004* NIDA Young Investigators Award
- June 2003* Shepherd Ivory Franz Distinguished Teaching Award
- May 2002* NIDA 3 Year National Research Service Award (NRSA): *Factors Leading to Development of Risk Taking Behavior*
- August 1999* UCLA Department of Psychology Research Travel Award
- January 1997* UCLA Department of Psychology Student Award for Research Training

#### **CLINICAL, AND RESEARCH POSITIONS**

- September, 2008-* *Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, Temple University*  
*Present* Clinical Psychology
- June, 2007-* *Assessor and Assessment Supervisor, UCLA Psychology Clinic. Supervisor: Eric*  
*July 2008* Miller, Ph.D., Licensed Clinical Psychologist.
- February 2007-* *Co-Investigator, Adolescents At-Risk Research, Department of Psychology, UCLA*  
*Present* Mentor: Steve Lee, Ph.D, Assistant Professor.
- January 2006-* *Postdoctoral Scholar, Integrated Substance Abuse Programs, Semel Institute for*  
*August 2008* *Neuroscience and Human Behavior, UCLA. Mentor: Douglas Anglin, Ph.D., Associate Director.*
- February 2002-* *Co-Investigator, Behavioral Genetics Research, Department of Psychiatry and*  
*Present* *Biobehavioral Sciences, UCLA. Mentor: Ernest Noble, Ph.D., M.D., Professor.*

## **GRANT ACTIVITY**

### ***Current Applications***

- Fall 2009*      *Co-Investigator*  
*Behavioral Biomarkers for Impulsivity.*  
National Institutes of Health (NIH) Small Business Innovation Research.
- Fall 2009*      *Principle Investigator*  
*Genetic, Epigenetic, and Neural Markers of Sensation Seeking and Cognitive Control*  
Pew Scholarship

### ***Current Grants***

- July 2008-*      *Principal Investigator*  
*Present*      *MH080874 - Mental Health Characteristics and Service Utilization of Substance-  
Abusing Offenders in California*  
An R03 grant in the amount of \$100,000 (plus indirect costs) to study the impact of a state proposition that diverts individuals convicted of simple drug possession from incarceration to probation and treatment on individuals with co-occurring disorders in the state of California.
- May 2008-*      *Principal Investigator*  
*Present*      *DA023131 - The Effect of Treatment Motivation on Drug Use Treatment Success*  
An R03 grant in the amount of \$100,000 (plus indirect costs) to study factors, both internal and external, that motivate individuals to participate in formalized drug treatments.

### ***Completed Grants***

- Spring, 2002-*      *Principal Investigator*  
*Spring 2005*      *5F31-DA014440 - Factors Leading to Development of Risk Taking Behavior*  
A three year National Research Service Award for approximately \$75,000 funded through NIDA.

### ***Unfunded Grant Applications***

- Spring 2009*      *Principal Investigator*  
*Genetic, Epigenetic, and Neural Markers of Sensation Seeking and Cognitive Control*  
The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 NIH Challenge Grants in Health and Science Research
- Spring 2009*      *Co-Investigator*  
*Behavioral Biomarkers for Impulsivity.*  
The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 NIH Challenge Grants in Health and Science Research

### ***Other Competitive Funding***

- October 2009-*      *Recipient*  
*Present*      *National Institutes of Health Loan Repayment Program*  
A competitive loan repayment program with an award in the amount of 50,223.20 to repay student loans.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- September 2008- Present* *Adolescent Sensation Seeking and Risky Behavior Laboratory, Temple University*  
Faculty research laboratory researching the etiology of sensation seeking and risky behaviors, including substance abuse, risky sexual behavior, and delinquency. We are also conducting ongoing research on the negative outcomes resulting from this behavior including substance dependence, transmission of sexually transmitted diseases, and incarceration.
- February 2007- Present* *Adolescents At-Risk Research, Department of Psychology, UCLA*  
Mentor: Steve Lee, Ph.D. I am currently studying adolescents with externalizing disorders through data analysis of the National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health data.
- January 2006- August 2008* *Postdoctoral Scholar and Fellow, Integrated Substance Abuse Programs, Semel Institute for Neuroscience and Human Behavior, UCLA*  
Mentor: Douglas Anglin, Ph.D. This was a National Institutes of Health funded postdoctoral position. I received training in drug abuse and dependence research, grant writing, manuscript preparation, publishing, and advanced longitudinal data analysis techniques, as well as assisted in the completion of the work of Douglas Longshore, Ph.D., who passed away in December, 2005. I worked on two projects: an evaluation of Proposition 36 evaluating the treatment of the dually diagnosed offenders in the state of California and a study on the factors that motivate individuals to affect behavior change as they seek, enter, and continue through the process of treating their drug dependencies.
- Winter 2002- Present* *Behavioral Genetics Research, Department of Psychiatry, UCLA*  
Mentor: Ernest Noble, Ph.D., M.D. I serve as lead and co-investigator, lead and co-author, and primary statistician on longitudinal studies examining the association between genetic polymorphisms and the onset of substance abuse and dependence in adolescence.
- Spring 2002- Spring 2005* *Dissertation Research, Department of Psychology, UCLA*  
**NRSA Research Funded for 3 Years by the National Institute on Drug Abuse: Factors Leading to Development of Risk Taking Behavior**  
Chair: Peter M. Bentler, Ph.D. I developed a new, psychometrically sound, scale to measure sensation seeking, examined trait anxiety as a moderator of sensation seeking and risky behavior, and tested for a genetic association between sensation seeking and dopaminergic genetic polymorphisms.
- Fall 1998- Spring 2005* *Graduate Research Assistant, UCLA/NIDA Center for Collaborative Research*  
Mentors: Judith Stein, Ph.D. and Douglas Longshore, Ph.D. I conducted studies on sensation seeking and risky behavior, AIDS risk reduction, and self-control. I also received extensive training research and publishing.
- Fall 1998- Spring 2000* *Master's Degree Thesis Research, Department of Psychology, UCLA*  
**Thesis: Are children with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder at risk for developing sensation seeking?**  
Chair: Bruce Baker, Ph.D. I conducted the adolescent follow-up phase of a longitudinal study of children identified as being at-risk for developing Attention Deficit-Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), including study coordination, data management, data collection, and thesis writing.

Winter 1997-  
Spring 1997 *Student Award for Research Training*  
**Research Training funded by the Department of Psychology, UCLA.**  
Mentor: Peter M. Bentler, Ph.D. and Judith A. Stein, Ph.D. This was a competitive award given to outstanding candidates to encourage pursuit of graduate studies leading to an academic career. I conducted research on the effects of sensation seeking and drug treatment on cigarette smoking.

Fall 1996-  
Fall 1998 *Research Assistant Veteran's Administration West Los Angeles, and the Department of Psychiatry and Biobehavioral Sciences, UCLA*  
Mentor: Jeffery Wilkins, M.D. I conducted literature reviews, collected data, conducted statistical analyses, and co-authored two chapters on the treatment of drug abuse, overdose, dependence, and withdrawal (see Publications section).

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### ***Courses Taught At Temple University as an Assistant Professor***

Spring 2010 *Clinic Team: Clinical Supervision of Graduate Students*

Fall 2009 *Graduate Assessment I: Cognitive and Psychoeducational Assessment*

Spring 2009 *Graduate Etiology and Treatment of Substance Use Disorders from a Developmental Perspective*

Fall 2008 *Undergraduate Adult Psychopathology*  
*Graduate Assessment I: Cognitive and Psychoeducational Assessment*

#### ***Invited Lectures***

Fall 2007 *Department of Psychology, UCLA*  
*Demystifying the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers (APPIC) Internship Application Process.*

Summer 2007 *Department of Social Work, California State University, Long Beach*  
*Introduction to Cognitive Behavioral Therapy.*

Spring 2007 *Department of Public Policy, Pepperdine University*  
*Drug Dependence Etiology and the Policy Implications of Drug Treatment.*

*Department of Psychology, UCLA*  
*Understanding and Treating Genetic Predisposition to Drug Dependence*

*Department of Social Work, California State University, Long Beach*  
*Introduction to Cognitive Behavioral Therapy.*

Fall 2006 *Department of Social Work, California State University, Long Beach*  
*Introduction to Cognitive Behavioral Therapy.*

*Department of Psychology, UCLA*  
*Demystifying the APPIC Internship Application Process.*

Spring 2006 *Department of Social Work, California State University, Long Beach*  
*Introduction to Cognitive Behavioral Therapy.*

**Teaching Assistant, Associate, and-Fellow**

*Master Teaching Associate and Fellow, Department of Psychology, UCLA*

*Psychological Research Methodology. Taught for 5 consecutive quarters. Awarded Shepherd Ivory Franz Distinguished Teaching Award.*

*Teaching Associate and Fellow as Laboratory Instructor, Department of Psychology, UCLA*

*Psychological Research Methodology. Taught for a total of 7 nonconsecutive quarters.*

*Teaching Associate, Department of Psychology, UCLA*

*Abnormal Psychology.*

*Psychology of Human Sexuality.*

*Counseling Relationships.*

*Teaching Assistant, Department of Psychology, UCLA*

*Introductory Psychology. Taught for 2 quarters.*

*Community Psychology.*

**CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

*June 2007- Assessor and Assessment Supervisor, UCLA Psychology Clinic*

*August 2008 Supervisor: Eric Miller, Ph.D., Licensed Clinical Psychologist (LCP).*

*September 2004- Clinical Psychology Intern, St. John's Child and Family Development Center, Santa*

*August 2005 Monica, California.*

*Director of Training: Adrian Novit, Ph.D., LCP.*

*April 2004- Graduate Student Assessment Supervisor, UCLA Psychology Clinic*

*September 2004 Supervisor: Eric Miller, Ph.D., LCP.*

*August 2003- Graduate Student Therapist, UCLA Psychology Clinic*

*May 2004 Supervisor: Sandra Goldstein, Ph.D., LCP.*

*July 2003- Graduate Student Intake Team Supervisor, UCLA Psychology Clinic*

*September 2003 Supervisor: Jill Waterman, Ph.D., LCP.*

*February 2003- Graduate Student Assessment Supervisor, UCLA Psychology Clinic*

*August 2003 Supervisor: Eric Miller, Ph.D., LCP.*

*July 2002- Graduate Student Intake Team Supervisor, UCLA Psychology Clinic*

*September 2002 Supervisor: Jill Waterman, Ph.D., LCP.*

*September 2000- Extern, San Fernando Child and Family Guidance Center, Northridge, California*

*June 2001 Director of Training: Susan Hall-Marley, Ph.D., LCP.*

*October 1999- Group Therapist, The Helping At-Risk Students Manual Project*

*June 2001 Supervisor: Jill Waterman, Ph.D., LCP.*

*November 1999- Graduate Student Therapist, Neighborhood Youth Association, Venice, California*

*July 2000 Supervisor: Marion Jacobs, Ph.D., LCP.*

*April 1999- Graduate Student Therapist and Psychodiagnostic Assessor, UCLA Psychology Clinic*

*July 2000 Supervisors David Lopata, Ph.D., LCP, Marion Jacobs, Ph.D., LCP, Ph.D., LCP, Eric Miller, Ph.D., LCP, Annette Stanton Ph.D., LCP.*

### DOCTORAL COMMITTEE SERVICE

Ellen C. Jorstad-Stein Dissertation Committee Member, in progress  
Kristen Pontonski, Dissertation Committee Member, in progress  
Johanna Carpenter, Dissertation Committee Member, in progress  
William Albert, Dissertation Committee Member, in progress  
Azadeh Shakerian, Dissertation Committee Member, Psy.D. Degree Awarded July 2008

### INTERNATIONAL CONSULTING

July 2007 *Drug Treatment Implementation Expert, Soros Foundation*  
Consultant on the implementation of drug treatment systems, including Narcotic Replacement Therapy, in the Republic of Georgia.

### UNIVERSITY SERVICE

2009-2010 *Improving Statistical Training in the Department of Psychology, Temple University. Psychological Services Clinic Advisory Committee, Department of Psychology, Temple University*

2008-2009 *Clinical Research Day Committee, Department of Psychology, Temple University*

Fall 2002-  
Spring 2004 *Clinical Area Academic Committee, Department of Psychology, UCLA*  
Reorganizing first year and core curricula and assisted in the oversight of the implementation and quality control of the new curricula.

### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Current Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT)  
American Psychological Association (APA): Society of Child and Adolescent Psychology (Division 53) and Addictions (Division 50)  
Behavioral Genetics Society  
Society for Research on Adolescents

### AD HOC PEER REVIEWING

Current Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology, Drug and Alcohol Dependence, Journal of Behavioral Health Services & Research, Journal of Research on Adolescence

### PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

#### *Publications under Review*

Christopherson, C.M., & **Conner, B.T.** (submitted). *Does Sex Moderate Relationships among Predictors of Risky Behaviors in Adolescence?*

**Conner, B.T.**, Hellemann, G.S., Sheen, C.L., Ritchie, T., & Noble, E.P. (submitted). *Genetic Predictors of Novelty Seeking in Adolescence.*

**Conner, B.T.**, Hellemann, G.S., Henson, J.M., & Lee, S. (submitted). *Risk seeking Measured in Early Adolescence is the Best Predictor of Alcohol Abuse in Early Adulthood.*

Sheen, C.L., **Conner, B.T.**, Ozkaragoz, T.Z., Berman, S.M., & Noble, E.P. (submitted). *IQ and the D2 Dopamine Receptor Gene in Children from Three Ethnic/Racial Groups.*

Sheen, C.L., **Conner, B.T.**, Ritchie, T., & Noble, E.P. (submitted). *Drug use and the D2 Dopamine receptor in African-American Children of Alcoholics.*

### ***Peer Reviewed Publications***

- Conner B.T.** (in press). *When is the Difference Significant? Estimates of Meaningfulness in Clinical Research.*
- Conner B.T.**, Hellemann G.S., Ritchie, T. & Noble, E.P. (in press). *Genetic, Personality, and Environmental Predictors of Drug Use in Adolescents.*
- Antolin T., Berman S., **Conner B.T.**, Sheen C.L., Ozkaragoz T.Z., & Noble E.P. (2009). The D2 dopamine receptor (DRD2) gene, P300 and personality in children of alcoholics. *Psychiatry Research, 166*, 91-101.
- Anglin M.D., **Conner B.T.**, & Longshore D. (2009). Longitudinal effects of LAAM and methadone maintenance on heroin addict behavior. *The Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research, 36*, 267-282.
- Conner B.T.**, Anglin M.D., Annon J.A., & Longshore D. (2009). Effect of religiosity and spirituality on drug treatment outcomes. *The Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research, 36*, 189-198.
- Conner B.T.**, & Longshore D. (2009). Modeling attitudes towards drug treatment: The role of internal motivation, external pressure, and dramatic relief. *The Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research, 36*, 150-158.
- Conner B.T.**, Longshore D., & Stein J.A., (2009). Examining self-control as a multidimensional predictor of crime and drug use in adolescents with criminal histories. *The Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research, 36*, 137-149.
- Longshore D., Anglin M.D., & **Conner B.T.** (2009). Are religiosity and spirituality useful constructs in drug treatment research? *The Journal of Behavioral Health Services and Research, 36*, 177-188.
- Hellemann G.S., **Conner B.T.**, Anglin M.D., & Longshore D. (2009). Seeing the trees despite the forest: Applying recursive partitioning to the evaluation of drug treatment retention. *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment, 36*, 59-64.
- Meyer-Adams N.J., & **Conner B.T.** (2008). School violence: Bullying behaviors and the psychosocial school environment in middle schools. *Children & Schools, 30*, 211-221.
- Anglin M.D., **Conner B.T.**, Annon, J., & Longshore, D. (2007). Levo-alpha-acetylmethadol (LAAM) versus methadone maintenance: One-year treatment retention, outcomes, and status. *Addiction, 102*, 1432-1442.
- Berman S.M., Noble E.P., Antolin T., Sheen C., **Conner B.T.**, & Ritchie T. (2006). P300 development during adolescence: Effects of DRD2 genotype. *Clinical Neurophysiology, 117*, 649-659.
- Conner B.T.**, Noble E.P., Berman S.M., Ozkaragoz T., Ritchie T., Antolin T., & Sheen C. (2005). DRD2 genotypes and substance use in adolescent children of alcoholics. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence, 79*, 379-387.
- Conner B.T.**, Stein J.A., & Longshore D. (2005). Are cognitive AIDS risk-reduction models equally applicable among high- and low-risk seekers? *Personality and Individual Differences, 38*, 379-393.
- Longshore D., Stein J.A., & **Conner B.T.** (2004). Psychosocial antecedents of injection risk reduction: A multivariate analysis. *AIDS Education and Prevention, 16*, 353-366.

Berman S.M., Noble E.P., Ozkaragoz T., Antolin T., Siddarth P., **Conner B.T.**, & Sheen C. (2003). Differential associations of sex and D2 dopamine receptor (DRD2) genotype with negative affect and other substance abuse risk markers in children of alcoholics. *Alcohol*, 30, 201-210.

**Conner B.T.**, Stein J.A., Longshore D., & Stacy A. W. (1999). Drug abuse treatments may replace but not eliminate symptoms. *Clinician's Research Digest*, 17, 3.

**Conner B.T.**, Stein J.A., Longshore D., & Stacy A.W. (1999). The effects of drug abuse treatment on cigarette smoking. *Experimental and Clinical Psychopharmacology*, 7, 64-71.

### ***Books and Book Chapters***

**Conner B.T.** (2001). *Test Bank for Abnormal Psychology 2<sup>nd</sup> ed.* New York: W. W. Norton.

Wilkins J.N., **Conner B.T.**, & Gorelick M.D. (1998). Management of stimulant, hallucinogen, marijuana, and phencyclidine intoxication and withdrawal. In A. W. Graham & T. K. Schultz, (Eds.), *American Society of Addiction Medicine: Principles of addiction medicine* (2nd ed.). Chevy Chase, MD: American Society of Addiction Medicine.

Wilkins J.N., Gorelick M.D., & **Conner B.T.** (1998). Pharmacologic therapies for other drugs and multiple-drug addiction. In Allan W. Graham, M.D. and Terry K. Schultz, M.D. (Eds.), *American Society of Addiction Medicine: Principles of addiction medicine* (2nd ed.). Chevy Chase, MD: American Society of Addiction Medicine.

### ***Chapters in Government Reports***

**Conner B.T.**, Album, V., & Hunter, J. (2009). Narcotic Treatment Programs. *Evaluation of the Substance Abuse and Crime Prevention Act 2008* (pp. 257-274). Los Angeles: UCLA.

**Conner B.T.**, Grella C., & Fan J. (2008). Co-Occurring Disorders in Proposition 36. *Evaluation of the Substance Abuse and Crime Prevention Act 2008* (pp. 218-242). Los Angeles: UCLA.

**Conner B.T.** (2008). Narcotic Treatment Programs. *Evaluation of the Substance Abuse and Crime Prevention Act 2007* (pp. 161-174). Los Angeles: UCLA.

**Conner B.T.** & Grella C. (2008). The Homeless Mentally Ill in Proposition 36. *Evaluation of the Substance Abuse and Crime Prevention Act 2007* (pp. 69-100). Los Angeles: UCLA.

Urada D., Longshore D., & **Conner B.T.** (2007). Treatment. *Evaluation of the Substance Abuse Crime Prevention Act Final Report* (pp. 37-60). Los Angeles: UCLA.

Hawken A., Anglin M.D., & **Conner B.T.** (2007). Treatment Differences. *Evaluation of the Substance Abuse and Crime Prevention Act Final Report* (pp. 87-99). Los Angeles: UCLA.

### ***Invited Presentations***

**Conner B.T.** (November 2, 2009). *Examining Prospective Predictors of Alcohol Abuse using Recursive Partitioning*. Presented to the Developmental Area of the Psychology Department of Temple University.

**Conner B.T.** (April 14, 2009). *Examining Predictors of the Onset of Drug Use: Dopaminergic Genes, Personality, and the Environment*. Presented to the Center for Substance Abuse Research, Temple University School of Medicine.

### ***Peer Reviewed Presentations***

- Conner B.T.**, Hellemann G.S., & Lee S.S. (2009, December). *Prospective Predictors of Young Adult Alcohol Abuse*. Presented at the Kettil Bruun Society Thematic Meeting: Episodic Heavy Drinking among Adolescents, Nijmegen, the Netherlands.
- Conner B.T.**, Hellemann G.S., & Lee S.S. (2009, November). *Prospective Predictors of Problem Drinking in Adolescents*. Presented at the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, New York.
- Cooper E.B.\*, Fauber R.L., & **Conner B.T.** (2009, November). *Development of the Faking Orgasm Scale: Examination of Women's Motivations for Faking Orgasms through Exploratory Factor Analysis*. Presented at the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, New York.
- Eichen D.\*, Fauber, R.L., **Conner B.T.**, & Daly B. (2009, November). *Eating Disordered Behaviors and Substance Use in Men and Women*. Presented at the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, New York.
- Settipani C.A.\*, Puleo C.M., **Conner B.T.**, & Kendall P.C. (2009, November). *Autism Spectrum Traits in Anxiety Disordered Youth: Symptoms of Anxiety Predicted by Features of Autism*. Presented at the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, New York.
- Goldstein K.E.\*, Bender, R.E., Nusslock R., Alloy L.B., Black S.K., **Conner B.T.**, Peterson C.K., Harmon-Jones E., Kleiman E., Whitehouse W.G., Abramson L.Y. (2009, September). *Frontal EEG asymmetry in Individuals with Bipolar Spectrum Disorders as a Predictor of Substance and Alcohol Use Problems*. Presented at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
- Conner B.T.**, Hellemann G.S., Ritchie T., & Noble E.P. (2009, August). *Are Hypodopaminergic Genotypes a Biological Marker of Novelty Seeking?* Presented at the 117<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Conner B.T.**, Hellemann G.S., Ritchie T., & Noble E.P. (2008, November). *Predictors of Drug Use in Adolescent Children of Alcoholics*. Presented at the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, Florida.
- Conner B.T.**, & Henson J.M. (2008, November). *Validating the Sensation Seeking Personality Type Scale*. Presented at the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Orlando, Florida.
- Henson J.M., & **Conner B.T.** (2008, September). *Substance Use and Different Types of Sensation Seekers - A Rasch Mixture Analysis*. Presented at the International Conference on Outcomes Measurement (ICOM): Focus on Behavioral Health, Bethesda, Maryland.
- Conner B.T.**, & Henson J.M. (2008, August). *The Development of a Psychometrically Sound Measure of Sensation Seeking*. Presented at the 116<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Boston, Massachusetts.
- Conner B.T.** (2007, November). *Internal and External Factors Effect Dramatic Relief and Inform Attitudes towards Drug Treatment and Drug Treatment Motivation*. Presented at the 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

- Helleman G.S., **Conner B.T.** & Anglin, M.D. (2007, November). *Early Predictors of Treatment Success in Drug Replacement Therapy: A Decision Tree Approach*. Presented at the 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention of the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- Conner B.T.**, Helleman, G.S., Ritchie, T., & Noble, E.P. (2007, August). *Predictors of Drug Use Severity in Adolescent Children of Alcoholics*. Presented at the 115<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Sheen C., **Conner B.T.**, Ozkaragoz T.Z., Ritchie T., & Noble E.P. (2007; August). *Relationship of Eysenck Personality Traits to Markers of Drug Abuse by DRD2 Genotype*. Presented at the 115<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
- Conner B.T.**, Henson, J.M., Helleman, G.S., & Bentler, P.M. (2006, November). *Examining Trait Anxiety as a Moderator of the Relationship between Sensation Seeking and Risk-Taking Behavior*. Presented at the 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Chicago, Illinois.
- Henson J.M., & **Conner B.T.** (2006, November). *Substance Use and Different Types of Sensation Seekers: A Rasch Mixture Analysis*. Presented at the 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Chicago, Illinois.
- Conner B.T.** (2006, October). *The Effect of Internal Motivation and External Pressure on Dramatic Relief in Drug Treatment Motivation. Doug Longshore's Work Continues*. Presented at the 2006 Addiction Health Services Research Conference, Little Rock, Arkansas.
- Berman S.M., Noble E.P., Antolin T., & **Conner B.T.** (2005, May). *Effects of D<sub>2</sub> Dopamine Receptor Genotype on Adolescent Development of P300*. Presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Society, Los Angeles, California.
- Conner B.T.**, Stein J.A., & Longshore D. (2004, July). *The Sensation Seeking Personality Type and Risky Behavior Checklist Scales*. Presented at the 112<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
- Conner B.T.**, Noble E.P., Ozkaragoz T., & Berman S.M. (2003, August). *DRD2 Genotype and Substance Use in Adolescent Children of Alcoholics*. Presented at the 111<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Conner B.T.**, Stein J.A., & Longshore D. (2003, August). *Personality Predictors of Property and Violent Crime in Adolescent Offenders*. Presented at the 111<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.
- Conner B.T.**, Stein J.A., & Longshore D. (2002, August). *Does the AIDS Risk Reduction Model work for Sensation Seekers*. Presented at the 110<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Chicago.
- Grewall S., & **Conner B.T.** (2002, August). *Comparing the Sensation Seeking Scale between Asian and Caucasian Populations*. Presented at the 110<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Chicago.
- Conner B.T.**, Stein J.A., & Longshore D. (2001, May). *Risk Seeking Bias and High Risk Behaviors Among Delinquent Adolescents*. Presented at the 81<sup>st</sup> Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Maui.

**Conner B.T.**, Stein J.A., & Longshore D. (2000, February). *Predicting AIDS Risk and Tolerance for Deviance among Delinquent Adolescents*. Presented at the 109<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington D.C.

**Conner B.T.**, Stein J.A., Longshore D., & Stacy A.W. (1999, August). *The Effects of Heroin Addiction Treatment on Cigarette Smoking*. Presented at the 108<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Boston.

(\* represent publications and presentations in which a graduate student is the lead author)