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### **Education:**

1991-1995 Ph.D. Social Psychology Carnegie Mellon University

1991-1993 M. S. Social Psychology Carnegie Mellon University

1989-1990 M. A. Social Sciences University of Chicago

1985-1989 B. A. Psychology Wheaton College

### **Administrative Experience:**

2024-present **Assistant Dean of Data Analytics & Graduate Program Performance**  
Graduate College; Arizona State University

- Ensure analytics are integrated into academic decision-making and governance, translating data into action at the institutional level rather than operating as a standalone technical function.
- Provide strategic leadership for enterprise-wide graduate education analytics, leveraging advanced quantitative and predictive modeling to inform institutional decision-making
- Oversee academic integrity and policy implementation, ensuring consistency, compliance, and quality across colleges.
- Partner with academic leadership to strengthen existing programs and guide the development of new and innovative graduate offerings
- Serve on the Graduate College executive leadership team and represent graduate education in university-wide initiatives, advancing institutional goals through data-informed leadership.
- Academic Integrity Officer for Graduate College
- Graduate College representative on university AI Scholars Workgroup and AI Teaching & Learning Strategy Workgroup

2018-2024 **RISE (Resilience in Social Environments) Initiative Director & Founding Executive Board Member**  
Arizona State University

- Co-founded a pan-university research initiative to bring together faculty and graduate student scholars on resilience topics
- Led and developed research initiatives and programs with over 30 faculty and graduate students from across ASU; managed a yearly budget of \$20,000 for initiative efforts

- 2017-2024     **Psychology Area Head**  
School of Social & Behavioral Sciences  
Arizona State University
- Led 12 tenured/tenure-track faculty members and 25 lecturers; involved in strategic and programmatic planning, approximately \$8 million budget management and fiscal planning, oversaw staff operations, facilities management, and student services
- 2015-2024     **Director of MS Psychology Program**  
School of Social & Behavioral Sciences  
Arizona State University
- Led 12 tenured/tenure-track faculty members and 25 lecturers; involved in strategic and programmatic planning for both campus and digital immersion tracks of the Master's program, approximately \$3 million budget management and fiscal planning, oversaw staff operations, facilities management, and student services
- 2008-2010     **Vice Chair**  
Department of Psychology  
Kent State University
- Supported the Department Chair in their activities, responsible for curricular planning and scheduling, and implementing an RCM budget model
- 2007-2008     **Research & Development Coordinator**  
Department of Psychology  
Kent State University

***Employment:***

- 2014-present   Full Professor of Psychology  
Honors Faculty  
School of Social & Behavioral Sciences  
Arizona State University
- 2012-2014     Associate Professor  
Department of Sociology  
Kent State University
- 2004-2012     Associate Professor  
Department of Psychology  
Kent State University
- 1998-2004     Assistant Professor  
Department of Psychology  
Kent State University
- 1996-1998     Research Fellow  
Harvard Medical School  
Department of Health Care Policy

1995-1997 NIMH Postdoctoral Fellow  
Institute for Social Research  
Social Environment & Health  
University of Michigan

**Research Support:**

01/01/25-12/31/27 Principal Investigator, Principled Innovation Grant  
Kern Family Foundation  
Amount: \$100,000  
*“Principled innovation in graduate education”*  
Status: Funded

09/1/23-08/31/25 Co-Investigator: R21 1R21HD110652-01A1  
PIs: Katherine Nelson-Coffey (ASU); Helena Rutherford (Yale)  
National Institute of Child Health and Human Development  
Amount: \$457,210  
*“Social connectedness in the transition to parenthood: Implications for parent and child health and well-being”*  
Status: Funded

12/15/22-12/14/23 Principal Investigator, Institute for Social Science Research Grant  
Arizona State University  
Amount: \$8,000  
*“Assessing Feasibility and Efficacy of Fitbits for a Study on the Role of Digital and In-Person Social Connectedness on Sleep and Mental Well-Being among Adolescents and Their Parents”*

9/24/18-9/23/20 Principal Investigator, Strategic Initiatives Program Grant  
Dignity Health-Arizona State University  
Amount: \$247,304  
*“Racial Disparities in Low Birth Weight: Discrimination, Resilience, and Biomedical Pathways in a Sample of Black, Hispanic, and White Pregnant Women”*

1/15/08-1/14/10 Principal Investigator, Research Incentive Grant  
Ohio Board of Regents  
Amount: \$49,838  
*“Postpartum Distress in First-Time Mothers and Fathers: Risk and Protective Factors”*

2/01/02-12/31/03 Co-Investigator, Research Challenge Grant  
Ohio Board of Regents  
Amount: \$103,163  
*“The Children Who Witness Violence Program”*

5/1/99-4/30/01 Principal Investigator: R03 MH59767-01  
National Institute of Health  
Amount: \$85,098  
*“Race and Class in Social Support and Mental Health”*

1/1/99-12/31/02      Co-Investigator: 410 1998 498  
Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council of Canada  
Amount: \$50,000  
*"Social Integration & Illness/Disability: Testing of the  
Relationship Issues Profile"*

***Fellowships and Awards:***

2021-2022      Nominated to the Peer Leadership Academy (Cohort IX), Arizona State Univ.  
2019              Outstanding Graduate Mentor, ASU New College of Interdisciplinary Arts &  
Sciences  
2018              Finalist, Outstanding Masters Mentor, ASU Graduate College  
2012              Summer Research Award, Kent State University, University Research Council  
2010              Summer Research Award, Kent State University, University Research Council  
2008              Summer Research Award, Kent State University, University Research Council  
2005              Summer Research Award, Kent State University, University Research Council  
1995-1997      NIMH Postdoctoral Fellowship, University of Michigan,  
Institute for Social Research  
1991-1995      Predoctoral Fellowship, Carnegie Mellon University  
1995              Graduate Student Travel Award, International Network on Personal Relationships

***Professional Affiliation:***

2025-present      Dignity Health Center for Clinical Research at St Joseph's Hospital & Medical  
Center - *Credentialed Research Investigator*

***Professional Organizations:***

American Psychological Association (APA)  
International Association for Relationship Research (IARR)  
Society for Experimental and Social Psychology – Elected Fellow (SESP)  
Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP)  
Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues (SPSSI)  
Social Psychology Network (SPN)

***Professional Experience:***

*American Psychological Association, Committee on Socioeconomic Status (CSES), Appointed  
Member, 2021-2023*

*American Psychological Association Conference, Program reviewer, 2000; 2004; 2005; 2017*

*Center for Social Innovation, Consultant responsible for psychosocial evaluation of grants and  
papers, 2007-2020*

*International Conference on Personal Relationships, Program committee member, 2002*

*National Center on Family Homelessness*, Consultant responsible for psychosocial evaluation of grants and papers, 1997-2013

*National Human Genome Research Institute*, Grant reviewer, 2004  
*International Association for Relationship Research*

Host and Organizer, IARR Mini-Conference at ASU, May 2023  
Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee, Chair, 2019-2022  
Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee, Member, 2022-2023  
Future conferences committee member, 2009-2013, 2025-present  
Conference committee member, 2004-2005  
Conference program reviewer, 2004

*National Science Foundation*, Grant reviewer, 2011

*National Science Centre of Poland*, Grant Reviewer, 2014, 2020

*Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC)*, Grant reviewer, 2018

#### **Editorial Board**

*Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 2011 – 2014  
*Sex Roles*, 2016-2020

#### **Guest Editor**

*Sex Roles*, Special Issue on “Gender and the Transition to Parenthood,” 2014-2016

#### **Ad hoc Reviewer:**

- *American Journal of Community Psychology*
- *Anxiety, Stress and Coping*
- *American Journal of Mental Retardation*
- *Basic and Applied Social Psychology*
- *Behavioral Medicine*
- *British Journal of Social Psychology*
- *Child Development*
- *European Journal of Social Psychology*
- *Health Psychology*
- *Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology*
- *Journal of Family Issues*
- *Journal of Family Psychology*
- *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*
- *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*
- *Journal of Social and Clinical Psychology*
- *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*
- *Personal Relationships*
- *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*
- *Population Research & Policy Review*
- *Preventive Medicine*
- *Psychological Bulletin*
- *Psychology and Aging*
- *Psychology and Health*
- *Psychosomatic Medicine*
- *Quality of Life Research*
- *Sex Roles*
- *Social Forces*
- *Social Problems*
- *Social Psychology*
- *Social Science and Medicine*
- *Violence & Victims*
- *Cambridge University Press*
- *John Wiley & Sons Press*
- *Routledge/Taylor & Francis Press*
- *Sage Publications*
- *Wadsworth Publishing*

## **Publications:**

### **Book**

**Mickelson, K.D.**, & Marcussen, K.A. (2023). *Gender and the Transition to Parenthood: Understanding the A, B, C's*. Springer Nature

### **Articles in Refereed Journals**

(Current/Former Graduate Student Authors Underlined)

1. Seely, H., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2025). Measurement development and psychometric evaluation of the Emotionality Stigma Scale. *Measurement and Evaluation in Counseling and Development*, 1-31. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07481756.2025.2575496>
2. Kilby, R., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2025). Combating weight-stigmatization in online spaces: The impacts of body neutral, body positive, and weight-stigmatizing TikTok content on body image and mood. *Frontiers in Psychiatry*, 16, 1577063. <http://doi.org/10.3389/fpsy.2025.1577063>
3. Witsoe, M., **Mickelson, K.D.**, Kang, P., Dinh, S., Krzyzanowski, B., Doddamreddy, S.A., Doehrman, P., Zhou, G., & Nguyen, J. (2025). Climate, pollution, and maternal health: Investigating the impact of temperature and ozone on birth outcomes in Phoenix, Arizona. *Environments*, 12(4), 118. <https://doi.org/10.3390/environments12040118>
4. **Mickelson, K.D.**, Witsoe, M., Krzyzanowski, B., Doehrman, P., Dinh, S., Zhou, G., & Nguyen, J. (2025). A retrospective analysis evaluating the impact of neighborhood deprivation on birth weight in Phoenix, Arizona. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 22(1), 112. <http://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph22010112>
5. Seely, H.D., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2025). Why regulate? Understanding the role of perceived parental emotion regulation in offspring emotional development. *Family Relations*, 74(2), 985-1001. <http://doi.org/10.1111/fare.13142>
6. Schodt, K. & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2025). Emotion expressivity and regulation in romantic relationships: The role of social anxiety. *Couple and Family Psychology: Research and Practice*, 14(2), 149-164. <https://doi.org/10.1037/cfp0000249>
7. Mostoller, A., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2024). Masculinity and mental well-being: The role of stigma surrounding seeking help for mental illness. *Sex Roles*, 90, 353-362. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11199-024-01457-2>
8. **Mickelson, K.D.**, Doehrman, P., Chambers, C., Seely, H., Kaneris, M., Stancl, R., Stewart, C., & Sullivan, S. (2022). Role of discrimination and resilience on birth weight: A systematic examination in a sample of Black, Latina and White Women. *Women's Health*, 18, 1-13. DOI: [10.1177/17455057221093927](https://doi.org/10.1177/17455057221093927)
9. Burleson, M.H., Roberts, N.A., Duncan, C.J., Sioni, S. Randall, A.K., Ha, T., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2022). Feeling the absence of touch: Distancing, distress, regulation, and relationships in the context of COVID-19. *Journal of Social & Personal Relationships*, 39(1) 56–79. DOI: [10.1177/02654075211052696](https://doi.org/10.1177/02654075211052696)
10. Don, B. P., Eller, J. Simpson, J. A., Fredrickson, B. L., Algoe, S. B., Rholes, S., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2022) New parental positivity: The role of positive emotions in promoting relational adjustment during the transition to parenthood. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 123(1), 84-106. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1037/pspi0000371>

11. Shufford, K., Hall, D., Randall, A. Braunstein, B., O'Brien, M., & Mickelson, K.D. (2021). Connected while apart: Association between social distancing, computer-mediated communication frequency, and positive affect during COVID-19. *Journal of Social & Personal Relationships*, 38(10), 2906–2920.
12. Seely, H.D., & Mickelson, K.D. (2021). Role of gender and emotionality stigma in perceived parental emotion dysregulation and mental health. *Sex Roles*, 85(9-10), 515-527. DOI:[10.1007/s11199-021-01237-2](https://doi.org/10.1007/s11199-021-01237-2)
13. Nelson-Coffey, S.K., O'Brien, M.M., Braunstein, B.M., Mickelson, K.D., & Ha, T. (2021). Health behavior adherence and emotional adjustment during the COVID-19 pandemic in a US nationally representative sample: The roles of prosocial motivation and gratitude. *Social Science & Medicine*, 284, 114243. DOI: [10.1016/j.socscimed.2021.114243](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2021.114243).
14. Quiroz, S., & Mickelson, K.D. (2021). Are online behaviors damaging our in-person connections? Passive versus active social media use on romantic relationships. *Cyberpsychology: Journal of Psychosocial Research on Cyberspace*, 15(1), Article 1. <https://doi.org/10.5817/CP2021-1-1>
15. Baumel, K., Hamlett, M., Wheeler, B., Hall, D., Randall, A.K., & Mickelson, K. (2021). Living through COVID-19: Social distancing, computer-mediated communication, and well-being in LGBTQ and heterosexual individuals. *Journal of Homosexuality*, 68(4), 673-691. DOI: [10.1080/00918369.2020.1868190](https://doi.org/10.1080/00918369.2020.1868190)
16. Seely, H. & Mickelson, K.D. (2019). Maternal resilience as a protective factor between financial stress and child outcomes. *Journal of Family Issues*, 40, 1604-1626.
17. Gordon, A.E., & Mickelson, K.D. (2018). Couple-level predictors of perceived fairness during pregnancy in first-time parents. *Journal of Family Issues*, 39, 55-77.
18. Mickelson, K.D., & Biehle, S.N. (2017). Gender and the transition to parenthood: Introduction to the special issue. *Sex Roles*, 76, 271-275.
19. Mickelson, K.D., Biehle, S., Chong, A., & Gordon, A.E. (2017). Perceived stigma of postpartum depression in first-time parents: Gender differences in a dual-pathway model. *Sex Roles*, 76, 306-318.
20. Chong, A., Biehle, S.N., Kooiman, L.Y., & Mickelson, K.D. (2016). Postnatal depression: The role of breastfeeding efficacy, breastfeeding duration, and family-work conflict. *Psychology of Women Quarterly*, 40, 518-531.
21. Chong, A., & Mickelson, K.D. (2016). Perceived fairness and relationship satisfaction during the transition to parenthood: The mediating role of spousal support. *Journal of Family Issues*, 37, 3-28.
22. Mickelson, K.D., & Hazlett, E. (2014). “Why me?”: Low-income women’s poverty attributions, depression, and social class perceptions. *Sex Roles*, 71, 319-332.
23. Don, B. P., Chong, A. K., Biehle, S. N., Gordon, A. & Mickelson, K. D. (2014). Anxiety across the transition to parenthood: Change trajectories among low-risk parents. *Anxiety, Stress, & Coping*, 27, 633-649.
24. Don, B.P., & Mickelson, K.D. (2014). Relationship satisfaction trajectories across the transition to parenthood among low-risk parents. *Journal of Marriage and Family*, 76, 677-692.

25. Don, B.P., **Mickelson, K.D.**, & Barbee, A.P. (2013). Indirect support seeking and perceptions of spousal support: A reciprocal relationship? *Personal Relationships*, 20, 655-668.
26. Don, B.P., Biehle, S.N., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2013). Feeling like part of a team: Perceived parenting agreement among first-time parents. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 30, 1121-1137.
27. Don, B.P., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2012). Paternal postpartum depression: The role of maternal postpartum depression, spousal support and relationship satisfaction. *Couple and Family Psychology: Research and Practice*, 1, 323-334.
28. Biehle, S.N. & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2012). Provision and receipt of emotional spousal support: The impact of visibility on well-being. *Couple and Family Psychology: Research and Practice*, 1, 244-251.
29. **Mickelson, K.D.**, & Joseph, J.A. (2012). Postpartum body satisfaction and intimacy in first-time parents. *Sex Roles*, 67, 300-310.
30. Biehle, S. N., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2012). First-time parents' expectations about the division of childcare and play. *Journal of Family Psychology*, 26, 36-45.
31. Biehle, S. N., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2011). Worries in expectant parents: Its relation with perinatal well-being and relationship satisfaction. *Personal Relationships*, 18, 697-713.
32. Biehle, S. N., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2011). Personal and co-parent predictors of parenting efficacy across the transition to parenthood. *Journal of Social and Clinical Psychology*, 30, 985-1010.
33. Biehle, S. N., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2011). Preparing for parenthood: How feelings of responsibility and efficacy impact expectant parents. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 28, 668-683.
34. **Mickelson, K. D.**, & Demmings, J. L. (2009). Impact of support network substitution on low-income women's health: Are minor children beneficial substitutes? *Social Science & Medicine*, 68, 80-88.
35. Tabak, M. A., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2009). Religious service attendance and distress: The moderating role of life events and race/ethnicity. *Sociology of Religion*, 70, 49-64.
36. Claffey, S. T., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2009). Division of household labor and distress: The role of perceived fairness for working mothers. *Sex Roles*, 60, 819-831.
37. Seacat, J. D., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2009). Stereotype threat and the exercise/dietary health intentions of overweight women. *Journal of Health Psychology*, 14, 556-567.
38. **Mickelson, K. D.**, & Williams, S. L. (2008). Perceived stigma of poverty and psychological distress: Examination of interpersonal and intrapersonal mediators. *Journal of Social and Clinical Psychology*, 27, 903-930.
39. Williams, S. L., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2008). A paradox of support seeking and social rejection among the stigmatized. *Personal Relationships*, 15, 493-509.

40. Seacat, J. D., Hirschman, R. D., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2007). Attributions of HIV onset-controllability, emotional reactions, and helping intentions: The implicit effect of victim sexual orientation. *Journal of Applied Social Psychology*, 37, 1442-1461.
41. Williams, S. L., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2007). A psychosocial resource impairment model explaining partner violence and distress: Moderating role of income. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 40, 13-25.
42. Fekete, E., Stephens, M. A. P., **Mickelson, K. D.**, & Druley, J. A. (2007). Couples' support provision during illness: The role of perceived emotional responsiveness. *Families, Systems, & Health*, 25, 204-217.
43. Leahey, T. M., Crowther, J. H., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2007). The frequency, nature, and effects of naturally occurring appearance-focused social comparisons. *Behavior Therapy*, 38, 132-143.
44. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Claffey, S. T., & Williams, S. L. (2006). The moderating role of gender and gender role attitudes on the link between spousal support and well-being. *Sex Roles*, 55, 73-82.
45. Harrington, E. F., Crowther, J. H., Payne, H. C., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2006). The relationships among trauma, stress, ethnicity, and binge eating. *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*, 12, 212-229.
46. Park, L. E., Crocker, J., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2004). Attachment styles and contingencies of self-worth. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 30, 1243-1254.
47. Williams, S. L., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2004). The nexus of domestic violence and poverty: Resilience in women's anxiety. *Violence Against Women*, 10, 283-293.
48. **Mickelson, K. D.** & Kubzansky, L. D. (2003). Social distribution of social support: The mediating role of life events. *American Journal of Community Psychology*, 32, 265-281.
49. Bassuk, E., **Mickelson, K. D.**, Bissell, H. D., & Perloff, J. (2002). Role of kin and non-kin support in low-income women's mental health. *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*, 72, 39-49.
50. **Mickelson, K. D.** (2001). Perceived stigma, social support, and depression. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 27, 1046-1056.
51. Kessler, R.C., Greenberg, P.E., **Mickelson, K.D.**, Meneades, L.M., & Wang, P.S. (2001). The effects of chronic medical conditions on work loss and work cutback. *Journal of Occupational and Environmental Medicine*, 43, 218-225.
52. Christiana, J. M., Gilman, S. E., Guardino, M., **Mickelson, K.**, Morselli, P. L., Olfson, M., & Kessler, R. C. (2000). Duration between onset and time of obtaining initial treatment among people with anxiety and mood disorders: An international survey of members of mental health patient advocate groups. *Psychological Medicine*, 30, 693-703.
53. Wang, P. S., Gilman, S. E., Guardino, M., Christiana, J. M., Morselli, P. L., **Mickelson, K.**, & Kessler, R. C. (2000). Initiation and adherence to treatment for mental disorders: Examination of patient advocate group members in eleven countries. *Medical Care*, 38, 926-936.
54. Kessler, R. C., **Mickelson, K. D.**, & Williams, D. (1999). The prevalence, distribution, and mental health correlates of perceived discrimination in the United States. *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*, 40, 208-230. (Google Scholar Cites: 3,233)

55. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Wroble, M., & Helgeson, V. S. (1999). "Why my child?": Parental attributions for children's special needs. *Journal of Applied Social Psychology*, 29, 1263-1292.
56. Lyons, R. F., **Mickelson, K. D.**, Sullivan, M. J. L., & Coyne, J. C. (1998). Coping as a communal process. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 15, 579-605.  
(Google Scholar Cites: 1,011)
57. Kessler, R. C., **Mickelson, K. D.**, & Zhao, S. (1997). Patterns and correlates of self-help group membership in the United States. *Social Policy*, 27, 27-46.
58. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Kessler, R. C., & Shaver, P. R. (1997). Adult attachment in a nationally representative sample. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 73, 1092-1106.  
(Google Scholar Cites: 1,649)
59. Helgeson, V. S., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (1995). Motives for social comparison. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 21, 1200-1209.
60. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Helgeson, V. S., & Weiner, E. (1995). Gender effects on social support provision and receipt. *Personal Relationships*, 2, 211-224.

#### **Book Chapters:**

1. **Mickelson, K.D.** (2023). Social Class, neighborhoods, and romantic relationships. In B.G. Ogolsky (Ed.), *The Socio-Cultural Context of Romantic Relationships* (pp. 71-89). Cambridge University Press. <https://doi.org/10.1017/9781009158657.005>
  - Book won the 2024 IARR Book Award, which "recognizes an outstanding contribution to relationship science."
2. Gaines, S. O., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2022). Communication within culturally diverse families: The role of stigma, revisited. In A. Vangelisti (Ed.), *Handbook of Family Communication* (3<sup>rd</sup> edition) (pp. 187-200). New York: Taylor & Francis/Routledge.
3. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Chong, A., & Don, B.P. (2013). To thine own self be true: Impact of gender role and attitude mismatch on new mothers' mental health. In J. Marich (Ed.), *Psychology of Women: Diverse Perspectives from the Modern World* (pp. 1-15). Hauppauge, NY: Nova Science Publishers.
4. Gaines, S. O., Williams, S. L., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2013). Communication within culturally diverse families. In A. Vangelisti (Ed.), *Handbook of Family Communication* (2<sup>nd</sup> edition, pp. 205-221). New York: Taylor & Francis/Routledge.
5. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Donahue, M., & Biehle, S. (2009). Mismatching of gender role attitudes and role status on health. In J. H. Ulrich & B. T. Cosell (Eds.), *Handbook on Gender Roles: Conflicts, Behavior and Attitudes* (pp. 299-315). Hauppauge, NY: Nova Science Publishers.
6. **Mickelson, K. D.**, & Claffey, S. T. (2005). Mechanisms in the relation between urbanicity and gender on distress. In L. V. Kinger (Ed.), *Focus on Lifestyle and Health Research* (pp. 151-186). Hauppauge, NY: Nova Science Publishers.
  - a. **Mickelson, K. D.**, & Claffey, S. T. (2007). (republished) Mechanisms in the relation between urbanicity and gender on distress. In A. J. Lauber (Ed.), *Gender Identity, Psychology, and Lifestyle* (pp. 159-194). Hauppauge, NY: Nova Science Publishers.

7. Kessler, R. C., **Mickelson, K. D.**, Walters, E. E., Zhao, S., & Hamilton, L. (2004). Age and depression in the MIDUS survey. In O. G. Brim, C. D. Ryff, & R. C. Kessler (Eds.), *How Healthy Are We?: A National Study of Well-Being at Midlife* (pp. 227-251). Chicago: University of Chicago.
8. Kessler, R. C., **Mickelson, K. D.**, Barber, C., & Wang, P. (2001). The association between chronic medical conditions and work impairment. In A. Rossi (Ed.), *Caring and Doing for Others: Social Responsibility in the Domains of Family, Work and Community* (pp. 403-426). Chicago: University of Chicago.
9. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Lyons, R. F., Sullivan, M. J. L., & Coyne, J. C. (2001). Yours, mine, ours: The relational context of communal coping. In B. R. Sarason & S. W. Duck (Eds.), *Personal Relationships: Implications for Clinical and Community Psychology* (pp. 181-200). Sussex, United Kingdom: Wiley & Sons.
10. Helgeson, V. S., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2000). Coping with chronic illness among the elderly: Maintaining self-esteem. In S. B. Manuck, J. R. Jennings, B. S. Rabin, & A. Baum (Eds.), *Behavior, Health, and Aging* (pp. 153-178). Hillsdale, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum.
11. **Mickelson, K.D.** (1997). Seeking social support: Parents in electronic support groups. In S. Kiesler (Ed.), *Culture of the Internet* (pp. 157-178). Mahwah, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.
12. Clark, M. S., Helgeson, V. S., **Mickelson, K.**, & Pataki, S. P. (1994). Some cognitive structures and processes relevant to relationship functioning. In R. S. Wyer, Jr. & T. K. Srull (Eds.), *Handbook of Social Cognition: Volume 2. Applications* (pp. 189-238). Hillsdale, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum Associates.

#### ***Selected Manuscripts in Preparation/Under Review***

Nakamura, M., Simpson, J., Rholes, S., Don, B., & Mickelson, K. (revise & resubmit). Fluctuations in Partner Negative Behavior Predict Declines in Relationship Satisfaction. *Journal of Family Psychology*.

Seely, H., **Mickelson, K.D.**, & Chen, E. (under review). Emotionality stigma: Theoretical underpinnings of an emotion processing and socialization construct. *Emotion Review*.

#### ***Symposia Chaired***

1. *Stages of Romantic Relationships*. (2010, July). Symposium presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Herzilya, Israel. Role: Chair.
2. *Role of social class in personal relationships*. (2002, July) Symposium presented at the 11th International Conference on Personal Relationships, Halifax, Nova Scotia. Role: Chair.

#### ***Selected Published Abstracts and Paper/Poster Presentations:***

1. **Mickelson, K.D.**, Nelson-Coffey, K., Coffey, J., Lindstrom Johnson, S., Petrov, M., & Sheehan, C. *Connected but disconnected: Social media, sleep, and bonds in parent-adolescent dyads*. (2025, June). Innovations in Interpersonal Relationships and Health Research Conference, University of Zurich, Switzerland.
2. **Mickelson, K.D.** *Baby makes three: The changing face of marital love across the transition to parenthood*. (2024, January). International Conference on Love Studies.

3. **Mickelson, K. D.** *In it together or alone: Role of communal coping in new parents' postpartum depression.* (2021, September). Paper presentation at the International Association for Relationship Research's 2021 Virtual Conference.
4. **Don, B. P.,** Eller, J. Simpson, J. A., Fredrickson, B. L., Algoe, S. B., Rholes, S. W., & **Mickelson, K. D.** *New parental positivity: The role of positive emotions in promoting relational adjustment during the transition to parenthood.* (2021, February) Data Blitz presented at the Close Relationships Pre-Conference at The Society for Personality and Social Psychology Convention.
5. **Mickelson, K.D.,** Seely, H., Chambers, C., Doerhman, P., Stewart, C., & Stancl, R. (2019, August) *Racial disparities in low birth weight: Discrimination, resilience, & biomedical pathways in a sample of Black, Hispanic, and White pregnant women.* Poster presented at the CommonSpirit Health Research Conference, Sacramento, California.
6. **Seely, H., & Mickelson, K.D.** (2019, July). *The emotionality effect: The role of parent emotion expression in child mental health.* Data Blitz presented at the International Association for Relationship Research's 2019 Mini Conference on Applied Relationship Science. Brighton, UK.
7. **Shehadeh, K.K., & Mickelson, K. D.** (2019, July) *Role of Parenting Self-Efficacy and Age on Communal Coping in First-Time Parents.* Poster presented at the International Association for Relationship Research's 2019 Mini Conference on Applied Relationship Science. Brighton, UK.
8. **Mickelson, K.D., & Marcussen, K.** (2019, July) *To Work or Not to Work: Impact of Work/Home Stigma & Balance on First-Time Parents' Relationship Satisfaction.* Data Blitz presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Brighton, England.
9. **Seely, H., & Mickelson, K.D.** (2019, April). *Trauma, depression, and the parent-child relationship.* Paper presentation at the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association's 2019 Convention. Denver, CO.
10. **Seely, H., & Mickelson, K.D.** (2019, April). *The Emotionality Effect: The Role of Parent Emotion Expression in Child Mental Health.* Paper presented at the Western Psychological Association's 2019 Convention. Pasadena, CA.
11. **Shehadeh, K.K., & Mickelson, K. D.** (2019, April) *Role of Parenting Self-Efficacy and Age on Communal Coping in First-Time Parents.* Poster presented at the Western Psychological Association's 2019 Convention. Pasadena, CA.
12. **Liu, X. & Mickelson, K. D.** (2019, April). *The Impact of Individualism vs. Collectivism on Acculturation and Adjustment Among Hispanic Americans.* Poster presented at the 89th Annual Convention of the Rocky Mountain Psychological Association, Denver, CO.
13. **Liu, X. & Mickelson, K. D.** (2019, April). *The Moderating Influence of Individualism vs. Collectivism in the Relationship between Acculturation and Adjustment.* Poster presented at the 99th Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association, Pasadena, CA.
14. **Mickelson, K.D.** (2019, February). *Positive Affect during the Transition to Parenthood: An Actor-Partner Interdependence Model Approach.* Poster presented at the Society for Personality & Social Psychology Conference, Portland, Oregon.

15. Anderson, H., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2018, July). *Maternal Resilience as a Protective Factor between Financial Stress and Child Well-Being*. Poster presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Fort Collins, Colorado.
16. Malouf, L., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2018, July). *The Moderating of Religiosity on Role of Mental Health Stigma and Indirect Support Seeking*. Poster presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Fort Collins, Colorado.
17. Schodt, K., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2018, July). *Prior Stress Exposure as a Resilience Factor in New Parents' Adjustment*. Poster presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Fort Collins, Colorado.
18. Quiroz, S., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2018, July). *Self-Perceived Partner Treatment and Positive Affect in New Parents*. Poster presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Fort Collins, Colorado.
19. Bermudez, A., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2017, June). *Examining Coping Differences: A Look at Individual and Communal Coping's Impact within the Mental Health of Dyads*. Poster presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Mini-Conference, Syracuse, New York.
20. Jenkins, D., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2017, June). *The Role of Parent Gender and Gender Attitudes on Infant Gendering*. Paper presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Mini-Conference, Syracuse, New York.
21. Shields, B., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2017, June). *Gender Differences in Predictors of Spousal Support among Men and Women with Recent PTSD*. Paper presented at the International Association for Relationship Research Mini-Conference, Syracuse, New York.
22. Cortez, L., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2016, July). *The Impact of Support Provision and Support Acknowledgement on Relationship Satisfaction*. Paper presented at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Toronto, Canada.
23. Covarrubias, J., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2016, July). *Transition to Parenthood in Couples: The Role of Communal Parenting on Relationship Satisfaction and Distress*. Paper presented at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Toronto, Canada.
24. **Mickelson, K.D.**, Biehle, S., Chong, A., & Gordon, A. (2016, July). *Perceived Stigma of Postpartum Depression in First-Time Parents: A Dual-Pathway Model*. Paper presented at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Toronto, Canada.
25. **Mickelson, K.D.**, Chong, A., Biehle, S., Don, B., & Gordon, A. (2016, July). *Postpartum Distress in First-Time Parents: An Actor-Partner Interdependence Model Approach*. Paper presented at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Toronto, Canada.
26. **Mickelson, K.D.** (2016, July). *Coping together: Benefits of communal coping among couples with chronic illness*. Discussant for symposium presented at the 8<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Toronto, Canada.
27. Gordon, A. & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2016, March). *A preliminary test for egalitarian essentialism in the general population of the United States*. Paper presented at the Association for Women in Psychology Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.

28. Chong, A., Biehle, S.N., Kooiman, L.Y., **Mickelson, K.D.** (2015, May). *The conditional effects of home-work conflict on mental health benefits of breastfeeding*. Oral presentation at the annual conference for Work, Stress, and Health, convened by the American Psychological Association and the Society for Occupational Health Psychology, Atlanta, GA.
29. Don, B. P., Chong, A. K., Biehle, S. N., Gordon, A. & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2014, July). *Anxiety across the transition to parenthood: Change trajectories among low-risk parents*. Talk presented at the International Association of Relationships Research Conference, Melbourne, Australia.
30. Kooiman, L.Y., Chong-Kiskowski, A., Biehle, S.N., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2014, May). *Investigating breastfeeding expectations and efficacy in first-time mothers*. Poster presented at the Midwestern Psychological Association Conference, Chicago, IL.
31. Schumacher, C., Biehle, S.N., Don, B.P., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2014, May). *Argument topics and frequency in first-time mothers and fathers*. Poster presented at the Midwestern Psychological Association Conference, Chicago, IL.
32. **Mickelson, K.D.**, & Hazlett, E. (2014, February). *“Why me”: Low-income women’s poverty attributions, depression, and social class perceptions*. Poster presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Society for Personality and Social Psychology Conference, Austin, Texas.
33. Chong, A. & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2012, July). *The Moderating Role of Distance in the Link between Social Support and Mental Health in the Transition to Parenthood*. Poster presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Chicago, Illinois.
34. Don, B. & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2012, July). *Relationship Satisfaction Across the Transition to Parenthood: Do All New Parents Experience Declines?* Poster presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Chicago, Illinois.
35. Rife, S. & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2012, July). *Stress and Support Seeking in a Sample of Low-Income Women*. Paper presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Chicago, Illinois.
36. Rife, S. & **Mickelson, K.D.**, Kosinski, M., & Stillwell, D. (2012, July). *Facebook Networks and Local Population Parameters*. Poster presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Chicago, Illinois.
37. Don, B.P. & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2011, August). *Paternal Postpartum Depression: The Role of Maternal Postpartum Depression, Spousal Support and Relationship Satisfaction*. Poster presented at the American Psychological Association 119th Annual Convention, Washington, D.C.
38. Biehle, S. N. & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2011, May). *Personal and Co-Parent Predictors of Parenting Efficacy across the Transition to Parenthood*. Poster presented at the Association for Psychological Science, Washington, DC.
39. **Mickelson, K.D.** (2010, July). *Social Network Substitution: Reliance on Minor Children for Support*. Poster presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Herzilya, Israel.
40. **Mickelson, K.D.**, & Biehle, S. N. (2010, July). *Transition to Parenthood in Couples: The Role of Communal Responsibility on Relationship Satisfaction and Couple Distress*. Paper presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Herzilya, Israel.

41. Biehle, S. N., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2010, March). *The impact of worries on mental health in expectant parents*. Poster presented at the American Psychosomatic Society, Portland, Oregon.
42. Donahue, M., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2008, July). *The role of positive emotions in the link between negative emotions and marital interactions*. Poster presented at the 4<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Providence, Rhode Island.
43. Claffey, S., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2008, July). *Division of household labor and distress: The role of perceived fairness and spillover for working mothers*. Poster presented at the 4<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Providence, Rhode Island.
44. Biehle, S., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2008, July). *The impact of discordant gender role attitudes in married couples*. Paper presented at the 4<sup>th</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Providence, Rhode Island.
45. Deichert, N.T., **Mickelson, K.D.**, Hughes, J.W., Waechter, D., Rosneck, J., & Josephson, R. (2007, March). *Depression as a mediator of the social support-physical functioning relationship in a sample of patients with congestive heart failure*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Behavioral Medicine, Washington, D.C.
46. **Mickelson, K.D.** (2006, July). *Stigma of poverty and mental health: Role of interpersonal and intrapersonal factors*. Paper presented at the 3<sup>rd</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Crete, Greece.
47. Leahey, T. M., Crowther, J. H., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2005, November). *An ecological momentary assessment of the effects of appearance-focused social comparisons on women's affect and cognitions*. Poster presented at the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Washington, D. C.
48. **Mickelson, K.D.** (2005, August). *Mothering in academia: Concerns, challenges, and triumphs among academic psychologists*. Roundtable presentation at the 2005 American Psychological Association Conference, Washington, D.C.
49. Williams, S. L., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2004, July). *Between and within gender differences in spousal support and well being*. Paper presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Madison, Wisconsin.
50. Deichert, N. T., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2004, July). *Relation of emotional spousal support to physical health is mediated by psychological well being and depression*. Poster presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Madison, Wisconsin.
51. Tabak, M. A., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2004, July). *Religiosity, social support, and distress in a nationally representative sample*. Paper presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Madison, Wisconsin.
52. Claffey, S. T., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2004, July). *Gender attitudes and division of household labor among married couples: Effects of attitude discordance and perceived fairness*. Paper presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> International Association for Relationship Research Conference, Madison, Wisconsin.
53. **Mickelson, K. D.** (2003, May). *The haves and have nots: Implications of socioeconomic status for social relationships and health*. Invited presentation at the 75<sup>th</sup> Midwestern Psychological Association Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois.

54. Park, L.E., Crocker, J., & **Mickelson, K.D.** (2003, May). *Attachment styles and contingencies of self-worth*. Presentation at the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Psychological Society, Atlanta, Georgia.
55. Deichert, N. T., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2003, March). *The relation of interpersonal and non-interpersonal stress to perceived support and health outcomes*. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine's 24th Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, Utah.
56. Williams, S. L., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2002, July). *Domestic violence in intimate relationships and mental health: Test of a mediation model in a nationally representative sample of women with a focus on socioeconomic status*. Paper presented at the 11th International Conference on Personal Relationships, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
57. **Mickelson, K.D.** (2002, July). *Role of social class in personal relationships*. Paper presented at the 11th International Conference on Personal Relationships, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
58. Williams, S. L., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2001, June). *Domestic violence in intimate relationships: The mediating effect of social and cognitive resilience on anxiety in a sample of low-income women*. Paper presented at the International Network on Personal Relationships Conference, Prescott, Arizona.
59. Bissell, H. D., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (2001, June). *The effects of gender attitudes on spousal support and mental health*. Paper presented at the International Network on Personal Relationships Conference, Prescott, Arizona.
60. **Mickelson, K. D.** (2001, June). *Race/ethnic variations in the relationship between social support and mental health among low-income women*. Paper presented at the International Network on Personal Relationships Conference, Prescott, Arizona.
61. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Bissell, H. D., & Bassuk, E. (2001, March). *Role of kin versus non-kin support in low-income women's mental health*. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society, Monterey, California. *Psychosomatic Medicine*, 63, 149.
62. **Mickelson, K. D.**, & Williams, S. L. (2001, March). *Role of urbanicity in risk factors for mental health among poor women*. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society, Monterey, California. *Psychosomatic Medicine*, 63, 144.
63. Lyons, R. F., **Mickelson, K. D.**, Sullivan, M. J. L., & Coyne, J. C. (1999, July). *Coping as a communal process*. Paper presented at the 20<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the Stress and Anxiety Research Society, Krakow, Poland.
64. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Kubzansky, L., & Hamilton, L. (1999, June). *Role of life events in the relation between socioeconomic status and social support, Vol. 1, pg. 10*. Paper presented at the International Network on Personal Relationships Conference, Louisville, Kentucky.
65. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Kubzansky, L., & Hamilton, L. (1999, March). *Differential distribution of social support as an explanation for the link between socioeconomic status and health*. Poster presented at the 20<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, California. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 21, S166.
66. **Mickelson, K. D.** (1998, June). *Adult attachment differences in vulnerability to undesirable life events, Vol. 9, pg. 24*. Paper presented at the 9th International Conference on Personal Relationships, Saratoga Springs, New York.

67. Crocker, J. & **Mickelson, K. D.** (1997, October). *Psychological correlates of self-esteem: Adult attachment differences*. Paper presented at the Society for Experimental Social Psychology Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada.
68. **Mickelson, K. D.** (1996, August). *Coping as a communal process, Vol. 8, pg. 25*. Paper presented at the 8th International Conference on Personal Relationships, Banff, Alberta.
69. **Mickelson, K. D.** (1996, August). *Implications of stressor visibility and perceived stigma on social support processes, Vol. 8, pg. 43*. Paper presented at the 8th International Conference on Personal Relationships, Banff, Alberta.
70. **Mickelson, K. D.** (1996, June). *Users of Internet support groups have poorer social relationships than non-users, Vol. 8, pg. 57*. Poster presented at the American Psychological Society Conference, San Francisco, California.
71. **Mickelson, K. D.** (1995, June). *Effects of stressor visibility and perceived stigma on social support processes, Vol. 5, pg. 41*. Poster presented at the International Network on Personal Relationships Conference, Williamsburg, Virginia.
72. Lyons, R. F., & **Mickelson, K. D.** (1994, July). *Stressful life events and communal coping processes, Vol. 7, pg. 20*. Paper presented at the 7th International Conference on Personal Relationships, Groningen, Netherlands.
73. **Mickelson, K. D.** (1994, May). *The common bond motive in social comparison*. Paper presented at the International Network on Personal Relationships May Meeting, Iowa City, Iowa.
74. **Mickelson, K. D.**, Helgeson, V. S., & Weiner, E. (1993, June). *Sex differences in support provision, Vol. 4, pg. 67*. Paper presented at the International Network on Personal Relationships Conference, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
75. **Mickelson, K. D.**, & Helgeson, V. S. (1993, April). *Link among direction of social comparison, self-esteem, gender, and the motives for social comparison, Vol. 64, pg. 23*. Paper presented at the Eastern Psychological Association Annual Conference, Washington, D.C.

***Invited Colloquia or Talks:***

University of Michigan, November, 1995  
 Dalhousie University, April, 1997  
 Midwestern Psychological Association's 75th Annual Conference, 2003  
 Pennsylvania State University – Beaver Campus, March, 2005  
 Ursuline College, April 2008  
 Northeast Ohio Medical University, January 2009  
 Psi Beta Induction Ceremony, Glendale Community College, November 2014  
 University of Florence, February 2015  
 International Studies Institute of Florence, Italy, February 2015  
 Northern Arizona University, April 2017; November 2017; November 2019  
 University of Arizona, January 2018  
 Carnegie Mellon University, September 2022  
 Carnegie Mellon University, March 2023

***Mentoring:***

Primary advisor for 13 PhD students (Kent State University)  
Primary advisor for over 50 Master's students (ASU)  
Primary advisor for 6 Honors thesis students (ASU)

***University Service:***

Committee on Academic Freedom and Tenure, West Campus Representative  
New College Convocation Advisory Committee  
New College Dean's Post-Tenure Audit Committee  
Reviewer, Grad College Completion Fellowship  
Reviewer, Grad College Outstanding Faculty Masters Mentor Award  
University Hearing Board

***Teaching Experience:***

*Social Psychology*, Undergraduate  
*Inequality in Societies*, Undergraduate  
*Interpersonal Relationships*, Undergraduate  
*Psychology of Gender*, Undergraduate  
*Advanced Social Psychology*, Graduate  
*Gender and Social Class Seminar*, Graduate  
*Psychosocial Aspects of Health Psychology*, Graduate  
*Multivariate Statistics*, Graduate