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EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University	2022-present
Assistant Professor Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University	2016-present
Cancer Research Training Award Postdoctoral Fellow Behavioral Research Program, National Cancer Institute	2013-2015

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Social Psychology University of Utah	2013
M.S., Social Psychology University of Utah	2010
B.A., <i>Magna Cum Laude</i> , University Honors in Psychology American University	2008

HONORS, AWARDS, & EXPERIENCE

2021	Center for Teaching and Learning Faculty Fellow for the 2021-2022 academic year, Kent State University (one course release)
2019	Academic Year Research and Creative Activity Appointment for 2019-2020, Kent State University (two course releases)
2018	Faculty Fellowship, Applied Psychology Center, Kent State University (one course release)
2018	Recipient of the <i>National Cancer Institute's Director's Award</i> for Oversight of Programmatic Vision-Skin Cancer and UV Protective Behaviors Research Team. Recognized for accomplishments "For Leadership in the Development of New Frameworks, Methodologies and Initiatives to Advance Research on Skin Cancer and UV Protective Behaviors"
2018	Selected to participate in the 6-day "2018 MGH Workshop on Research Methods in Supportive Oncology," Boston, MA. Funded by the National Cancer Institute R25
2017	Selected to participate in the 3-day "2017 Sandpit Workshop: Knowledge Integration Across Health Domains, Professions, and Nations to Advance Cancer Prevention," hosted by the National Cancer Institute and Cancer Research UK
2017	Early Career Faculty Fellowship, Applied Psychology Center, Kent State University (one course release).
2015	Travel Award to attend the Special Conference: "Translating Cancer Epidemiology: From Cells to the Clinic and Population" – \$500, Huntsman Cancer Institute
2013	Travel Award from the Melanoma Genetics Consortium to attend annual meeting
2013	All-around Commendation for Research, Teaching, and Service, Department of Psychology, University of Utah

- 2013 Third prize at the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Student Research Day for the poster, “Beliefs about Mood-Enhancing Benefits of Sun Exposure Predict Behavior among Adults Ages 18 to 88” – \$100, University of Utah
- 2013 Herbert W. Gustafson Graduate Fellowship for the quantitative study of human social behavior – \$6500, University of Utah
- 2012 Clayton Award for Excellence in Research – \$2813.56, Department of Psychology, University of Utah
- 2012 Commendation for Service, Department of Psychology, University of Utah
- 2012 Commendation for Research, Department of Psychology, University of Utah
- 2011 Professional Development Award – \$250, Department of Psychology, University of Utah
- 2011 Preliminary exams passed with Distinction
- 2007 Phi Beta Kappa Society
- 2006 Alpha Lambda Delta National Honor Society
- 2005 Psi Chi (Honor Society of Psychology)
- 2004 Presidential Scholarship, American University

EXTERNAL GRANT FUNDING

- April 2022 \$300,000
 National Science Foundation, Organizational Change for Gender Equity in STEM Academic Professions (ADVANCE)
Who is Counted and What Counts: Tracking Women’s Engagement in Low-Prestige/High-Workload Service Activities at Kent State University
 PI: Clarissa Thompson
 Role: Key Personnel

- September 2020 \$200,000
 U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences (Unsolicited mechanism)
An educational intervention to combat whole number bias in risk perceptions in an ambiguous health context: COVID-19
 Lead PI: Clarissa Thompson. Co-PIs: Jennifer Taber, Percival Matthews, Pooja Sidney, Karin Coifman

- June 2017 £39,999.92 (\$52,849.09)
 Cancer Research UK—International Innovation Grants
RESET Sleep: Regulating Exercise, Substance Use, and Eating through Sleep
 Role: Lead Investigator

INTERNAL FUNDING

- March 2021 \$3,500
 Kent State University – University Research Council
COVID-19 Attitudes, Behaviors, and Well-Being: A 1-Year Follow-up
 Role: PI; Co-Is: Clarissa Thompson, Karin Coifman

- March 2020 \$10,000
 Kent State University – Applied Psychology Center, Large Research Award
An Educational Intervention to Combat Whole Number Bias in Risk Perceptions in an Ambiguous Health Context: COVID-19
 Role: Co-Investigator; PI: Clarissa Thompson; Co-I: Karin Coifman

- March 2020 \$25,000
 Kent State University – Healthy Communities Research Initiative Launch Pad Award
Math Matters: Improving Children’s Numeracy as a Precursor to Better Health Outcomes
 Role: Co-Investigator; PI: Clarissa Thompson; Co-I: Karrie Godwin

May 2017

\$25,000

Kent State University – Healthy Communities Research Initiative Transdisciplinary “Launch Pad” Awards

Translating knowledge of risk perceptions to improve prognostic awareness measurement among terminally ill patients

Role: PI; Co-Is: Clare Stacey, Denice Sheehan

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

*Graduate student author, **Undergraduate student author.

71. Simonovic, N.*, **Taber, J. M.**, Scherr, C.L., Dean, M. Hua, J., Howell, J.L., Chaudhry, B.M., Wain, K.E., & Politi, M. (accepted for publication). Uncertainty in healthcare and health decision making: Five methodological and conceptual research recommendations from an interdisciplinary team. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*.
70. Disabato, D.J., Aurora, P.*, Sidney, P.G., **Taber, J.M.**, Thompson, C.A., & Coifman, K.G. (accepted for publication). Taking care with self-care during COVID-19: Affect-behavior associations during early stages of the pandemic. *Health Psychology*. preprint: <https://psyarxiv.com/eycmj/>.
69. Mielicki, M.K., Fitzsimmons, C.J.*, Schiller, L.K., Scheibe, D.,* **Taber, J.M.**, Sidney, P.G., Coifman, K.G., Matthews, P.G., Waters, E.A., & Thompson, C.A. (accepted for publication). Adults' COVID-19 Problem Solving Is Facilitated by Number Lines, But Not Risk Ladders and Icon Arrays. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied*. preprint: <https://psyarxiv.com/h3stw/>.
68. **Taber, J.M.**, Updegraff, J.A., Sidney, P.G., O'Brien, A.G.*, & Thompson, C.A. (accepted for publication). Experimental Tests of Hypothetical Monetary Lottery Incentives on Unvaccinated Adults' COVID-19 Vaccination Intentions. *Health Psychology*.
67. Seah, T. H. S.*, Sidney, P.G., **Taber, J.M.**, Thompson, C.A., & Coifman, K. G. (accepted for publication). Emotional Complexity Under High Stress: Do Protective Associations for Risk Behaviors Persist Even During a Pandemic? *Emotion*.
66. Capps, K.*, Updegraff, J.A., Foust, J.L.*, O'Brien, A.G.*, **Taber, J.M.** (accepted for publication). Field Experiment of Signs Promoting Hand Hygiene During the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Health Psychology*.
65. Scheibe, D. A.*, Fitzsimmons, C. J.*, Mielicki, M. K., **Taber, J. M.**, Sidney, P. G., Coifman, K., & Thompson, C. A. (2022). Confidence in COVID problem solving: What factors predict adults' item-level metacognitive judgments on health-related math problems before and after an educational intervention? *Metacognition and Learning*.
64. Thompson, C.A., Mielicki, M.K., Rivera, F., Fitzsimmons, C.J.*, Scheibe, D.A.*, Sidney, P.G., **Taber, J.M.**, & Waters, E.A. (accepted for publication). Leveraging Math Cognition to Combat Health Innumeracy. *Perspectives in Psychological Science*.
63. Simonovic, N.* & **Taber, J.M.** (2021). Psychological Impact of Ambiguous Health Messages about COVID-19. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*.
62. Thompson, C.A., **Taber, J.M.**, Sidney, P.G., Fitzsimmons, C.J.*, Mielicki, M.K., Matthews, P.G., Schemmel, E. A., Simonovic, N.*, Foust, J.L.*, Aurora, P.*, Disabato, D.J., Seah, T.H.S.*, Schiller, L. & Coifman, K.G. (2021). Math matters: A novel, brief educational intervention decreases whole number bias when reasoning about COVID-19. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied*, 27(4), 632–656. Special Issue on Risk Perception, Communication, and Decision Making in the Time of COVID.

61. Simonovic, N.* & **Taber, J.M.** (2021). Effects of construal level on responses to ambiguous health information about alcohol consumption. *Health Communication*. Advance online publication, July 2, 2021. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2021.1945197>
60. Coifman, K.G., Disabato, D.J., Aurora, P.* , Seah, T.H.S.* , Simonovic, N.* , Foust, J.L.* , Sidney, P.G., Thompson, C.A., & **Taber, J.M.**. (2021). What drives preventive health behavior during a global pandemic? Emotion and worry. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 55(8), 791-804. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ABM/KAAB048>
JMT is senior author on this submission
59. Peterson, E.B., **Taber, J.M.**, Klein, W.M.P. (2021). Information avoidance, self-affirmation, and intentions to receive genomic sequencing results among members of an African descent cohort. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*. Advance online publication, June 5, 2021. <https://doi.org/10.1093/abm/kaab042>
58. Huelsnitz, C.O., Turbitt, E., **Taber, J.M.**, Lewis, K.L., Biesecker, L.G., Biesecker, B.B., & Klein, W.M.P. (2021). Dyadic concordance and associations of beliefs with intentions to learn carrier results from genomic sequencing. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*. Advance online publication, May 13, 2021 <https://doi.org/10.1007/S10865-021-00222-0> (IF: 2.960)
57. Thompson, C.A., **Taber, J.M.**, Fitzsimmons, C.J.* , Sidney, P.G. (2021). Math Predictors of Numeric Health and Non-Health Decision-Making Problems. *Journal of Numerical Cognition*, 7(2), 221-229. <https://doi.org/10.5964/jnc.6545> (IF: N/A)
56. Waters, E.A., Foust, J.L.* , Scherer, L.D., McQueen, A., & **Taber, J.M.** (2021). Adherence of Internet-Based Cancer Risk Assessment Tools to Best Practices in Risk Communication: Content Analysis. *Journal of Medical Internet Research*, 23(1):e23318. (IF: 5.428)
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55. Seaman, E.L., Robinson, C.D., Crane, D., **Taber, J.M.**, Ferrer, R.A., Harris, P.R., & Klein, W.M.P. (2021). Spontaneous but not Induced Self-Affirmation is Associated with Smoking Cessation in a Mobile App Intervention. *Journal of Medical Internet Research*, 23(3):e18433. <https://doi.org/10.2196/18433> (IF: 5.428)
54. **Taber, J.M.**, Stacey, C.L., Sheehan, D.K. (2021). Understanding Hospice Patients' Beliefs about their Life Expectancy: A Qualitative Interview Study. *American Journal of Hospice and Palliative Medicine*, 38(3), 238-245. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1049909120948486> (IF: 2.500)
53. Waters, E.A., **Taber, J.M.**, McQueen, A., Houston, A.J., Studts, J.L., Scherer, L.D (2020). Translating cancer risk prediction models into personalized cancer risk assessment tools: Stumbling blocks and strategies for success. *Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention*, 29(12), 2389-2394. <https://doi.org/10.1158/1055-9965.EPI-20-0861> (IF: 4.254)
52. Ferrer, R.A., **Taber, J.M.**, Sheeran, P., Bryan, A.D., Cameron, L.D., Peters, E., Lerner, J.L., Grenen, E., & Klein, W.M.P. (2020). The role of incidental affective states in appetitive risk behavior: A meta-analysis. *Health Psychology*, 39(12), 1109-1124. <https://doi.org/10.1037/HEA0001019> (IF: 4.267)
51. **Taber, J.M.**, Cribbet, M.R., Cadmus-Bertram, L., Mays, D., Smith, M.E.B., Rana, B. & Paljarvi, T. (2021). Associations among sleep and cancer risk behaviors: A scoping review of experimental studies in healthy adult populations. *International Journal of Behavioral Medicine*, 28, 162-176. <https://doi.org/10.1007/S12529-020-09892-7> (IF: 2.229)
50. **Taber, J.M.**, Aspinwall, L.G., Drummond, D. Stump, T.K., Kohlmann, W., & Leachman, S.A. (2020). Priority of risk (but not perceived magnitude of risk) predicts improved sun-protection behavior following

- melanoma genetic counseling. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 55(1), 24-40.
<https://doi.org/10.1093/ABM/KAAA028> (IF: 4.908)
49. Choi, S.**, **Taber, J.M.**, Thompson, C.A., Sidney, P.G. (2020). Math anxiety, but not induced stress, is associated with objective numeracy. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied*, 26(4), 604-619.
<https://doi.org/10.1037/XAP0000268> (IF: 2.541)
48. Simonovic, N.*, **Taber, J.M.**, Ferrer, R.A., Klein, W.M.P. (2020). Evidence that perceptions of and tolerance for medical ambiguity are distinct constructs: An analysis of nationally representative U.S. data. *Health Expectations*, 23(3), 603-613. <https://doi.org/10.1111/HEX.13037> (IF: 3.377)
47. Stump, T.K., Aspinwall, L.G., Drummond, D., **Taber, J.M.**, Kohlmann, W., Champine, M., Cassidy, P.B., Petrie, T., Liley, B., & Leachman, S.A. (2020). *CDKN2A* testing and genetic counseling promote reductions in objectively-measured sun exposure one year later. *Genetics in Medicine*, 22(1), 26-34.
<https://doi.org/10.1038/S41436-019-0608-9> (IF: 8.882)
46. Thai, C.L., Rice, E.L., **Taber, J.M.**, Kaufman, A.R., Klein, W.M.P. (2020). Implicit Theories of Smoking and Association Interest in Quitting Among Current Smokers. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*, 43, 544-552.
<https://doi.org/10.1007/S10865-019-00058-9> (IF: 2.960)
45. Sidney, P.G., Thompson, C.A., Fitzsimmons, C.*, **Taber, J.M.** (2019). Children's and Adults' Math Attitudes Are Differentiated by Number Type. *The Journal of Experimental Education*. Advance online publication, September 12, 2019. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00220973.2019.1653815> (IF: 2.623)
44. **Taber, J.M.**, Ellis, E., Ferrer, R.A., Reblin, M., Ellington, L. (2019). Knowledge of and beliefs about palliative care in a nationally-representative U.S. sample. *PLoS One*, 14(8):e0219074.
<https://doi.org/10.1371/JOURNAL.PONE.0219074> (IF: 3.240)
43. **Taber, J.M.**, McQueen, A. Simonovic, N.*, Waters, E.A. (2019). Adapting a self-affirmation intervention for use in a mobile application: Smokers who self-affirm report greater intentions to smoke. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*, 42(6), 1050-1061. <https://doi.org/10.1007/S10865-019-00028-1> (IF: 2.960)
42. Turbitt, E., Roberts, M.C., **Taber, J.M.**, Waters, E.A., McNeel, T.S., Biesecker, B.B. Klein, W.M.P. (2019). Genetic counseling, genetic testing, and risk perceptions for breast and colorectal cancer: Results from the 2015 National Health Interview Survey. *Preventive Medicine*, 123, 12-19.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/J.YPMED.2019.02.027> (IF: 3.788)
41. Thai, C.L., **Taber, J.M.**, Oh, A., Segar, M.L., Blake, K., & Patrick, H. (2019). "Keep it Realistic": Recommendations for Physical Activity Promotion Messages From Focus Groups of Ethnically Diverse Women. *American Journal of Health Promotion*, 33(6), 903-911.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0890117119826870> (IF: 2.870)
40. **Taber, J.M.**, Dickerman, B.A., Okhovat, J.P., Geller, A.C., Dwyer, L.A., Hartman, A.M., Perna, F.M. (2018). Skin Cancer Interventions Across the Cancer Control Continuum: Review of technology, environment, and theory. *Preventive Medicine*, 111, 451-458. <https://doi.org/10.1016/J.YPMED.2017.12.019> (IF: 4.018)
39. Geller, A.C., Dickerman, B.A., **Taber, J.M.**, Dwyer, L.A., Hartman, A.M., Perna, F.A. (2018). Skin Cancer Interventions Across the Cancer Control Continuum: A Review of Experimental Evidence (1/12000-6/30/2015) and Future Research Directions. *Preventive Medicine*, 111, 442-450.
<https://doi.org/10.1016/J.YPMED.2018.01.018> (IF: 4.018)
38. Turbitt, E., Roberts, M.C., Ferrer, R.A., **Taber, J.M.**, Lewis, K.L., Biesecker, L.G., Biesecker, B.B., & Klein, W.M.P. (2018). Intentions to share exome sequencing results with family members: Exploring spousal beliefs and attitudes. *European Journal of Human Genetics*, 26(5), 735-739.

<https://doi.org/10.1038/S41431-018-0118-2> (IF: 4.246)

37. Roberts, M.C., **Taber, J.M.**, & Klein, W.M.P. (2018). Engagement with genetic information and uptake of genetic testing: The role of trust and personal cancer history. *Journal of Cancer Education*, 33(4), 893-900. <https://doi.org/10.1007/S13187-016-1160-9> (IF: 2.037)
36. Ellis, E.M., Ferrer, R.A., **Taber, J.M.**, & Klein, W.M.P. (2018). Relationship of “don’t know” responses to cancer knowledge and belief questions with colorectal cancer screening behavior, *Health Psychology*, 37(4), 394-398. <https://doi.org/10.1037/HEA0000587> (IF: 4.267)
35. Aspinwall, L.G., Stump, T.K., **Taber, J.M.**, Drummond, D.M., Kohlmann, W., Champine, M., Leachman, S.A. (2018). Genetic test reporting of CDKN2A provides informational and motivational benefits for managing melanoma risk. *Translational Behavioral Medicine*, 8(1), 29-43. <https://doi.org/10.1093/TBM/IBX011> (IF: 3.046)
34. Reid, A.E., **Taber, J.M.**, Ferrer, R.A., Biesecker, B.B., Lewis, K.L., Biesecker, L.G., & Klein, W.M.P. (2018). Associations of perceived norms with intentions to learn genomic sequencing results: Roles for attitudes and ambivalence. *Health Psychology*, 37(6), 553-561. <https://doi.org/10.1037/HEA0000579> (IF: 4.267)
33. Geller, A.C., Jablonski, N.G. Pagoto, S.L., Hay, J.L., Hillhouse, J., Buller, D.B. Kenney, L., Robinson, J.K., Weller, R.B., Moreno, M.A., Gilchrest, B.A., Sinclair, C., Arndt, J., **Taber, J.M.**, Morris, K.L., Dwyer, L.A., Perna, F.M., Klein, W.M.P. & Suls, J.M. (2018). Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Sun Safety. *JAMA Dermatology*, 154(1), 88-92. <https://doi.org/10.1001/JAMADERMATOL.2017.4201> (IF: 10.282)
32. **Taber, J.M.**, Klein, W.M.P., Lewis, K.L., Johnston, J.J., Biesecker, L.G., & Biesecker, B.B. (2018). Reactions to clinical reinterpretation of a gene variant by participants in a sequencing study. *Genetics in Medicine*, 20(3), 337-345. <https://doi.org/10.1038/GIM.2017.88> (IF: 8.882)
31. **Taber, J.M.**, Klein, W.M.P., Persky, S., Ferrer, R.A., Kaufman, A.R., Thai, C.L., Harris, P.R. (2017). Interest in and Reactions to Genetic Risk Information: A Role for Implicit Theories and Self-Affirmation. *Social Science & Medicine*, 190, 101-110. <https://doi.org/10.1016/J.SOCSCIMED.2017.08.010> (IF: 4.634)
30. Scheideler, J.K., **Taber, J.M.**, Ferrer, R.A., Grenen, E.G., Klein, W.M.P. (2017). Heart Disease versus Cancer: Understanding Perceptions of Personal Risk and Population Prevalence. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*, 40(5), 839-845. <https://doi.org/10.1007/S10865-017-9860-0> (IF: 2.960)
29. Cameron, L.D., Biesecker, B.B., Peters, E., **Taber, J.M.**, Klein, W.M.P. (2017). Self-Regulation Principles Underlying Risk Perception and Decision Making within the Context of Genomic Testing. *Social and Personality Psychology Compass*;11:e12315. <https://doi.org/10.1111/SPC3.12315> (IF: N/A)
28. Segar, M.L., **Taber, J.M.**, Thai, C.L., Patrick, H., & Oh, A. (2017). Rethinking Physical Activity Communications: Using Focus Groups to Understand Women’s Goals, Values, and Beliefs to Improve Public Health. *BMC Public Health*, 17(1), 462. <https://doi.org/10.1186/S12889-017-4361-1> (IF: 3.295)
27. Perna, F.M., Dwyer, L.A., Tesauro, G., **Taber, J.M.**, Norton, W.E., Hartman, A.M., Geller, A.C. (2017). Research on Skin Cancer-Related Behaviors and Outcomes in the NIH Grant Portfolio, 2000-2014: Skin Cancer Intervention Across the Cancer Control Continuum (SCI-3C). *JAMA Dermatology*, 53(5), 398-405. <https://doi.org/10.1001/JAMADERMATOL.2016.6216> (IF: 10.282)
26. Leyva, B., **Taber, J.M.**, Trivedi, A. (2020). Medical Care Avoidance among Older Americans. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, 39(1), 74-85. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0733464817747415> (IF: 3.200)
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- age and cancer risk. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 51(2), 214-225. <https://doi.org/10.1007/S12160-016-9845-1> (IF: 4.908)
24. Klein, W.M.P., Grenen, E.G., O'Connell, M., Blanch-Hartigan, D., Chou, W.S., Hall, K.L., **Taber, J.M.**, Vogel, A.L. (2017). Integrating Knowledge across Domains to Advance the Science of Health Behavior: Overcoming Challenges and Facilitating Success. *Translational Behavioral Medicine*, 7(1), 98-105. <https://doi.org/10.1007/S13142-016-0433-5> (IF: 3.046)
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23. **Taber, J.M.**, Klein, W.M.P., Ferrer, R.A., Augustson, E., & Patrick, H. (2016). A pilot test of self-affirmations to promote smoking cessation in a national smoking cessation text messaging program. *JMIR mHealth & uHealth*, 4(2), e71. <https://doi.org/10.2196/MHEALTH.5635> (IF: 4.773)
22. Emanuel, A.S., Howell, J.L., **Taber, J.M.**, Ferrer, R.A., Klein, W.M.P., & Harris, P.R. (2018). Spontaneous self-affirmation is associated with psychological well-being: Evidence from a U.S. national adult survey sample. *Journal of Health Psychology*, 23(1), 95-102. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1359105316643595> (IF: 3.231)
21. **Taber, J.M.** & Klein, W.M.P. (2016). The role of conviction in personal risk perceptions: What can we learn from research on attitude certainty? *Social and Personality Psychology Compass*, 10(4), 202-218. <https://doi.org/10.1111/SPC3.12244> (IF: N/A)
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15. Aspinwall, L.G., Stump, T.K., **Taber, J.M.**, Leaf, S.L., Kohlmann, W., & Leachman, S.A. (2015). Impact of melanoma genetic test reporting on perceived control over melanoma prevention. *Journal of Behavioral Medicine*, 38, 754-765. <https://doi.org/10.1007/S10865-015-9631-8> (IF: 2.960)
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13. **Taber, J.M.**, Klein, W.M.P., Ferrer, R.A., Lewis, K.L., Harris, P.R., Shepperd, J.A., & Biesecker, L.G. (2015). Information avoidance tendencies, threat management resources, and interest in genetic sequencing feedback. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, *49*, 616-621. <https://doi.org/10.1007/S12160-014-9679-7> (IF: 4.908)
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BOOK CHAPTERS & ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES

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Aspinwall, L.G., **Taber, J.M.**, Kohlmann, W., & Bautista, L.B.* (2022). Psychological aspects of hereditary cancer risk counseling and genetic testing: Toward an expanded and more equitable view. In J. Steel & B. Carr (Eds.), *Psychological Aspects of Cancer*, 2e. Cham, Switzerland: Springer Nature.

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INFORMAL WRITING

- Blog post for the Society of Behavioral Medicine. [How Should a Person Be \(During a Pandemic\)?](#) April 13, 2020.
- Thompson, Taber, Coifman, & Sidney, April 2020. [Math misconceptions may lead people to underestimate the true threat of COVID-19](#). *The Conversation*. April 8, 2020.
- Co-authored an article on Thrive Global about Segar, Taber, et al., 2017: The Middle Priority: Why Being Flexible with Exercise Plans can Help you Better Sustain a Physically Active Life. *Thrive Global*. July 18, 2017.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Taber, J.M. (October, 2022). Teaching Graduate Seminars: The Overlooked Course in Faculty Development. 1.5 hour workshop given for KSU's Center for Teaching and Learning.

Taber, J.M. (April, 2022). Engaging with genetic and genomic risk information: A focus on psychosocial factors. Invited talk given for the Social and Behavioral Research Branch, National Human Genome Research Institute (Virtual).

Taber, J.M. (March, 2022). Realizing the promise of health risk information. Invited talk given for the Social Area Research Group, Department of Psychology, University of Utah (Virtual).

Taber, J.M. (February, 2022). Realizing the promise of health risk information. Invited talk given at the Health Pre-Conference at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology (Virtual).

POSTERS AND PRESENTATIONS

**Graduate student author; **Undergraduate student author*

Brown, K.G.*, Sidney, P.G., Fitzsimmons, C.J., Adjei, B., **Taber, J.M.**, Coifman, K.G., & Thompson, C.A. Parents' Support for Children's Mathematics Learning during the COVID-19 Pandemic. (2023). Abstract to be presented at the annual meetings of the Midwestern Psychological Association.

Coward, C.**, O'Brien, A.G.* & **Taber, J.M.** (2023). Associations of personality characteristics with medical care avoidance and health information avoidance. Abstract to be presented at the annual meetings of the *Society of Personality and Social Psychology*.

Foust, J.L.* & **Taber, J.M.**, Fitzsimmons, C.J., Scheibe, D.A.* & Godwin, K.E., & Thompson, C.A. (2023). Math threat, fear, and health decision-making. Abstract to be presented at the annual meetings of the *Society of Personality and Social Psychology*.

O'Brien, A.G.* & **Taber, J.M.** (2023). Who trusts their gut? Exploring health-related characteristics of people with an intuitive thinking style. Abstract to be presented at the annual meetings of the *Society of Personality and Social Psychology*.

Simonovic, N.* & **Taber, J.M.** (2023). Examining the relationship between perceived ambiguity and predictors of health behavior across three contexts: The COVID-19 pandemic, antibiotic regimens, and e-cigarette use. Abstract to be presented at the annual meetings of the *Society of Personality and Social Psychology*.

Taber, J.M. (2022, June). Strategies for Teaching Graduate Seminars. Unconference Session at the *Society for Improving Psychological Science* [Led virtually].

Kaur, F.* & Fitzsimmons, C. J.* & Iwai, Y.** & **Taber, J. M.**, Thompson, C. A., & Godwin, K. E. (2022). Inhibition and fraction arithmetic: Insights from heat-map strategy reports. *Proceedings of the Cognitive Science Society*.

Mielicki, M. K., Fitzsimmons, C. J.* & Schiller, L. K., Scheibe, D.* & **Taber, J. M.**, Sidney, P. G., Matthews, P. G., Coifman, K. G., Waters, E. A., & Thompson, C. A. (2022, April). The picture of health: Visuals and health-related math problem solving. Paper to be presented at the 94th Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

Foust, J.L.* & **Taber, J.M.**, Paljarvi, T., Cadmus-Bertram, L.A., Mays, D., Smith, M.E.B., Rana, B.K., & Cribbet, M.R. (2022, April). Stress, threat management resources, and perceived sleep health. Poster to be presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Baltimore, MD.

Taber, J.M., Simonovic, N.* & O'Brien, A.G.* & Foust, J.L.* & Coifman, K.G., Thompson, C.A. (2022, April). Risk Beliefs and COVID-19 Vaccination Among U.S. Adults: A Prospective Study. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Baltimore, MD.

O'Brien, A.G.* & Foust, J.L.* & **Taber, J.M.** (2022, April). "It would be very scary to learn I had it": Self-reported reasons for avoiding and rejecting personalized risk information. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Baltimore, MD.

Foust, J.L.* & **Taber, J.M.** (2022, February). *Tailoring the normative reference group to discourage health information avoidance: The importance of group identity*. Abstract to be presented at the 2022 Annual Convention of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology.

Biesecker, B.B., Klein, W.M.P., Peters, E., **Taber, J.M.**, Turbitt, E., Cameron, L. (October, 2021). *A decision science approach to understanding motives that underly interest in genomic sequencing results*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the American Society of Human Genetics.

Simonovic, N.* & **Taber, J.M.** (2021, May). *Examining a “Normalized-Uncertainty” Intervention for Ambiguous Health Messages about COVID-19*. Talk given at the Association of Psychological Science, Virtual Conference.

Thompson, C.A., **Taber, J.M.**, Sidney, P.G., Matthews, P., & Mielicki, M. (2021, May). *Math Misconceptions Abound When Adults Reason about COVID-19 Health Statistics*. Talk given at the Association of Psychological Science, Virtual Conference.

Capps, K.P.*, Foust, J.L.*, O'Brien, A.G.*, Updegraff, J.A. & **Taber, J.M.** (2021, May). *Emphasizing the Positive: Gain-Framed Health Messages Preferred in the Face of COVID-19*. Poster presented at the Association of Psychological Science, Virtual Conference.

Seah, T.H.S.*, Sidney, P.G., **Taber, J.M.**, Thompson, C.A., & Coifman, K.G. (2021, August). *Exploring the Relationship between Emotional Complexity and Risk-Related Behaviors during COVID-19*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Virtual Conference.

Simonovic, N.* & **Taber, J. M.** (2021, July). *Perceived Ambiguity about Cigarettes and E-cigarettes: Associations with Risk Perceptions and Use*. Oral presentation at the 32nd International Congress of Psychology, Virtual Conference.

Marquez, F.D.*, Decker A.N.*, **Taber, J.M.**, Xia, M., Cribbet, M.R. (2021, June). *Early Life Adversity and Central Symptoms of Sleep Disturbance: A Network Analysis [Conference Workshop]*. Abstract presented at the 35th annual meeting of the Associated Professional Sleep Societies, Seattle, WA.

O'Brien, A.G.*, Foust, J. L. *, & **Taber, J. M.** (2021, February). *Who avoids health information? A look into individual differences in six control-related health beliefs*. Data Blitz presentation given at the Health Preconference at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Virtual Conference.

Simonovic, N.* & **Taber, J. M.** (2021, February). *Effects of construal level on responses to ambiguous health information about alcohol consumption*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Virtual Conference.

Marquez, F.D.*, Cribbet, M.R., Decker, A.N.*, & **Taber, J.M.** (2020, December). *Threat of COVID-19 infection, early life adversity, and psychosomatic distress: To what extent is increased psychosomatic distress among individuals with early life adversity a result of subjective threat of COVID-19 infection?* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society, Virtual Conference.

Foust, J. L.*, O'Brien, A.G.** & **Taber, J. M.** (2020, May). *Dispositional Optimism and Spontaneous Self-Affirmation As Predictors of Information Avoidance and Agreement with Prediabetes Risk Information*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, IL. (Conference canceled).

Taber, J.M. (2020, May). *Chair and organizer of the symposium, The Roles of Emotion and Emotion Regulation in Reward-Related Health Behaviors*, at the annual meetings of the Association for Psychological Science, Chicago, IL. (Conference canceled).

Thompson, C.A., **Taber, J.M.**, Fitzsimmons, C.J.*, Sidney, P.G. (2020, April). *Strategy Reports Are Associated with Health Decision-Making Accuracy*. Talk to be given at the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL. (Conference canceled).

Neville, S. P.** & **Taber, J. M.** (2020, April). *Does Stage of Exercise Behavior Predict College Students' Perceptions of Framed Persuasive Messages about Exercise?* Poster to be presented at Midwestern Psychological Association 2020 Conference, Chicago, IL. (Conference canceled).

Simonovic, N.*, & **Taber, J. M.** (2020, April). *Perceptions of ambiguity about cigarettes and e-cigarettes among users and non-users*. Poster to be presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine's 41st Annual Meeting & Scientific Sessions, San Francisco, CA. (Conference canceled).

Taber, J.M. (2020, April). Chair and panel member for the discussion, *Does it spark joy? Novel strategies for productive and enjoyable team-based scientific writing and creation* at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Francisco, CA. (Conference canceled).

O'Brien, A.**, Foust, J. L.*, & **Taber, J. M.** (2020, February). *Effects of Mindsets about the Malleability of Physical Health on Information Avoidance*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.

Simonovic, N.*, & **Taber, J. M.** (2020, February). *Self-moralization higher among cigarette than e-cigarette users*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.

Taber, J.M. (2020, October). *Thinking about uncertain outcomes: Hospice patients' beliefs about their prognosis*. Talk given at the Research and Innovation Forum, Kent State University, Kent, Ohio.

Sidney, P. G., Thompson, C. A., Fitzsimmons, C.J.*, & **Taber, J. M.** (2019, October). *Children's and adults' math attitudes are differentiated by number type*. Poster presented at the biennial meeting of the Cognitive Development Society, Louisville, KY.

Taber, J.M., Ferrer, R.A., Klein, W.M.P. Robinson, C.D., Seaman, E.L. (2019, July). *Tendency to spontaneously self-affirm is associated with smoking cessation*. Talk given at the Self Affirmation: Mechanisms and Theory Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.

Taber, J.M., Ellis, E., Ferrer, R.A., Reblin, M., Ellington, L. (2019, May). *Knowledge of and beliefs about palliative care in a nationally-representative U.S. sample*. Poster presented at the HINTS Data Users Conference, Rockville, MD.

Simonovic, N.*, **Taber, J.M.**, Ferrer, R.A., Klein, W.M.P. (2018, September). *Aversion to Conflicting Medical Opinions: Associations with Behavior, Cognitions, and Affect*. Talk given at the HINTS Data Users Conference, Rockville, MD.

Taber, J.M. (2019, April). Chair and organizer of the symposium, *Boundary Conditions of Theory-Driven Health Behavior Change Interventions* at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.

Taber, J.M., Stacey, C.L., Sheehan, D.K. (April, 2019). *Life expectancy estimates among hospice patients are characterized by uncertainty and infrequently based on provider estimates*. Talk given at the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, D.C. as part of the symposium "Insights into illness understanding and end-of-life decision making among patients with advanced disease." Co-chaired by **Taber, J.M.** and Reblin, M.

Choi, S.**, **Taber, J.M.**, Thompson, C., & Sidney, P. (April, 2019). *Experimentally-induced incidental stress does not influence objective or subjective numeracy*. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.

Taber, J.M., Maki, J., Ackermann, N., McQueen, M., Waters, E.A. (April, 2019). *Disagreement with personalized disease risk estimates is associated with perceived risk, worry, and surprise*. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.

Waters, E.A., Ackermann, N., Maki, J., **Taber, J.M.**, & McQueen, M., (April, 2019). *Unrealistic optimism, unrealistic pessimism, and acceptance of personalized risk information about multiple diseases*. Poster

presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.

Taber, J.M., McQueen, A. Simonovic, N.*, Waters, E.A. (February, 2019). *Adapting a Self-affirmation Intervention for Use in a Mobile Application: Smokers who self-affirm report greater intentions to smoke*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Portland, OR.

*Simonovic, N., & **Taber, J.M.** (November, 2018). *Smoker stigmatization and reactance following a recently implemented tobacco-free policy*. Abstract presented at the UNESCO Chair in Bioethics 13th World Conference: Bioethics, Medical Ethics, and Health Law, Jerusalem, Israel.

*Hayes, S.A., & **Taber, J.M.** (November, 2018). *Describing a Disease as More or Less Severe Influences Perceived Certainty about One's Disease Risk*. Abstract presented at the UNESCO Chair in Bioethics 13th World Conference: Bioethics, Medical Ethics, and Health Law, Jerusalem, Israel.

Reblin, M., Ketcher, D., **Taber, J.M.**, Cloyes, K.G., Clayton, M.F., Baucom, B.R. & Ellington, L. (November, 2018). *Let's chat: Piloting an approach to patient-caregiver goal discussions in a neuro-oncology clinic*. Abstract presented at the Palliative and Supportive Care in Oncology Symposium, San Diego, CA.

Waters, E.A., Ackerman, N., Maki, J., McQueen, M., **Taber, J.M.** (2018, October). *Information avoidance, spontaneous self-affirmation, and physical activity-related cognitions, affect, and behavior*. Talk given at the annual meetings of the Society of Medical Decision Making, Montreal, Canada.

Stamborski, K.,** **Taber, J.M.** (2018, April). *Promoting Exercise by Exploring Expectations of and Desire for Physical and Mental Affective Benefits*. Undergraduate Symposium on Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity, Kent State University, Kent, OH.

Hayes, S.A.*, **Taber, J.M.**, Klein, W.M.P., & Sheeran, P. (2018, April). *Manipulating Conviction About Disease Risk Likelihood*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, IL.

Taber, J.M. (2018, April). Panel member for the discussion, *Incorporating basic research on cognition and affect into clinical genomics* at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.

Taber, J.M. (2018, April). Discussant for the symposium, *(Mis)predicting affective reactions in the future self and among others: consequences for palliative care decision making* at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.

Cribbet, M.R., **Taber, J.M.**, Cundiff, J.M. (2018, April). *Short Sleep Duration and Behavioral Risk Factors for Premature Morbidity and Mortality*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.

Turbitt, E., Roberts, M.C., Ferrer, R.A., **Taber, J.M.**, Lewis, K.L., Biesecker, B.B., Klein, W.M.P. (2018, April). *Couples' intentions to share exome sequencing results with family*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, New Orleans, LA.

Hayes, S.A.*, **Taber, J.M.**, Klein, W.M.P., & Sheeran, P. (2018, March). *Unexpected Results of Attempting to Manipulate Perceived Disease Risk Conviction*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Atlanta, GA.

Leyva, B., **Taber, J.M.**, Persoskie, A., Trivedi, A. (2017, June). *Medical Care Avoidance among Older Americans: Results from a National Survey*. Poster presented at the Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University Department of Medicine's Annual Research Forum, Providence, RI.

Hayes, S.* & **Taber, J.M.** (2017, March). *Using Risk Conviction to Better Predict Engagement in Health Behaviors*. Poster presented at the 2nd Annual Kent State Scientista Symposium, Kent, Ohio.

Aspinwall, L.G., Stump, T.K., **Taber, J.M.**, Kohlmann, W., Champine, M. Drummond, D., Cassidy, P., Leachman, S.A. (2017, June). *Melanoma genetic testing promotes reductions in tanning: Results from the Utah BRIGHT Project*. Talk given at the annual meetings of the American Society of Clinical Oncology.

Taber, J.M., Klein, W.M.P., Ferrer, R.A., & Grenen, E.G. (2017, April). *Thinking one way about risk but feeling another: Personality correlates of having mismatched risk perceptions*. Talk given as part of the symposium "Personality Predicts Health Cognitions, Experiences, and Behaviors: Findings from Diverse Perspectives" at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA.

Taber, J.M., Lewis, K., Klein, W.M.P., Biesecker, L., Biesecker, B.B. (2017, April). *Responses to reinterpretation of a gene variant by participants in a sequencing study*. Talk given as part of the symposium "Emerging issues in Genomics Implementation and Translation" at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA. Chaired by **Taber, J.M.**

Roberts, M., **Taber, J.M.**, & Klein, W.M.P. (2017, April). *Engagement with genetic information and uptake of genetic testing: The role of trust and personal cancer history*. Talk given at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA.

Scheideler, J., **Taber, J.M.**, Ferrer, R.A., Grenen, E., Klein, W.M.P. (2017, April). *Heart Disease versus Cancer: Understanding Perceptions of Personal Risk and Population Prevalence*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA.

Thai, C.L., **Taber, J.M.**, Rice, E., Kaufman, A., Klein, W.M.P. (2017, April). *Implicit Theories of Smoking and Association with Intentions to Quit and Calling a Quit Line Site Among Current Smokers*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego, CA.

Taber, J.M., Aspinwall, L.G., Scott, E.E., Kohlmann, W., Champine, M., Leachman, S.A. (2017, January). *Changes in cognitive, affective, and motivational aspects of risk perceptions following genetic testing*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, TX.

Kohlmann., W., Stump, T.K., Champine, M., **Taber, J.M.**, Leachman, S.A., Aspinwall, L.G. (2016, October). *Long-Term Impact of Genetic Testing Reporting on Understanding and Prioritization of Risk Information*. Talk given at the annual meetings of the National Society of Genetic Counselors.

Taber, J.M., Klein, W.M.P., Persky, S., Ferrer, R.A., Kaufman, A. (2016, April). *Implicit theories about body weight in the context of genetic and behavioral causal explanations for overweight*. Paper presented in "Health Behavior Theories and Conceptual Frameworks" at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, D.C. Abstract available in *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 50 (Suppl 1), s188.

Taber, J.M., Dickerman, B., Okhovat, J., Geller, A., Dwyer, L, Hartman, A., & Perna, F. (2016, April). *Presence of theory, technology, and environmental manipulations in published skin cancer interventions from 2000-2015*. Talk given in the symposium "Skin Cancer Intervention across the Cancer Control Continuum (SCI-3C): Review of NCI Grants and the Scientific Literature" at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, D.C. Abstract available in *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 50 (Suppl 1), s208.

Scott, E.E., Aspinwall, L.G., **Taber, J.M.**, Stump, T.K., Kohlmann, W., Champine, M., Leachman, S.A. (2016, April). *Sunburn tendency predicts but does not moderate increased risk perception following melanoma genetic testing*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, D.C. *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 50 (Suppl 1), s6.

Thai, C.L., Oh, A., **Taber, J.M.**, Segar, M., Patrick, H. (November, 2015). *"Keep it Realistic": Recommendations for Physical Activity Promotion Messages from Focus Groups with Ethnically-Diverse Women*. Presented at the annual meetings of the American Public Health Association, Chicago, IL.

Taber, J.M., Aspinwall, L.G., Stump, T.K., Kohlmann, W., Champine, M., & Leachman, S.A. (2015, October). *Genetic testing enhances understanding of risk information and acceptance of prevention recommendations compared to family history-based counseling alone*. Presented at Huntsman Cancer Institute Special Conference: "Translating Cancer Epidemiology: From Cells to Clinic and Population."

Klein, W.M.P. & **Taber, J.M.** (June, 2015). *Leveraging Social Psychological Theory to Understand Engagement with Personalized Genomic Information*. Invited presentation, University of Cambridge, UK.

Aspinwall, L.G., Kohlmann, W., Stump, T.K., **Taber, J.M.**, Champine, M., & Leachman, S.A. (2015, May). *Melanoma genetic test reporting provides informational and motivational benefits compared to family history-based counseling alone: Results from the Utah BRIGTH Project*. Paper presented at the Joint Meeting of the UK Cancer Genetics Group and the 14th International Meeting on the Psychosocial Aspects of Genetic Testing, Manchester, England.

Taber, J.M., Aspinwall, L.G., Stump, T.K., Kohlmann, W., Champine, M., & Leachman, S.A. (2015, May). *Putting the personal in personalized medicine: Genetic test reporting enhances understanding of risk information and acceptance of management recommendations*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Association for Psychological Science, New York, NY.

Klein, W.M.P., **Taber, J.M.**, Ferrer, R.A., & Harris, P.R. (2015, May). *Self-affirmation and optimism as threat management resources*. Presented in *Psychological resources matter: From brain to biology to behavior* at the annual meetings of the Association for Psychological Science, New York, NY, co-chaired by **Taber, J.M.**, and Ferrer, R.A.

Howell, J.L., Emanuel, A.S., **Taber, J.M.**, Ferrer, R.A., Harris, P.R., & Klein, W.M.P. (2015, May). *Spontaneous self-affirmation predicts wellbeing: Evidence from a U.S. nationally representative adult sample*. Presented in *Who We Are Affects How We Think: Examining the Power of Self-Perceptions to Reduce Susceptibility to Stereotype Threat* at the annual meetings of the Association for Psychological Science, New York, NY.

Taber, J.M., Klein, W.M.P., Ferrer, R.A., Kent, E.E., & Harris, P.R. (2015, April). *Associations of spontaneous self-affirmation and optimism with health among cancer survivors*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Antonio, TX.

Taber, J.M., Klein, W.M.P., Ferrer, R.A., Harris, P.R., & Biesecker, B.B. (2015, February). *Information avoidance, self-affirmation, and optimism: Social psychological influences on intentions to receive genomic sequencing results*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.

Stump, T.K., Aspinwall, L.G., **Taber, J.M.**, Kohlmann, W., Leaf, S.L., & Leachman, S.A. (2015, February) *Impact of melanoma genetic test reporting on perceived control over melanoma prevention*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.

Taber, J.M. (2014, October). *Understanding risk perceptions, defensiveness, and psychological resources in the context of providing genetic risk information*. Invited presentation, Behavioral Genetics Interest Group at the National Cancer Institute, Bethesda, MD.

Petrie, T.C., Stump, T.K. Aspinwall, L.G., Cassidy, P., **Taber, J.M.**, Jacques, S., Tanner, P., McKenzie, R., Liley, B., & Leachman, S. (2014, April). *Mining dosimetry data: Sun exposure behaviors in hereditary melanoma participants*. Paper presented at the NIWA UV Workshop, Auckland, New Zealand.

Stump, T.K., Aspinwall, L.G., **Taber, J.M.**, Edwards, R., & Leachman, S.A. (2014, April). *Validation of the protection-adjusted length of exposure (PALE) index - A new self-report measure of UVR exposure*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Philadelphia, PA.

Taber, J.M. & Aspinwall, L.G. (2014, February). *Tasty vs. Healthy: Evaluative conditioning of healthy food with good taste improves perceived taste of, attitudes toward, and intentions to eat healthy food*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX.

Aspinwall, L.G., **Taber, J.M.**, Kohlmann, W., Champine, M., Leaf, S., & Leachman, S. A. (2013, December). *The role of melanoma genetic testing in prevention and early detection*. Presentation at the annual meetings of Melanoma Bridge, Naples, Italy.

Taber, J.M., Aspinwall, L.G., & Leachman, S.A. (2013, June). *Does melanoma genetic test reporting improve adherence to screening guidelines 2 years later?* Paper presented at the annual meetings of the Melanoma Genetics Consortium, Philadelphia, PA.

Stump, T.K., Aspinwall, L.G., Leachman, S.A., **Taber, J.M.**, & Edwards, R. (2013, June). *Protection-Adjusted Length of Exposure (PALE): A New Self-Report Measure of UVR Exposure That Captures Multiple Modalities of Photoprotection*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Melanoma Genetics Consortium, Philadelphia, PA.

Aspinwall, L.G., **Taber, J.M.**, & Leachman, S.A. (2013, April). *Does melanoma genetic test reporting improve adherence to screening guidelines 2 years later?* Invited presentation, The Cancer Control and Population Sciences Program at Huntsman Cancer Institute, Research in Progress series, Salt Lake City, UT.

Taber, J.M. & Aspinwall, L.G. (2013, January). *Beliefs about mood-enhancing benefits of sun exposure predict behavior among adults aged 18 to 88*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.

Taber, J.M., Aspinwall, L.G., Heichman, K.A., & Kinney, A.Y. (2012, March). *Preferences for a methylated DNA blood test for colorectal cancer among a multiethnic sample of screened and unscreened adults*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the American Society of Preventive Oncology, Washington, DC.

Aspinwall, L.G., **Taber, J.M.** & Leachman, S.A. (2012, February). *Self under threat: Genetic testing and the proactive management of familial cancer risk*. Invited presentation, University of Utah Department of Psychology Colloquium, Salt Lake City, UT.

Taber, J.M. (2011, May). *Determining patient interest in and attitudes toward blood-based colorectal cancer screening*. Invited presentation, The Cancer Control and Population Sciences Program at Huntsman Cancer Institute, Research in Progress series, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Taber, J.M., Uchino, B.N., & Sanbonmatsu, D.M. (2011, April). *Ambivalent food attitudes are related to worse self-reported health*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, Washington, DC.

Taber, J.M., Aspinwall, L.G., Heichman, K., & Kinney, A. (2011, March). *Blood-based colorectal cancer screening: Eliciting attitudes and determining predictors of interest in a multiethnic sample*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the American Society of Preventive Oncology, Las Vegas, NV.

Taber, J.M., & Aspinwall, L.G. (2011, January). *Understanding the impact of message framing on prevention behaviors among high-risk individuals: A simulation study*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, TX.

Aspinwall, L.G., **Taber, J.M.**, & Leachman, S.A. (2010, April). *Genetic Testing and the Proactive Management of Familial Cancer Risk*. Presented in *Directions in Stress and Coping Research in Chronic Illness* at the annual meetings of the Society for Behavioral Medicine, Seattle. Abstract available in *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 39 (Suppl), s126.

Taber, J.M., Aspinwall, L.G., & Leachman, S.A. (2010, April). *Predictors of sustained improvements in skin self-examination adherence in high-risk melanoma families following genetic test reporting*. Presented in "Don't Walk on the Sunny Side of the Street": *Skin Cancer and Melanoma Risk* at the annual meetings of the Society for Behavioral Medicine, Seattle. Abstract available in *Annals of Behavioral Medicine*, 39 (Suppl), s210.

Taber, J.M., Aspinwall, L.G., & Leachman, S.A. (2010, January). *Risk underestimation following receipt of positive melanoma genetic test results predicts improvement in prevention and screening*. Poster presented at the annual meetings of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Las Vegas, NV.

Leachman, S.A., **Taber, J.M.**, Leaf, S., & Aspinwall, L.G. (2009, November). *Melanoma genetic counseling and testing improve patient compliance and perceived control*. Invited presentation, 3rd World Meeting of Interdisciplinary Melanoma/Skin Cancer Centers, Berlin, Germany.

MENTORING

Co-Chair, Dissertation, Kent State University

2022 Nicolle Simonovic: *Examining the relationship between perceived ambiguity and predictors of health behavior across three contexts: The COVID-19 pandemic, antibiotic regimens, and e-cigarette use*

Chair, Masters Thesis, Kent State University

2022 Abigail G. O'Brien: *In tune and intuitive: Examining the preference to make health decisions based off a gut feeling*

2021 Jeremy L. Foust: *Tailoring the normative reference group to discourage health information avoidance: The importance of group identity*

2020 Nicolle Simonovic: *Effects of Construal Framing on Responses to Ambiguous Health Information*

2018 Sarah A. Hayes: *Effects of Ability Emotional Intelligence and Sadness on Affective Forecasts about Physical Activity*

Honors Thesis Advisor, Kent State University

2019-2020 Lauren Woodbury: *How Different Numerical Presentations of Information Affect Parental Decision Making in a Medical Setting*
(Co-Advisor with Dr. Clarissa Thompson)

- Received KSU Department of Psychological Sciences Outstanding Senior Award

2019-2020 Steven Neville: *Does Stage of Exercise Behavior Predict College Students' Perceptions of Framed Persuasive Messages about Exercise?*

- Received KSU Department of Psychological Sciences Outstanding Senior Award
- Received Robert F. and Nancy Treichler Undergraduate Scholarship
- Received one of four first place awards in Psychology for poster at the remote Undergraduate Research, Scholarship, and Creative Endeavors Symposium, KSU

2017-2018 Samantha Choi: *The Effects of Stress on Numeracy in Relation to Decision Making*

- Received KSU Department of Psychological Sciences Outstanding Senior Award

2017-2018 Kelsey Stamborski: *Promoting Exercise by Exploring Expectations of and Desire for Physical and Mental Affective Benefits*

Advisor, Summer Undergraduate Research Experience

- 2021 Kaitlyn Warakomski
- Received a first place award in the 3-Minute Thesis oral competition
- 2019 Abigail O'Brien
- Received a second place award in the 3-Minute Thesis oral competition

TEACHING

Principal Instructor, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University

- 2022 Information Processing and Engagement (graduate seminar)
- 2016, 2019, 2020 Psychology of Risk Communication (graduate seminar)
- 2018, 2021 Social Psychology (graduate core course)
- 2016-2021 Health Psychology

Principal Instructor, Department of Psychology, University of Utah

- 2012 Introduction to Health Psychology
- 2009 Introduction to Social Psychology

FORMAL TEACHING TRAINING

- 2022 Ohio College Teaching Consortium Inclusive Teaching Endorsement
- 2022 *Anti-Bias Workshop*. 11 hours of training across 5 months. Hosted by Kent State University's Center for Teaching and Learning and the Division of Diversity Equity and Inclusion.
- 2020 *Remote Instruction Workshop*. Five 3-hour sessions over one week. Hosted by Kent State University Center for Teaching and Learning.
- 2020 *Inclusive Teaching Faculty Learning Community*. Eight 2-hour sessions over one semester. Hosted by Kent State University Center for Teaching and Learning.
- 2015 *Scientists Teaching Science*. Nine-week short course on how to be a more effective teacher, particularly in science subjects. Instructed by Barbara Houtz, National Institutes of Health.

FORMAL STATISTICAL TRAINING

- 2018 *Intensive Longitudinal Methods*. 2-day workshop instructed by Donald Hedeker, PhD.
- 2017 *Meta-Analysis*. 2-day workshop instructed by Noel Card, PhD.
- 2016 *Bayesian Data Analysis*. 2-day workshop instructed by John Kruschke, PhD.
- 2015 *Introduction to Dyadic Data Analysis*. 1-day workshop instructed by Niall Bolger, PhD and Jean Philippe Laurenceau, PhD.
- 2015 *Leveraging Mobile and Social Technologies for Data Collection*. 2-day training sponsored by the Joint Program in Survey Methodology, instructed by Michael W. Link, PhD
- 2014 *Meta-analysis: Concepts and Applications*. 3-day training with Michael Borenstein, PhD

NATIONAL SERVICE

- 2021 – 2022 *Member*, Steering Committee, Social Personality & Health Network
- 2021 – 2022 *Member*, Health Decision Making SIG Awards Committee, Society of Behavioral Medicine
- 2020-2021 *Reviewer*, abstracts submitted to the Society of Personality and Social Psychology Annual Meeting
- 2020-2021 *Co-chair* of the 2020 and 2021 Social Personality & Health Network pre-conference at the Society of Personality and Social Psychology annual meeting
- 2018 *Reviewer*, 2018 Investigator Development Pilot Award Program, Palliative Care Research Cooperative Group
- 2017 – 2019 *Reviewer*, Rapid Communication abstract submissions to the Society of Behavioral Medicine (3 years)

- 2017 *Reviewer*, abstracts submitted to the Society of Behavioral Medicine for the Award for Outstanding Trainee Abstract in Health Decision Making
- 2017, 2021 *Reviewer*, symposia submitted to Society of Personality and Social Psychology annual meeting
- 2014 – 2022 *Reviewer* of abstracts submitted to the Society of Behavioral Medicine annual meeting
- 2015 – 2016 *Reviewer* of symposia abstracts submitted to Division 8 (Personality and Social Psychology) for American Psychological Association annual meeting (2 years)
- 2010 *Reviewer* for Society for Personality and Social Psychology Graduate Student Committee Outstanding Research Award 2010

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- 2022 *Member*, College of Arts and Sciences DEI Strategic Planning Committee, Kent State University
- 2022 *Member*, Search Committee for staff hire in the Center for Teaching and Learning, Kent State University
- 2020 – present *Elected Delegate for Psychology Unit*, AAUP-KSU
- 2019 – present *Council Member*, Honors College Policy Council

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

- 2021 – present *Training Director*, Psychological Sciences PhD Program, Kent State University (appointed)
- 2021 – present *Coordinator*, Social/Health Area Brownbag, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University
- 2021 – 2022 *Member*, Faculty Advisory Committee, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University (elected)
- 2016 – 2021 *Member*, Applied Psychology Committee, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University (elected 5 years in a row)
- 2017 – 2021 Subject Pool Manager, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University
- 2019 – 2020 *Member*, Faculty Advisory Committee, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University (elected)
- 2018 – 2020 *Member and Co-Coordinator* of Speaker Series, Promoting Tolerance via Psychological Science Committee, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University
- 2018 – 2019 *Member*, Search Committee for faculty hire in Psychological Sciences and Health, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University
- 2018 – 2019 *Member*, Graduate Coordinating Committee, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University
- 2016 – 2017 *Member*, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kent State University
- 2013 – 2014 *Member*, planning committee for Crosstalk Symposium 2014: Leveraging Lessons Learned across Behavioral Domains, Behavioral Research Program, National Cancer Institute
- 2012 – 2013 *Member*, Graduate Committee, Department of Psychology, University of Utah
- 2011 – 2012 *Member*, Professional Issues & Ethics Committee, Department of Psychology, University of Utah
- 2010-2012 *Member*, Graduation Planning & Fundraising Committee, Department of Psychology, University of Utah
- 2009-2010 *Co-Coordinator*, Social Area Research Group, Department of Psychology, University of Utah

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 2019 – present Society of Experimental Social Psychology, Fellow
- 2017 – present Palliative Care Research Cooperative Group
- 2015 – present Society of Behavioral Medicine

2014 – 2016 Society for Affective Science
 2014 – present Association for Psychological Science
 2010 – present Social Personality and Health Network
 2008 – present American Psychological Association Division 38 – Health Psychology
 2008 – present Society of Personality and Social Psychology
 2009 American Psychological Association, Graduate Student Affiliate (APAGS)

PEER REVIEWING

Associate Editor, *Journal of Behavioral Medicine* (October 2021—present)

Editorial Board Member, *Journal of Behavioral Medicine* (March 2019—September 2021)

Editorial Board Member, *Translational Behavioral Medicine* (June 2022—present)

Ad-hoc journal reviewer:

<i>American Journal of Preventive Medicine</i>	<i>Journal of General Internal Medicine</i>
<i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i>	<i>Journal of General Psychology</i>
<i>Applied Psychology: Health and Well-Being</i>	<i>Journal of Genetic Counseling</i>
<i>Asian Journal of Communication</i>	<i>Journal of Health Communication</i>
<i>Behavioral Medicine</i>	<i>Journal of Health Psychology</i>
<i>BMJ Open</i>	<i>Journal of Palliative Medicine</i>
<i>British Journal of Dermatology</i>	<i>Journal of Medical Internet Research</i>
<i>British Journal of Health Psychology</i>	<i>Journal of Theoretical Social Psychology</i>
<i>Cancer Causes & Control</i>	<i>Molecular Genetics & Genomic Medicine</i>
<i>Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention</i>	<i>Motivation and Emotion</i>
<i>Clinical Genetics</i>	<i>Motivation Science</i>
<i>Cognition and Emotion</i>	<i>Patient Education and Counseling</i>
<i>Environmental Communication</i>	<i>PLOS ONE</i>
<i>European Journal of Health Psychology</i>	<i>Preventive Medicine Reports</i>
<i>European Journal of Public Health</i>	<i>Psychology & Health</i>
<i>Frontiers in Psychology</i>	<i>Psychooncology</i>
<i>Genetics in Medicine</i>	<i>Public Health Genomics</i>
<i>Health Psychology Review</i>	<i>Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport</i>
<i>JAMA Dermatology</i>	<i>Social Neuroscience</i>
<i>Journal of Applied Sport Psychology</i>	<i>Stigma and Health</i>
<i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i>	<i>Tobacco Induced Diseases</i>
<i>Journal of Cancer Education</i>	<i>Translational Behavioral Medicine</i>
<i>Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied</i>	

Ad-hoc grant reviewer:

Cancer Research UK
 Israel Science Foundation
 Palliative Care Research Cooperative
 BUILD EXITO, Portland State University