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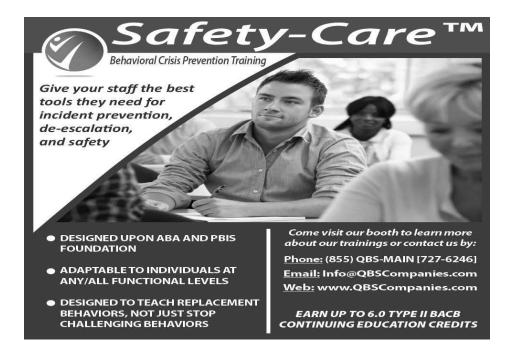
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# 2018 Topic: Biobehavioral Processes

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# Thursday, October 19 - Salon A

7:00 – 10:00 p.m. **Opening Reception/Registration Social with Cash Bar** 

# Friday, October 20 – Salon A

8:00 a.m. **Registration & Coffee** 

8:45 a.m. OPENING REMARKS

Sherry Serdikoff, President Savannah State University

9:00 a.m. MEASURING PHYSICAL ACTIVITY IN CHILDREN Carole Van Camp

University of North Carolina Wilmington

Chair: Destinee Todd, Savannah State University

10:00 a.m. Some thoughts on defining stimulus equivalence

Carol Pilgrim

University of North Carolina Wilmington

Chair: Ian Jacobs, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill

11:00 a.m. **Break** 

11:15 a.m. WILD ABOUT PREFERENCE ASSESSMENTS: USING PREFERENCE

ASSESSMENT ACROSS DIFFERENT TAXONOMIC GROUPS

Nicole Dorey

University of Florida

Chair: Nicholas Van Zandt, College of Charleston

12:15 p.m. Lunch on your own

1:45 p.m. THIS MEDICATION MAY CAUSE SIDE EFFECTS.

Dave Jarmolowicz

University of Kansas

**Chair:** Christina Nelson, Armstrong State University

2:45 p.m. What we've got here... is an opportunity to replicate

Kelly Banna

Millersville University

Chair: Lucie Romano, West Virginia University

3:45 p.m. **Break** 

4:00 p.m. JOHN B. WATSON'S CLASSICAL S-R BEHAVIORISM

John Moore

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Chair: Izzy Schieber, University of Florida

5:00 p.m. **Business Meeting** 

8:00 p.m. – 11p.m. Poster Session & Social with Cash Bar

Saturday, October 21 – Salon A

8:00 a.m. **Registration & Coffee** 

8:30 a.m. ENRICHMENT FOR LOGGERHEAD SEA TURTLES: A

DEMONSTRATION OF HOW BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS CAN

**CONTRIBUTE** 

Amanda Mahoney

The Chicago School of Professional Psychology

Chair: Natalie Shuler, West Virginia University

9:30 a.m. A CASE HISTORY IN BEHAVIOR-ANALYTIC HUMOR

Andy Lattal

West Virginia University

Chair: Jeremiah Brown, University North Carolina Wilmington

10:30 a.m. **Break** 

10:45 a.m. EDUCATION IS A PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEM: HOW BEHAVIOR

ANALYSIS CAN HELP

Ronnie Detrich

The Wing Institute

Chair: Astrid La Cruz Montilla, University North Carolina Wilmington

11:45 – Noon. CLOSING CEREMONY





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# Poster Presentations – Grand Salon

- 1. Effects of Lag Schedules on Behavioral Variability: Targeting Different Portions of Response Sequences, N. H. Van Zandt & Adam H. Doughty (*College of Charleston*)
- Human risky & impulsive behavior in positive- and negative-energy budgets, Cox, D.J., & Dallery, J. (University of Florida)
- 3. **Delay Discounting vs. Delay of Gratification in Rats,** Erika M. Winnie, Raymond C. Pitts, & Christine E. Hughes (*University of North Carolina Wilmington*)
- 4. Developing a Novel Preparation to Analyze the Onset of Derived Stimulus Relations, Casey M. Irwin & Adam H. Doughty (College of Charleston)
- Timeout From Positive Reinforcement, Tiffany R. Kronenwetter, Raymond C. Pitts, & Christine E. Hughes (*University of North Carolina Wilmington*)
- Shaping Cooperation in Pigeons, Amanda Ackerman & Kennon A. Lattal (University of West Virginia)
- 7. **Individualized Heart Rate Assessments in Physical Activity Research,** Alison Ruby, Carole Van Camp, Ryan Blejewski, Lindsay Gordon, Alice Okamoto, & Elizabeth Ritcher (*University of North Carolina Wilmington*)
- 8. Probability Discounting of Lewis and Fischer 344 rats: Strain Comparisons at Baseline and Following Acute Administration of d-Amphetamine, Jenny E. Ozga & Karen G. Anderson (West Virginia University)
- Tracking Sinusoidally Varying Reinforcement Probabilities with Concurrent Random-Interval Schedules: A Matching Function in One Session, John Keller (Geriatric Behavior Laboratory)
- 10. An Evaluation of Training and Testing Procedures Designed to Facilitate the Emergence of Early Probe Performances Following Simple Discrimination Training in Young Children, Connor Sheehan & Carol Pilgrim (University of North Carolina Wilmington)
- 11. **Extinction Revisited: Implications for Application,** Frans van Haaren & John V. Keller (*Autism Early Intervention Clinics; The Geriatric Behavior Laboratory*)
- 12. Rich-to-Lean Transitions: Separate and Combined Effects of Work Requirement and Reinforcement Amount, Sarah M. Marks, Jeremy S. Langford, Erika M. Winnie, Raymond C. Pitts, & Christine E. Hughes (*University of North Carolina Wilmington*)
- 13. A Promising New Functional Assessment of Behavior Questionnaire for use in an In-Patient Psychiatric Setting, Tiffany Phasukkan, Brittany Williams, Ruth Hurst, & Laura Clark (University of North Carolina Wilmington and Central Regional Hospital)
- 14. **Dystopian traits in Walden Two,** Cesar Antonio Alves da Rocha & John Staddon (*UFSCar Federal University of Sao Carlos, Brazil; Duke University*)
- Functional Analysis of Physical Activity: A Comparison of Heart Rate and Observational Measures, Alice Okamoto, Sheela Jimenez, Lindsay Gordon, & Carole Van Camp (University of North Carolina Wilmington)
- HIV-1 Tat reduces inhibitory control in Tat transgenic mouse model using Go/No-Go task, Ferguson, A. B., Jacobs, I. R., Hermes, D. H., Antonucci, A. G., Manjarres, C., Sabater, S. M., Mackie, K., Ignatowska-Jankwska, B., Fitting, S. (*The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*)
- 17. **Descriptive Assessment of Physical Activity: A Comparison of Heart Rate and Observational Measures,** Melissa Chappell, Casey Irwin, Taylor Harrison, Lindsay Gordon,
  Carole Van Camp (*University of North Carolina Wilmington*)

- Parametric analysis of variables controlling performance in a rodent incrementing nonmatch-to-sample task, Madeleine Mason, Haily Kelliher, Katherine Dyer, Angela Goolsby, Shandy Nelson, Tiffany Phasukkan, Michael Mathews, Logan Richardson, Sarah Accattato, Katherine Bruce, & Mark Galizio (*University of North Carolina Wilmington*)
- Old Pigeons, New Tricks, Tonya Blosser, Daniel Bell-Garrison, & Kennon A. Lattal (West Virginia University)
- A parametric analysis of the effects of physical activity on stereotypy and academic engagement, Kissel J. Goldman, Iser G. DeLeon, Sarah Weinsztok, Elizabeth Schieber, & Gina Nicolini (*University of Florida; Behavior Analysis Support Services*)
- Using an Abbreviated Assessment to Identify Effective Consequences for Correct Responses for Individual Learners During Discrete-Trial Instruction, Jennifer M. Owsiany, Regina A. Carroll, & Natalie Jones Shuler (West Virginia University)
- Training Supervisors to Provide Feedback Using Video Modeling, Natalie J. Shuler & Regina A. Carroll (West Virginia University)
- Academic Effort Discounting as a Measure of Indolence, Destinee J. Todd & Sherry L. Serdikoff (Savannah State University)
- Academic Effort Discounting in College Students, Sherry L. Serdikoff & Destinee J. Todd (Savannah State University)
- 25. Effects of Chlordiazepoxide on Pausing in Rich-to-Lean Transitions in Pigeons, David A. Haste, Jeremy S. Langford, Raymond C. Pitts, & Christine E. Hughes (*University of North Carolina Wilmington*)
- 26. Evaluating the role of extinction in a human operant model of resurgence, Brianna Laureano, David Cox, & Iser DeLeon (*University of Florida*)
- 27. **Boiling the Frog: Investigating Effects of Gradual Transitions Between Ratio Schedules**, Anthony S Peracchio, Daniel Bell-Garrison, Michael Yencha, Amanda Ackerman, & Kennon A Lattal (*West Virginia University*)
- 28. Dual roles of white noise cues in cocaine seeking by adolescent and adult male rats, Gregory Suess & Kyle Frantz (*Georgia State University*)
- 29. **An Analysis of the Extinction-Induced Response Burst**, Brian Katz & Kennon Andy Lattal (*West Virginia University*)
- 30. Effects of extra-synaptic NMDA receptor activity on P301L-induced memory deficits, Bamidele Jeminiwa, Sharay setti, Ryan Heslin & Miranda Reed (*Auburn University*)
- 31. **Discrimination training with compound stimuli an application to early reading skills**, La Cruz Montilla, Astrid & Pilgrim, Carol (*University of North Carolina Wilmington*)
- 32. Incrementing Non-Matching-to-Sample in Rats: Effects of Dizocilpine, Haily A. Kelliher, Katherine Dyer, Shandy A. Nelson, Sarah Accattato, Logan Richardson, Thomas J. Wagner, Nicole R. Westrick, Bobbie Wolff, Michael Mathews, Katherine Bruce and Mark Galizio (University of North Carolina Wilmington)
- 33. **Resurgence of Observing Responses**, Matthew Klocke, Catalina Serrano, Anthony Oliver & Kennon A. Lattal (*West Virginia University*)
- 34. **Discrimination of Reinforcer Durations by Pigeons,** Anthony Oliver & Kennon A. Lattal (*West Virginia University*)
- 35. Precipitated Δ9-THC Withdrawal Disrupts Progressive-Ratio Responding in Mice, Eckard, M. L., Anderson, K. G., & Kinsey, S. G. (West Virginia University)

- 36. The Mitigating Effects of Reinforcer Magnitude and Quality on Treatment Degradation: A Translational Approach, Sarah C. Weinsztok, Iser G. DeLeon, & Brianna Laureano (University of Florida)
- Effects of Serial- or Single-Alternative Training on Resurgence, Claudia C. Diaz-Salvat & Claire C. St. Peter (West Virginia University)
- 38. Peripherally restricted viral mimic impairs learning and memory in mouse model of Alzheimer's disease, Heslin, Ryan, Martens, Brannan, Jeminiwa, Bamidele, Setti, Sharay, & Reed, Miranda (*Auburn University*)
- 39. **Effect of P301L Tau Expression on Learning and Memory in Aged Mice,** Sharay E. Setti, Bamidele O. Jeminiwa, Ryan T. Heslin, & Reed, Miranda (*Auburn University*)
- Human Sensitivity in a Three-Alternative Choice Task: Sequence Effects and Social Influences, Andres Garcia-Penagos & Garriy Shtenyberg (University of Tennessee)

# **Program Posters**

- A Behavior Analysis PhD Program at West Virginia University
  West Virginia University (Morgantown, WV)
- B Science, Skinner, & Surf: PhD & Master of Arts in Psychology Behavior Analysis Program University of North Carolina Wilmington (Wilmington, NC)
- C Bachelors in Behavior Analysis at Savannah State University Savannah Sate University (Savannah, Ga)



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