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Education

- Ph.D. in Psychology, Kansas State University, 1995
- M.S. in Psychology, Kansas State University, 1992
- B.S. in Psychology, University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1989

Professional Experience

2012-Present	Director, Behavioral & Integrative Neuroscience Program, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC.
2008-Present	Professor, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC.
2001-Present	Member, Bowles Center for Alcohol Studies, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC.
2001-Present	Member, Neuroscience Curriculum, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC.
2005-Present	Member, Interdisciplinary Obesity Center, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC.
2006-2012	Director of Research Services, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC.
2004-2008	Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC.
2001-2004	Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology , University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC.



1998-2001	Research Scientist, Alcohol and Drug Abuse Institute, University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
1995-1998	Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Department of Psychology, University of Washington, Seattle, WA.
1990-1995	Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Psychology, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS.

Honors, Awards, & Invited Membership

2016	Outstanding Reviewer Certificate of Appreciation from the <i>Journal of Neuroscience</i> .
2016	Invited Participant (by UNC Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, Dr., Kevin M. Guskiewicz); Workshop entitled "Understanding Differences" July 12, 2016.
2015-2019	Member, Neuroscience Research Subcommittee (AA-4), National Institute on Alcohol Abuse & Alcoholism.
2010-present	Member of the Alumni Advisory Council, Department of Psychology, Kansas State University.
2008-2012	Member, Neurotoxicology & Alcohol (NAL) Study Section, National Institute of Health.
2010	Invited Participant (by UNC Chancellor, Holden Thorp); Workshop entitled "The Entrepreneurial Mindset—Maximizing Faculty Impact" May 10-13, 2010.
2009	W. N. Reynolds Competitive Leave Award (for sabbatical leave during the Spring Semester of 2010).
1997, 1998	Junior Investigator Awards from the Research Society on Alcoholism (award supported by NIAAA).
1999	Glaxo Wellcome travel award to attend the 5 th International NPY Meeting.
1995	Merit Award from the Research Society on Alcoholism (award supported by NIAAA and RSA).

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- 2. Olney, J. J., Navarro, N., & Thiele, T. E. (2017). The role of orexin signaling in the ventral tegmental area and central amygdala in modulating binge-like ethanol drinking behavior. *Alcoholism: Clinical & Experimental Research*, 41, 551-561.
- 3. Marshall, S. A., McKnight, K., Lysle, D. T., & Thiele, T. E. (2017). Modulation of binge-like ethanol consumption by IL-10 signaling in the basolateral amygdala. *Journal of Neuroimmune Pharmacology*, 12, 249-259.
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- 2. Thiele, T. E. (2012). NPY agonists protect against binge-like ethanol drinking in non-dependent mice: Evidence for a role of the central amygdala. Talk presented at the 10th International NPY-PYY-PP meeting, Montreal, Canada.
- 3. Thiele, T. E. (2011). CRF1R antagonists and NPY agonists protect against binge-like ethanol drinking in C57BL/6J mice but fail to influence low ethanol intake. Talk presented at the 2011 Society for the Study of Ingestive Behavior, Clearwater, FL.

- 4. Thiele, T. E. & Lowery, E. G. (2011). The role of corticotropin releasing factor (CRF)-1 and CRF-2 receptors in binge-like ethanol drinking. Talk presented at the 2011 Alcoholism and Stress Conference, Volterra, Italy.
- 5. Thiele. T. E. & Lyons, A. M. (2010). A role for neuropeptide Y (NPY) signaling in the modulation of binge-like ethanol drinking in C57BL/6J mice. Talk presented at the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, San Antonio, TX.
- 6. Thiele, T. E. (2009). Neuropeptide Y (NPY) Y1 and corticotropin-releasing factor (CRF)-1 receptors modulate stress-induced increases of ethanol intake in mice. Talk and poster presented at the 2009 Military Health Research Forum, Kansas City, MO.
- 7. Thiele, T. E., Lowery, E. G., Sparta, D. R., & Lyons, A. M. (2009). A role for CRF-1 receptor signaling in excessive ethanol intake. Talk presented at the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, San Diego, CA.
- 8. Thiele, T. E., Knapp, D. J., Overstreet, D. H., Navarro, M., Breese, G. R., & McCown, T. J. (2007). Amygdalar transduction by a rAAV vector causing constitutive secretion of NPY blocks the alcohol deprivation effect and anxiety-like behavior in Alcohol Preferring P rats. Talk presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Neuroscience, San Diego, CA.
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- 11. Fee, J. R., Sparta, D. R., Picker, M. J., & Thiele, T. E. (2004). Increased ethanol drinking by RIIβ knockout mice: Assessment of genetic background and testing procedures. Poster presented at the Fourth Annual Guze Symposium on Alcoholism, St. Louis, MO.
- 12. Thiele, T. E. (2003). Voluntary ethanol consumption is modulated by central melanocortin receptors. Talk presented at the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Fort Lauderdale, FL.
- 13. Thiele, T. E. (2002). Altered ethanol-induced sedation and ethanol drinking in mutant mice lacking specific NPY receptor. Talk presented at the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, San Francisco, CA.
- 14. Thiele, T. E. (2001). Altered voluntary consumption of ethanol in mutant mice lacking either the NPY Y1 or Y2 receptor. Talk presented at the 6th International NPY meeting, Sydney, Australia.
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- 17. Thiele, T. E. (2000). Transgenic and knockout mouse models: Powerful tools for investigating the neurobiology of alcoholism. Talk presented at the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Denver, Colorado.
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- 19. Roitman, M. F., Thiele, T. E., Bernstein, I. L., & van Dijk, G. (1999). Conditioned over-eating is blocked by a dopamine (DA) antagonist. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Ingestive Behaviors, Clearwater, FL.
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- 21. Thiele, T. E., van Dijk, G., Seeley, R. J., Woods, S. C., & Bernstein, I. L. (1998). Central mechanisms involved in taste aversion learning: Implications for ingestive behavior. Talk presented at the annual meeting of the European Winter Conference on Brain Research, Bourg St. Maurice, France.
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- 25. Thiele, T. E., & Frieman, J. (1995). *Post-Training Revaluation of Discriminative Stimuli: Evidence of S-R associations*. Talk presented at the annual meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Los Angeles, California.
- 26. Thiele, T. E. & Bailey, S. A. (1994). *Taste-Taste Conditioning: Further Evidence of Overshadowing*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Southwestern Psychological Association, Tulsa, Oklahoma.
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- 31. Thiele, T. E., & Frieman, J. (1993). *Pre-Potentiation Exposure to Conditioned Stimulus Versus No Pre-Exposure: Evidence of Within-Compound Associations.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Society, Chicago, Illinois.
- 32. Thiele, T. E. & Frieman, J. (1992). Non-Reinforced Compound Exposure Before Potentiation Training: The Effects on Within-Compound Associations. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago, Illinois.

INVITED TALKS

- Gordon Research Conference: Alcohol & the Nervous System (March 2018). Talk titled *The Role of Top-Down and Bottom-Up Neural Circuits in the Modulation of Binge Drinking.*
- Department of Neural & Behavioral Sciences, Penn State University, State College, PA (November 2017). Talk titled *Dissecting the Neurocircuitry Underlying Binge Alcohol Drinking and the Transition to Dependence*.
- Department of Department of Biological Sciences, University of Toronto Scarborough, Toronto, Canada (March 2017). Talk titled *Dissecting the Neurocircuitry that Modulates Binge Alcohol Drinking and the Transition to Dependence*.
- Undergraduate Neuroscience Club, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC (March 2017). Talk titled *How does the brain make us binge drink alcohol?*: Discovering pharmacotherapies to treat alcohol use disorders.
- Department of Psychology, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico (February 2017). Talk titled Dissecting the Neurocircuitry Underlying Binge Alcohol Drinking and the Transition to Dependence.
- Department of Biology, North Carolina Center University, Durham, North Carolina (September 2015). Talk titled Binge Drinking and the Transition to Alcohol Dependence: A Role for Stress-Related Neuropeptides of the Extended Amygdala.
- Bowles Center for Alcohol Studies, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina (March 2015). Talk titled Neuropeptide Y and Corticotropin Releasing Factor Signaling within the Extended Amygdala Modulate Binge Alcohol Drinking.

- Gordon Research Conference: Alcohol & the Nervous System (February 2014). Talk titled *Recruitment of Neuropeptide Y and Corticotropin Releasing Factor During Binge Ethanol Drinking: Mechanisms Underlying the Transition to Ethanol Dependence?*
- Alcohol Research Center, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, South Carolina (September 2013).

 Talk titled Recruitment of Neuropeptides within the Extended Amygdala during Binge Ethanol Drinking:

 Mechanisms Underlying the Transition to Ethanol Dependence?
- Alcohol and Drug Abuse Research Program and Translational Addiction Research Center, Washington State University, Pullman, Washington (March 2013). Talk titled *Overlapping Neuropeptide Modulation of Binge Alcohol Drinking and Eating Disorders: Can We Kill Two Birds with One Stone?*
- McLean Hospital, Harvard Medical School, Belmont, Massachusetts (November 2012). Talk titled *Recruitment* of Neuropeptide Y and Corticotropin Releasing Factor During Binge Ethanol Drinking: Mechanisms Underlying the Transition to Ethanol Dependence?
- Bowles Center for Alcohol Studies, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina (September 2012).

 Talk titled *Melanocortin Signaling in the Lateral Hypothalamus Modulates Binge-Like Ethanol Drinking*.
- Department of Psychology, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington (October 2011). Talk titled Corticotropin releasing factor (CRF) type-1 receptors (CRF1R) in the central amygdala (CeA) modulate binge-like alcohol drinking in non-dependent C57BL6/J mice.
- Department of Pharmacology & Neuroscience, Health Sciences Center, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas (October 2010). Talk titled *Neuropeptides of the extended Amygdala Modulate Binge-Like Alcohol Drinking in Mice: Implications for Pharmacotherapy*.
- Departamento de Psicologia Experimental y Fisiologia del Comportamiento, University of Granada, Granada, Spain (June 2010). Talk titled *A Role for Central Neuropeptides in Binge Alcohol Drinking*.
- Departamento de Neurociencia y Ciencias de la Salud, University of Almeria, Almeria, Spain (April 2010). Talk titled A Role for Central Neuropeptides in Binge Alcohol Drinking.
- Bowles Center for Alcohol Studies, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina (February 2010). Talk titled NPY and CRF Modulate Binge-Like Ethanol Drinking in C57BL/6J Mice.
- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Intramural Research Program, Bethesda, Maryland (September 2009). Talk titled A Role for CRF & NPY Receptor Signaling in the Modulation of Binge-like Ethanol Drinking by C57BL/6J Mice.
- Department of Psychology, University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, Illinois (May 2008). Talk titled *Diverse Roles* for Neuropeptide Y in Neurobiological Responses to Ethanol.
- Department of Psychology, University of Alaska Anchorage, Anchorage, Alaska (April 2008). Talk titled *The Role of Central Neuropeptides in Stress-Induced Alcohol Drinking*.

- Bowles Center for Alcohol Studies, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina (November 2007). Talk titled A Role for Neuropeptide Y (NPY) and Corticotropin Releasing Factor (CRF) in the Modulation of Neurobiological Responses to Ethanol.
- Department of Psychology, Clinical Program, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina (February 2007). Talk titled *The Role of Neuropeptide Y (NPY) in Ethanol Self-Administration*.
- The Annual Meeting of the American College of Neuropsychopharmacology, Waikoloa, Hawaii (December 2005).

 Invited speaker for a symposium titled *The Role of Feeding Neuropeptides in Alcohol and Drug Dependence*. Chaired by Drs. Michael Lewis and George Koob. Talk titled *Neuropeptide Y and Melanocortin Neuropeptides Regulate Alcohol Intake and Feeding: Are Overlapping Pathways Involved?*
- Neuroscience Institute at the University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis, Tennessee (November 2005). Talk titled *Too Much Booze, Too Much Food: Overlapping Neuropeptide Control of Alcohol and Food Ingestion?*
- Bowles Center for Alcohol Studies, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina (October 2005). Talk titled *Predictors of High Ethanol Consumption in Protein Kinase A Mutant Mice*.
- Departments of Neurotoxicology and Psychopharmacology, Rovira i Virgili University, Tarragona, Spain (June 2005). Talk titled *The Role of Neuropeptide Y in Alcohol Self-Administration*.
- Sarah W. Stedman Nutrition and Metabolism Center, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina (February 2004). Talk titled *Alcoholism and Obesity: Overlapping Neuropeptide Pathways?*
- Gallo Alcohol Research Center, University of California, San Francisco, California (December 2002). Talk titled *From Neuropeptides to Protein Kinase A: A Pathway to Alcoholism.*
- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism sponsored symposium at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Ingestive Behavior, Santa Cruz, California (August 2002). Symposium titled *Peptides: Their Role in Excess Alcohol Drinking and Their Promise as a Therapeutic Tool. Talk titled The Relationship between Neuropeptide Y (NPY) and Ethanol-Related Behaviors in Mutant Mice Lacking Specific NPY Receptor and in Rats Selectively Bred for Alcohol Preference.*
- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism sponsored Satellite Symposium at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Neuroscience, San Diego, California (November 2001). Symposium titled *Neurogenetics of Alcoholism*. Talk titled *Knockout and Transgenic Mouse Models: Powerful Tools for Investigating the Neurobiology of Alcoholism*.
- Bowles Center for Alcohol Studies, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina (November 2001). Talk titled *Neuropeptide Y Y1 and Y2 Receptors Modulate Voluntary Consumption of Ethanol.*
- Merck Research Laboratories, Department of Obesity Research, Rahway, New Jersey (December 2000). Talk titled Genetic and Pharmacological Approaches Towards Understanding the Neurobiology of Drug Reward and Aversion.



Department of Behavioral Neuroscience, Oregon Health Sciences University, Portland, Oregon (October 2000).

Talk titled *Behavioral Characterization of Protein Kinase A-Mutant Mice.*

American Society for Addiction Medicine (ASAM), Chicago, Illinois (April 2000). Invited speaker for a NIAAA sponsored symposium titled *Clinical Insights from Animal Models*. Talk titled *Gene Knockout and Transgenic Mouse Models: Powerful Tools for Investigating the Neurobiology of Alcoholism*.

Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington (January 2000). Invited speaker for a Grand Rounds lecture series. Talk titled *The Role of Neuropeptides in Voluntary Ethanol Consumption*.

National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, Bethesda, Maryland (April 1999). Invited speaker for a workshop/symposium titled *Neuropeptides and Alcohol Intake*. Talk titled *The Role of Neuropeptide Y in Voluntary Ethanol Consumption*.

Lilly Research Laboratories, Lilly Corporate Center, Indianapolis, Indiana (October 1998). Talk titled *Simple Tests* for Assessing Potential Aversive Side-Effects in Anorectic Compounds.

University of Groningen, Department of Animal Physiology, Haren, the Netherlands (March 1998). Talk titled *Mutant Mice Lacking Neuropeptide-Y Consume More Ethanol Relative to Wild-type Mice.*

Teaching Activities

COURSES TAUGHT OVER THE LAST 3-YEARS

UNDERGRADUATE

Learning (PSYC 222) Summer Session II 2017 (24 students)

Maymester 2017 (11 students)

Honors Learning (PSYC 222H) Fall 2017 (23 students)

Fall 2016 (24 students)

GRADUATE

Brain & Behavior II (PSYC 702) Spring 2015 (6 students)

Spring 2017 (3 students)

Research Seminar in Addiction Science I (PSYC 720) Fall 2015 (6 students)

Research Seminar in Addiction Science II (PSYC 721) Spring 2018 (6 students)

GUEST LECTURES

Introduction to Neuroscience (PSYC 315), Guest Lecture Fall 2017 (~100 students)

Fall 2016 (~100 students)

STUDENT AND POST-DOCTORAL FELLOW SUPERVISION

Post-Doctoral Fellow Mentees

Stacey Robinson, Ph.D. 2015-present.

Alex Marshall, Ph.D. 2013-2016.

Jennifer Rinker, Ph.D., 2011-2014.

Frank Ferraro, Ph.D., 2004-2006.

Doctoral Student Mentees

Honoree Brewton, Psychology & Neuroscience, Graduate Program, 2017-present.

Michel Companion, Psychology & Neuroscience, Graduate Program, 2015-present.

Nathan Burnham, Psychology & Neuroscience, Graduate Program, 2014-present.

John Casachahua, Psychology & Neuroscience, Graduate Program, 2011-2016.

Dissertation title "The role of cytokines in binge-like ethanol consumption and ethanol-induced sedation"

Jeff Olney, Psychology & Neuroscience, Graduate Program, 2011-2016.

Dissertation title "An examination of the role of the central orexin system in binge-like ethanol consumption"

Gretchen Sprow, Psychology, Graduate Program, 2008-2013.

Dissertation title "The role of the melanocortin system in binge-like ethanol consumption"

Emily Lowery-Gionta, Psychology Graduate Program, 2006-2011.

Dissertation title "The role of corticotropin releasing factor in binge-like ethanol consumption"

Angela Sparrow (Lyons), Psychology Graduate Program, 2006-2011.

Dissertation title "The role of neuropeptide Y signaling on binge-like ethanol consumption"

Dayna Hayes, Psychology Graduate Program, 2003-2009.

Dissertation title "Ethanol-induced locomotor sensitization and ethanol consumption: The role of neuropeptide Y"

Dennis Sparta, Psychology Graduate Program, 2002-2007.

Dissertation title "Rodent models of human alcoholism: Implications for a role of neuropeptide Y and corticotropin releasing factor"

Jon Fee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2002-2007.

Dissertation title "The role of protein kinase A and stress in ethanol-induced locomotor sensitization"

Master's & Rotation Student Mentees

Maria Luisa Ines Mercedes, Rotating BBSP Graduate Student, Spring 2016.



Marian Mersmann, Psychology, Graduate Program, 2013-14.

Benjamin Cox, Psychology, Graduate Program, 2011-2013.

Daniel Albaugh, Rotating BBSP Graduate Student, Fall 2010.

Undergraduate Student Mentees

- Cortland Vis, Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Fall 2017 and Spring 2018.
- Rachel Barndt, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 395), Spring 2016.
- Corryn Chaimowitz, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 395), Spring 2016.
- Isabel Marrero, Undergraduate Research Volunteer, Fall 2015.
- Rachel Singley, Undergraduate Research Volunteer, Summer 2015.
- Suzahn Ebert, Independent Undergraduate Research (Psych 395), 2014-2016.
- Allyson Blose, Undergraduate Independent Research (Chem 395), 2013-2016.
- Bolu Aluko, Independent Undergraduate Research (Biol 395), 2014-2015.
- Langston Harrison, Undergraduate Research Volunteer, 2014-2015.
- Shay Daji, Undergraduate Independent Research (Biol 395), 2013-2015.
- Katarina Swaim, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 395), Spring 2015.
- Jessica Trexler, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 395), Spring 2014.
- Nicole Eskenasi, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 395), Spring 2013.
- Andrew Wright, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 395), Fall 2012, Spring 2013.
- Thomas Lunney, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 98/395), Spring 2009.
- Clodagh Mullen, Undergraduate Honors Thesis, Fall and Spring, 2006-2007.
- Erin Trado, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 98), Summer and Fall, 2005.
- Kimberley Cubit, Summer Pre-Graduate Research Experience Program, Summer 2004.
- Elizabeth Schenk, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 98), Fall 2002.
- Andreas Perlegas, Undergraduate Independent Research (Psych 98), Fall 2002.
- Benjamin Anderson, Undergraduate Honors Thesis Committee, Fall, 2001.

Dissertation & Master's Committees

- Viren Makhijani, Dissertation Committee, Curriculum in Neuroscience, 2017-present.
- Maria Luisa Ines Mercedes, Chair, Dissertation Committee, Curriculum in Neuroscience, 2017-present.
- Meghan Jones, Dissertation Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2016-2017.
- Deirdre Sackett, Dissertation Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2016-present.
- Monica Faulkner, Dissertation Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2015-2017.
- Rachel Haake, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2017.
- Nathan Burnham, Chair, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2017.
- Colleen Lonergan, Dissertation Committee, Neurobiology Curriculum, 2014-present.
- Christopher Mazzone, Dissertation Committee, Neurobiology Curriculum, 2013-2017.
- Abigail Agoglia, Dissertation Committee, Neurobiology Curriculum, 2013-2017.
- Jennifer Green, Dissertation Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2012-2015.
- Dominic Cerri, Dissertation Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2014-2016.
- Jeff Olney, Chair of Dissertation Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2014-2016.
- Lee Hutson, Dissertation Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2016.



- Deirdre Sackett, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2016.
- John Casachahua, Co-Chair of Dissertation Committee, Psychology & Neuroscience, 2012-2016.
- Mark Presker, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2015.
- Jeff Olney, Chair of Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2014-2015.
- Kati Healey, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2014.
- Meghan Jones, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2014.
- Dominic Cerri, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2013.
- Lee Hutson, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2013.
- Courtney Cameron, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2012-2014.
- Daniel Harper, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2012-2014.
- Benjamin Cox, Chair of Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2012-2013.
- Jeff Olney, Chair of Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2012-2013.
- Gretchen Sprow, Chair of Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2012-2013.
- Jon Sugam, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2012-2013.
- Heather Lasseter, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2011.
- Jon Sugam, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2011.
- Gretchen Sprow, Chair of Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2011.
- Emily Lowery, Chair of Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2009-2011.
- Angela Lyons, Chair of Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2009-2011.
- Alison Wagner, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2009-2010.
- Laurence Miller, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2009-2010.
- Marina Spanos, Dissertation Committee, Neurobiology Curriculum, 2007-2010.
- Angela Sparrow, Chair of Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2008.
- Emily Lowery, Chair of Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2008.
- Dayna Hayes, Chair of Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2007-2009.
- Rebecca Klatzkin, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2007-2009.
- Jeremy Day, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2006.
- Tiffany Wills, Dissertation Committee, Neurobiology Curriculum, 2006-2009.
- Jennifer Thomson, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2006-2009.
- Stephanie Traina, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2008.
- Heather Lasseter, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2008.
- Rebekah Stevenson, Chair of Dissertation Committee, Neurobiology Curriculum, 2005-2008.
- Joshua Jones, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2007.
- Dennis Sparta, Chair of Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2005-2007.
- Timothy Sauer, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2005-2007.
- Lisa Lomas, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2004-2007.
- Jon Fee, Chair of Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2005-2007.
- Rebecca Klatzkin, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2006.
- Elizabeth Mechlin, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2006.
- Jonathan Hollander, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2003-2006.
- Jay Elliot, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2005.
- Ryan Lanier, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2004-2005.
- Garret Stuber, Dissertation Committee, Neurobiology Curriculum, 2003-2005.
- Jolan Terner, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2003-2005.



- Jameeliyah Lane, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2005.
- Dayna Hayes, Chair of Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2005.
- Jon Fee, Chair of Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2004.
- Dennis Sparta, Chair of Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2004.
- Andrew Barrett, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2001-2003.
- Kelly Carrigan, Dissertation Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2002.
- Jolan Terner, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2002.
- Jonathan Hollander, Master's Thesis Committee, Psychology Graduate Program, 2002.

Grants

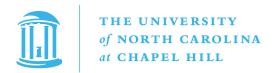
ACTIVE/PEN	DING GRANTS
Pending	Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Grant (3 rd renewal of R01-AA013573): The Role of Neuropeptide Y in Ethanol Intake and Sensitivity. Total direct costs \$1,250,000 requested. Scored at 10th percentile.
Pending	Co-Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Grant (R01 AA027174): A role for IL-1 beta in ethanol withdrawal-induced increase of PTSD-like phenotypes. Total direct costs \$1,250,000 requested.
Pending	Co-Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Grant (R01-AA025809): The role of norepinephrine in binge alcohol drinking and taste aversion. Total direct costs \$1,250,000 requested.
2016-2018	Co-Investigator, UNC School of Medicine/TraCS Translational Team Science Award (TTSA018P1): Assessing Changes in the Brain Melanocortin System and Sensory Processing in Response to Alcohol to Advance our Understanding of the Pathophysiology and Psychopharmacology of Binge Drinking. Total direct costs \$60,000.
2013-2019	Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Grant (R01-AA022048): The Role of Corticotropin Releasing Factor in Binge-Like Ethanol Drinking. Total direct costs \$1,000,000.
2012-2018	Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Grant (2 nd renewal of R01-AA013573): The Role of Neuropeptide Y in Ethanol Intake and Sensitivity. Total direct costs \$787,500.

COMPLETED GRANTS

- 2012-2017 Co-Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Center Grant (P60AA011605)
 Titled: Molecular and Cellular Pathogenesis of Alcoholism. Component 4: Deconstructing CRF
 Circuits that Modulate Binge Ethanol Intake.
- 2012-2017 Co-Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Center Grant (P60AA011605)
 Titled: Molecular and Cellular Pathogenesis of Alcoholism. Component 5: PKA Regulation of GABAA Receptor Pathogenesis.

2016-2017	Diversity Supplement to grant R01-AA022048. Total direct costs \$111,354.
2013-2016	Diversity Supplement to grant R01-AA013573. Total direct costs \$140,875.
2014-2016	Co-Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism R21 application: Adolescent binging augments alcohol intake: A role for histone methylation. Total direct costs \$275,000.
2010-2016	Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Grant (1st renewal of R01-AA015148): Melanocortin Neuropeptides and Ethanol Intake. Total direct costs \$1,068,750.
2009-2013	Principal Investigator, Department of Defense Research Grant (W81XWH-09-1-0293): Melanocortin and Opioid Peptide Interactions in the Modulation of Binge Alcohol Drinking. Total direct costs \$475,195.
2005-2011	Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Grant (1st renewal of R01-AA013573): The Role of Neuropeptide Y in Ethanol Intake and Sensitivity. Total direct costs \$906,250.
2005-2010	Principal Investigator, Department of Defense Research Grant (W81XWH-06-1-0158): The Role of Neuropeptide Y (NPY) in Uncontrolled Alcohol Drinking and Relapse Behavior Resulting from Exposure to Stressful Stimuli. Total direct costs \$610,664.
2005-2010	Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Grant (R01-AA015148): Melanocortin Neuropeptides and Ethanol Intake. Total direct costs \$724,800.
2002-2005	Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Center Grant Pilot Project (P60-AA011605): The Role of Protein Kinase A (PKA) in Neurobiological Responses to Ethanol. Total direct costs \$45,000.
2004-2005	Principal Investigator, Merck Pharmaceuticals Research Grant: The Effects of Neuropeptide Y Antagonists on Operant Self-Administration of Ethanol by C57BL/6J Mice. Total direct costs \$37,943.
2001-2005	Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Research Grant (R01-AA013573): The Role of Neuropeptide Y in Ethanol Intake and Sensitivity. Total direct costs \$600,000.
1998-2003	Principal Investigator, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Career Development Grant (K01-AA00258): Neuronal Mediation of Ethanol-Induced Taste Aversions. Total direct costs \$374,378.
2002-2003	Principal Investigator, Merck Pharmaceuticals Research Grant: The Effects of Neuropeptide Y Antagonists on Voluntary Ethanol Drinking. Total direct costs \$17,925.

Principal Investigator, Junior Faculty Development Award from the University of North Carolina: 2001-2002 The Role of Neuropeptide Y Receptors in Neurobiological Responses to Ethanol. Total direct costs \$5000. 2001-2002 Principal Investigator, Mason and Linda Stephenson Faculty Award, Psychology Department, University of North Carolina: The Role of Specific Neuropeptide Y Receptors in Neurobiological Responses to Ethanol. \$450. 2001 Principal Investigator, Alcohol and Drug Abuse Institute of the University of Washington Research Grant: The Role of Specific Neuropeptide Y Receptors in Neurobiological Responses to Ethanol and Diazepam. Total direct costs \$19,728. 1996-1995 Co-Investigator, Alcohol and Drug Abuse Institute of the University of Washington Research Grant: cFos Induction in Response to Alcohol and Tastes Paired with Alcohol in Alcohol-Preferring (P) and Alcohol-Nonpreferring (NP) rats. Total direct costs \$14,783. 1994-1995 Trainee, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Pre-Doctoral Fellowship (F31-AA05397): Memory Mechanisms of Learned Alcohol Aversions in Rats. SPONSORED PRE- AND POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS 2017-2019 Post-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Stacey L. Robinson, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (F32AA025811): The role of medial prefrontal cortex CRF signaling in binge-like ethanol intake. 2012-2015 Post-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Jennifer A. Rinker, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (F32-AA021611): Histone Methylation: A role in excessive ethanol intake and self-administration. 2012-2015 Post-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Kristen E. Pleil, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism: NPY modulation of GABAergic transmission in the BNST of mice with a history of binge drinking. (Co-sponsor with Dr. Thomas Kash). 2010-2013 Pre-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Gretchen M. Sprow, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (F31-AA019839): Ethanol-Induced Locomotor Sensitization: NPY Signaling and Chromatin Remodeling. 2008-2011 Pre-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Angela M. Sparrow, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (F31-AA017818): Stress-Induced Increases of Ethanol Intake: The Role of Neuropeptide Y (NPY). 2008-2011 Pre-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Emily G. Lowery, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (F31-AA017803): CRF Signaling in Stress- and Dependence-induced ethanol consumption.



2006-2008	Pre-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Dayna M. Hayes, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (F31-AA016716): PKA and NPY Signaling in Ethanol-Induced Sensitization.
2005-2007	Pre-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Jon R. Fee, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (F31-AA015877): The Role of PKA and Stress in Ethanol Sensitization.
2005-2007	Pre-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Dennis R. Sparta, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (F31-AA015875): The Role of NPY on the Alcohol Deprivation Effect.
2005-2007	Post-Doctoral Individual National Research Service Award, Frank M. Ferraro, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (F32-AA015878): The Role of the NPY Y1 Receptor in Ethanol Relapse.

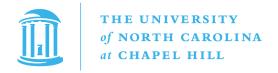
TRAINING GRANT MEMBERSHIP

- Pre-doctoral Training in Research on Drug Abuse. Funded by the National Institute on Drug Abuse. Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, UNC-Chapel Hill (2001 to present).
- Post-doctoral Fellowships in Molecular & Cellular Studies on Alcohol's Actions. Funded by the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Bowles Center for Alcohol Studies (2004 to present).

Service Activities

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

- Panelist, "Graduate Studies in Psychology", presentation to undergraduates considering studies in graduate school. 2017, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Arts & Science COI subcommittee, 2017, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Strategic Planning Committee, 2017-present, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Chancellor's Science Scholars (CSS) Interview Panel. 2017, College of Art & Sciences, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Reappointment Sub-Committee for Sylvia Fitting, Ph.D. 2016-present, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Post-Tenure Review Committee for Regina Carelli. 2016, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.



- Member, Mentoring Committee for Jessica Cohen, Ph.D. 2016-present, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Full Professor Promotion Sub-Committee for Kelly Giovanello, Ph.D. 2016, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Chair, Qualifying Exam Sub-Committee. 2016, Neurobiology Curriculum, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Baughman Dissertation Award Review Committee. 2016, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Chancellor's Science Scholars (CSS) Interview Panel. 2016, College of Art & Sciences, University
 of North Carolina.
- Member, Reappointment Sub-Committee for Marsha Penner, Ph.D. 2016, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Search Committee for Behavioral Neuroscience & Developmental Program Coordinator. 2016, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Search Committee for Accounting Technician. 2016, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Search Committee for Accounting Manager. 2015, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Reappointment Sub-Committee for Kathryn Reissner, Ph.D. 2015, Department of Psychology
 Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Mentoring Committee for Sylvia Fitting, Ph.D. 2015-present, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Post-Tenure Review Committee for Donald Lysle. 2015, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Chair, Cognitive/Developmental Assistant Professor Search Committee. 2014-2015, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, new DLAM Advisory Committee. 2014-present, Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Tenure Promotion Sub-Committee for Charlotte Boettiger, Ph.D. 2014, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.



- Member, Undergraduate Curriculum Review Committee. 2014. Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Tenure Promotion Sub-Committee for Enrique Neblett, Ph.D. 2013, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Chair, Behavioral Neuroscience Assistant Professor Search Committee. 2013-2014, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Chair, Behavioral Neuroscience Assistant Professor Search Committee. 2012-2013, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Chair, Conflict of Interest (COI) Sub-Committee for College of Arts and Science. July, 2012-2015. University
 of North Carolina.
- Member, Graduate Education Committee. 2012-present, Department of Psychology & Neuroscience, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Merit Review Committee. 2012, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Post-Tenure Review Committee. 2012, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Neuroscience Minor Committee. 2011-2013, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Conflict of Interest (COI) Committee for the College of Arts and Sciences. 2011-2015. University of North Carolina.
- Primary Member, Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC). 2011-2015. University of North Carolina.
- Member, Tenure Promotion Sub-Committee for Kelly Giovanello, Ph.D. 2011, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Chair, Search Committee for Grants Administrations Officer. 2011, Department of Psychology, University
 of North Carolina.
- Member, Reappointment Sub-Committee for Charlotte A Boettiger, Ph.D. 2010, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, DLAM Advisory Committee. 2010-2014, Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee, University
 of North Carolina.
- Member, Teaching Awards Committee. 2007-2008, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.

- Member, Mentoring Committee for Rita Fuchs-Lokensgard, Ph.D. 2007-2010, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Alternate Member, Advisory Committee. 2007-2008, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Building Space Committee. 2006-2012, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Reappointment Sub-Committee for Rita Fuchs-Lokensgard, Ph.D. 2007, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Panelist, Promotion Workshop. 2009, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Chair, Search Committee for Grants Administrations Officer. 2009, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Search Committee for Biopsychology Program Assistant. 2006-2007, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Promotion Sub-Committee for Deborah J. Jones, Ph.D. 2007, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Reappointment Sub-Committee for Deborah J. Jones, Ph.D. 2006, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Chair, Colloquium Committee. 2007-2008, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Colloquium Committee. 2005-2009, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Psychobiology Faculty Search Committee. 2004-2005, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Training Program Committee. 2005, Neurobiology Curriculum, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Exam Committee. 2005-Present, Neurobiology Curriculum, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Admissions Committee. 2005-2007, Neurobiology Curriculum, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Executive Committee. 2005-2007, Neurobiology Curriculum, University of North Carolina.
- Interim Member, Administrative Boards of the College of Arts & Sciences and General College. 2005, University of North Carolina.



- Member, Building Improvement Committee. 2004, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Chair, Animal Care and Use Committee. 2002-present, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Animal Care and Use Committee. 2001-2002, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, Baughman Awards Selection Committee. 2002, 2003, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.
- Member, IACUC Subcommittee on protocol violations and sanctions. 2002-2003. University of North Carolina.
- Coordinator, Behavioral Neuroscience Graduate Student Search Committee. 2003, 2004, 2005, 2010, 2011. Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina.

SERVICE TO THE DISCIPLINE

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- International Society for Biomedical Research on Alcoholism
- Research Society on Alcoholism
- Society for Neuroscience

EDITORAL BOARD & CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP:

- Invited Member of the Editorial Board for the journal International Review of Neurobiology, 2018present.
- Guest Editor, International Review of Neurobiology (Volume 136, 2017).
- Invited Member of the Editorial Board for the journal *Frontiers in Molecular Neuroscience*, 2015-present.
- Invited Member of the Editorial Board for the journal Addiction Biology. 2006-present.
- Invited Member of the Editorial Board for the journal Neuropeptides. 2011-present.
- Member of the *Research Society on Alcoholism* (RSA) 2017 Conference Program Committee, 2016-2017.
- Guest Editor, Special Issue of *Peptides* (Volume 28, Issue 2, 2007) on the Proceedings from the 2006 Neuropeptide Y Conference.



AD HOC JOURNAL REVIEWER:

- Addiction Biology
- Alcohol
- Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research
- Alcoholism, Drug Abuse and Substance Dependence
- Appetite
- American Journal of Physiology
- Behavioral Neuroscience
- Behavioural Brain Research
- Brain
- Brain, Behavior, and Immunity
- Brain Research
- Biochemical Pharmacology
- Biochimica et Biophysica Acta
- Biological Psychiatry
- Cerebral Cortex
- CNS Drugs
- CNS Neurological Disorders & Drug Targets
- European Journal of Neuroscience
- European Neuropsychopharmacology
- Genes, Brain, & Behavior
- Journal of Biology
- Journal of Neurochemistry
- Journal of Neuroscience
- Journal of Neuroscience Research
- Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics
- Journal of Studies on Alcohol
- Molecular Pharmacology
- Nature
- Neuropeptides
- Neuropharmacology
- Neuropsychopharmacology
- Neuroreport
- Neuroscience
- Neuroscience Letters
- Neuroscience & Biobehavioral Reviews
- Obesity Research
- Peptides
- Pharmacogenomics
- Pharmacology, Biochemistry, & Behavior
- Physiology & Behavior
- PLOS ONE
- Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, U.S.A.

- Psychonomic Bulletin & Review
- Psychopharmacology
- Regulatory Peptides
- Science
- Science Translational Medicine

AD HOC REVIEW STUDY SECTIONS:

- National Institute of Health. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Panel (ZNS1 SRB-M (03)) (December, 2017).
- National Institute of Health. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Panel (ZAA1 CC (02)) (June, 2016).
- National Institute of Health. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Panel (ZAA1 DD (04) 1) (November, 2014).
- National Institute of Health. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Panel (ZRG1 IFCN-C (02) M) (May, 2014).
- National Institute of Health. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Panel (ZRG1 IFCN-C (03) M) (December, 2013).
- National Institute of Health. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Panel (ZRG1 IFCN-C (02) M) (May, 2013).
- National Institute of Health. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Panel (ZAA1 DD(50) (May, 2011).
- North Carolina TraC\$10K Pilot Award Program. University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC (March, 2009).
- National Institute of Health. Ad hoc reviewer for the Neurotoxicology and Alcohol Study Section (2008/05 NAL) (February, 2008).
- *National Institute of Health.* Ad hoc reviewer for the Neurotoxicology and Alcohol Study Section (2008/01 NAL) (October, 2007).
- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Review Panel (ZAA1 CC(16)) (August, 2007).
- Centers for Health Research, Research Triangle Park, NC. Ad hoc fellowship reviewer (April, 2007).
- Neuroendocrinology, Neuroimmunology, and Behavior Study Section of NIH. Ad hoc reviewer (October, 2006).
- Jeffress Trust grant review for Bank of America, Richmond, VA (August, 2006).

- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Review Panel (ZAA1 DD(62)) (March, 2006).
- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Review Panel (ZAA1 DD(42)) (July, 2005).
- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Review Panel (ZAA1 DD(30)) (March, 2005).
- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Ad hoc reviewer for a Special Emphasis Review Panel (ZAA1 HH (04)) (December, 2004).
- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Ad hoc reviewer for the Biomedical Research Review Subcommittee (AA-1) (June, 2004).
- Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council, Swindon, UK (2000).

CONFERENCES & SYMPOSIUMS ORGANIZED AND/OR CHAIRED AND JUDGING

- Poster Judge at the 2016 Triangle Society for Neuroscience (SFN) Spring Neuroscience Meeting, Research Triangle Park, NC.
- Poster Judge at the 2015 Triangle Society for Neuroscience (SFN) Spring Neuroscience Meeting, Research Triangle Park, NC.
- Co-Organized and chairing a symposium for the 2011 annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Atlanta, GA. Symposium titled *Common Regulators of Excessive Alcohol Drinking in Dependent and Non-Dependent Animals*.
- Co-Organizing the 8th NPY Meeting, St. Petersburg, Florida, 2006.
- Co-Organized a symposium for the 2003 annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Symposium titled *The Role of Ingestive Neuropeptides in the Regulation of Alcohol Self-Administration*.
- Co-Organized and chaired a symposium for the 2002 annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, San Francisco, California. Symposium titled Neuropeptide *Y and Alcoholism: Genetic, Molecular, and Pharmacological Evidence.*
- Chaired a session for the 2002 annual meeting of the Society for Neuroscience, Orlando, Florida. Session titled Drugs of Abuse: Alcohol, Barbiturates, and Benzodiazepines II.
- Organized and chaired a symposium for the 2001 6th International NPY Conference, Sydney, Australia. Session titled *NPY and Drug Addiction*.