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ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2025 – Present: Associate Dean of Research, Norman J. Radow College of Humanities and Social Science; Professor, Department of Psychological Sciences, Kennesaw State University

2025 – Present: University of Georgia, Athens, GA, Dual Appointment (20%)
Professor, Counseling Psychology PhD Program & Clinical Mental Health MS Program.

2012 – 2025: University of Georgia, Athens GA, MFE College of Education
Professor, Counseling Psychology PhD Program & Clinical Mental Health MS
Director, Neuroscience and Aging Clinic (NAC)
Director, Health Psychology Subspecialty Training
Director, Health Equities Research Team
Director of Clinical Training, Counseling Psychology PhD Program (2014-2020)
Department of Counseling and Human Development Services, MFE College of Education. Tenured 2014, Full Professor 2019, University of Georgia

2005-2012: Ohio University, Athens OH
Department of Psychology, College of Arts and Sciences
Clinical Psychology PhD Program (Health Psychology Track)
Assistant Professor of Psychology (Tenure-Track)
Director of Diversity Initiative, Psychology Department

EDUCATION

2001: Washington University, St. Louis MO
MS and PhD Clinical Psychology, APA Accredited Program,
Clinical Health Psychology/Neuropsychology

200x: Rush Presbyterian St. Luke's Medical Center, Chicago IL
APA-Accredited Predoctoral Residency in Clinical Psychology
(Clinical Health Psychology/Neuropsychology/Geropsychology/Sleep Medicine/
Psychosocial Oncology)

OTHER APPOINTMENTS:

2025 – Present American Psychological Association (APA)
Elected Member, Committee on Ethnic Minority Affairs

2025 – Present National Council on Clinical Health Psychology Training Programs
 Board of Directors, Chair (2025 – Present)
 Board of Directors, Elected Secretary (2022-2025)
 Board of Directors, Elected Member (2018-2022)

2019-2022 University of Georgia, Athens GA, College of Public Health
 Institute of Gerontology: Cognitive Aging and Research Education (CARE)
 Diagnosis, Education, Research and Support for Alzheimer’s and Dementia-
 Related Disorders
 Role: Clinical Psychologist/Neuropsychologist (Interdisciplinary Team)

2008 – 2011 Ohio University Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine, Athens
 Adjunct Faculty, College of Medicine

Faculty Fellow, Ohio Voinovich School of Leadership and Public Affairs

LICENSURE

2013 – Present State of Georgia: Licensed Clinical Psychologist #003750: Status - Active

2003 - 2014 State of Ohio: Licensed Clinical Psychologist: Status -Expired

OTHER PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

2002 – 2005 Ohio University, Athens, OH
 Assistant Research Professor, Health Disparities Researcher
 Department of Psychology, College of Arts and Sciences

2001 – 2003 Ohio University, Athens, OH
 Health Psychology Postdoctoral Research Fellow
 Department of Psychology, College of Arts and Sciences

2001 – 2012 Health Recovery Services, Athens, OH
 Clinical Postdoctoral Fellow, Residential Addiction Program
 Bassett House (Court-Ordered Adolescents)
 Rural Women’s Program (Court-Ordered Women)

1991 – 1994 Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee WI
 NIH Minority Fellow, Center for AIDS Intervention Research (CAIR)

FEDERAL GRANT REVIEWS

2024 Panel Grant Reviewer, AHRQ
 Special Emphasis Panel, Health Disparities

2023 Panel Grant Reviewer, AHRQ
 Special Emphasis Panel, Health Disparities

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| 2019 | Panel Grant Reviewer, NIH National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke Minority Health Disparity (NINDS) |
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| 2017 | Panel Grant Reviewer, NIH National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke Minority Health Disparity (NINDS) |
| 2016 | Panel Grant Reviewer, NIH National Institute of Minority Health Disparity (NIMHD) Social, Behavioral, Health Services, and Policy Research on Minority Health and Health Disparities (R01) |
| 2015 | Panel Grant Reviewer, NIH National Institute of Minority Health Disparity (NIMHD) Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR: R24) Program-Planning Phase |
| 2014 | Panel Grant Reviewer, NIH The American Reinvestment and Recovery Act (ARRA): Reviewed NIH grant applications on the topic of health disparities submitted in response to stimulus funding initiative. |

AWARDS

Georgia Psychological Foundation Berman Award (2025): Awarded to a psychologist in Georgia for distinguished service, significant professional contributions, and impactful community service through direct clinical work, consultation, and leadership roles within non-profit or community organizations.

Nominated and Selected to Serve as Reviewer on AHRQ, (2022 – Current): Reducing Racial and Ethnic Healthcare Disparities in Chronic Conditions by Dissemination and Implementation of Patient Centered Outcomes Research (PCOR) Evidence (R18)

National Council of Clinical Health Psychology and Training Programs
Elected to Board of Directors (2018 – Present)
Elected to Secretary (2022 – Present)

Summer Leadership Institute Award (2019)

University of Georgia Provost Office

Associate Dean for Research Award (2018), College of Education

Advanced Training Institute on “Methodological Issues in Research with Diverse Groups.” American Psychological Association Award (2014)

National Institutes of Health (NIH) Minority Research Trainee Fellowship Award (1991-1993)

EDITORSHIP

- Senior Associate Editor, Behavioral Medicine
- Editorial Board, The Counseling Psychologist
- Consulting Editor/Editorial Board, Health Psychology
- Ad hoc reviewer, AIDS and Behavior, Headache, Journal of National Medical Association, Journal of Rural Mental Health, Journal of Clinical Psychology, Cephalalgia, Annals of Behavioral Medicine

EXTRAMURAL FUNDING

National Endowment for Humanities (NEH): 20251119-RZ

Collaborative Research, Art and Peace: Integrated Expressive Arts Interventions for Healing and Peacebuilding, \$248,481, Submitted November, 2025, **Under Review**

Role: Co-Investigator

Department of Health and Human Services (HRSA#25-067)

Health Resources and Service Administration

Preparing health service doctoral psychology trainees for practice in high-need community-based primary care settings in Georgia

\$1,354,968, July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2028, Submitted January 21, 2025. **Awarded/Funded**

Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

Department of Health and Human Services (HRSA#25-068)

Health Resources and Service Administration

Strengthening the behavioral health workforce and connecting skilled health care providers to communities in need in Georgia

\$2,398,144, July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2029, Submitted January 21, 2025. **Not Funded**

Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

Department of Education (DOE):

Growing the Behavioral Health Workforce in High Need K-12 Schools, \$4,900,000,

June 1, 2023 – May 30th, 2029, **Awarded/Funded** April 1, 2023.

Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

Department of Health and Human Services (HRSA#22-077)

Health Resources and Service Administration

Training Psychologists in the Delivery of Integrated Behavioral Health Services in High Need Areas

\$1,346,968, September 1, 2022 – June 30, 2025, **Awarded/Funded** June, 2022.

Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

Department of Health and Human Services (HRSA#21-089)

Health Resources and Service Administration

Growing Georgia's Behavioral Health Workforce Through Transformative Experiential Training

\$1,918,051, July 2021 – June 30 2025, **Awarded/Funded** June 2021.

Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

National Institute of Drug Abuse (3R21DA047893-A1S)

COVID-19 in Rural People Living with HIV and Substance Use Disorders

(Total, Emergency COVID Supplement to R21DA047893)
\$142,338, September 2020 – September 2023, **Awarded/Funded** September 2020.
Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)

National Science Foundation (NSF):
University of Georgia ADVANCE Adaptation Proposal: GA FIRST: Gender Advances to Foster Inclusive, Restorative Systems Transformation, November 2022, **Not Funded**.
Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)

University of Georgia Teaming for Interdisciplinary Research Pre-Seed Program
Interdisciplinary Collaborations: MFE College of Education School of Social Work, College of Public Health, College of Pharmacy
UGA Opioid Initiative \$4000, **Awarded/Funded** 2020.
PI: Elizabeth Weeks, PhD
Heckman Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)

Department of Health and Human Services (HRSA#19-085)
Health Resources and Services Administration
Building Georgia's Behavioral Health Workforce for OUD/SUD Prevention and Treatment
\$1,346,000, September 2019– September 2023, **Awarded/Funded** September 2020.
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

Department of Health and Human Services (HRSA#19-002)
Health Resources and Services Administration
Expanding Georgia's Behavioral Health Workforce for Integrated OUD/SUD Prevention and Treatment with Underserved Populations
\$1,549,000, September 2019– September 2023, **Awarded/Funded** September 2020.
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

Department of Health and Human Services (HRSA#17-070)
Health Resources and Services Administration
An Evaluation and Implementation of Integrated Behavioral Health Services in Community and School Based Sites \$1,900,000, September 2017 – October 2022, **Awarded/Funded** September 2017.
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

Interdisciplinary Presidential Seed Grant Award, University of Georgia
Expanding Telemedicine Services to Meet the Mental and Behavioral Health Needs of Individuals Living with HIV/AIDS in Rural Georgia Communities"
\$92,000, **Awarded/Funded** June 2017 – September 2018.
Role: Co-Principal Investigator (Co-PI)

Department of Health and Human Services (HRSA# G02HP27977) Health Resources and Services Administration
Increasing Integrated Behavioral Health Workforce in K-12 Schools
\$1,370, 000, **Awarded/Funded** September 2014 – September 2018
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

Ohio Headache Association
Race-Related Differences in Headache
\$7,000, August 2003 – July 2006, **Awarded/Funded**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

National Institute of Neurological Disorders Stroke (NINDS 2RO1-NS32374)
Psychiatric Comorbidity and Migraine
\$279,257, July 2002 – August 2004, **Awarded/Funded**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)

National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive Diseases and Kidneys (NIDDK)
Program ACTIVE II: Behavioral Depression Treatment for Type 2 Diabetes
\$2,500,000, August 2011 – July 2016, **Awarded/Funded**
Role: Principal Investigator (Site-PI)

National Institute of Mental Health (NIH; RO1 MH087462)
Telephone IPT Intervention for HIV-Infected Rural Persons
\$1,630,875, December 2009 – November 2013., **Awarded/Funded**
Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)

National Institute of Mental Health (NIH; RO1 MH078749)
Telephone-based Coping Improvement Intervention for HIV-Infected Older Adults
\$1,545,125, August 2006 – July 2011. **Awarded/Funded**
Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

* indicates stringent editorial review, ** indicates invited contribution, stringently reviewed, and carrying prestige and recognition, † graduate advisee's published thesis/dissertation, †† graduate student authorship; IR= Journal Impact Rating.

1. * Davantes Heckman, B. Daigle, J., Outcomes of a training program for school counseling students to provide behavioral health services in underserved rural schools in the United States Journal of Psychologists and Counselors in Schools (Revise and Resubmit)
2. * Heckman, T.G., Davantes Heckman, B., Markowitz, J.M. (2025). A Generative AI Chatbot for mental health treatment: A step in the right direction? New England Journal of Medicine AI, 2, 9.
3. * Heckman, T., Davantes Heckman, B, Markowitz, J. The Continuing Need for HIV Telehealth Services Following the COVID-19 Pandemic. American Journal of Public Health. (in press).
4. ** Schmitt, A., Hayburn, A., Pardej, Davantes Heckman, B. et al. Fostering Socially Responsive Supervision and Evaluation in Health Service Psychology. Professional Psychology: Research and Practice (Accepted).
5. * Ziomek, J., & Davantes Heckman, B. (2019). Integrating behavioral and social/emotional supports within the Rtl model. Journal of Professional Counseling: Practice, Theory, and Research. 46(1-2), 27-38.
6. * Heckman, T.G., Markowitz, J.C., Davantes Heckman, B., Woldu, H., Anderson, T., Lovejoy, T.I., Shen, Y., Sutton, M., & Yarber, W. (2018). A randomized clinical trial showing persisting reductions in depressive symptoms in HIV-infected rural adults following brief telephone-administered Interpersonal Psychotherapy. Annals of Behavioral Medicine, 52(4), 299-308. Epub January 25, 2018. doi: 10.1093/abm/kax015.

7. *Anderson, T., McClintock, A. S., McCarrick, S. M., Heckman, T. G., Davantes Heckman, B., Markowitz, J. C., & Sutton, M. (2018). Working alliance, interpersonal problems, and depressive symptoms in tele-interpersonal psychotherapy for HIV-infected rural persons: evidence for an indirect effects model. *Journal of Clinical Psychology, 74*, 286-303
8. *Heckman, T.G., Davantes Heckman, B., Anderson, T., Bianco, J., Sutton, M., Lovejoy, T. (2017) Common factors and depressive symptom relief trajectories in group teletherapy for persons aging with HIV. *Clinical Psychology and Psychotherapy, 24*(1), 139-148. doi: 10.1002/cpp.1989.
9. *Heckman, T.G., Davantes Heckman, B., Anderson, T., Lovejoy, T.I., Markowitz, J.C. Shen, Y., & Sutton, M. (2017). Tele-interpersonal psychotherapy acutely reduces depressive symptoms in depressed HIV-infected rural persons: A randomized clinical trial. *Behavioral Medicine, 43* (4), 285-295. (IR=2.3).
10. *Anderson, T., Crowley, M.E., Binder, J. L., Davantes Heckman, B., & Patterson, C. L. (2017). Does the supervisor's teaching style influence the supervisee's acquisition of prescribed techniques and attitudes toward clients? *Psychotherapy Research*, Advance online publication. 27(5), 549-557. doi: 10.1080/10503307.2015. [IR=2.57).
11. * McGeachie, M.J., Yates, K.P., Zhou, X., Guo, F., Sternberg, A.L., Van Natta, M.L., Wise, R.A., Szeffler, S.J., Sharma, S., Kho, A.T., Cho, M.H., Croteau-Chonka, D.C., Castaldi, P.J., Jain, G.H., , Postma, D.S., Raby, B.A., Houston, I., Lu, Q., Fuhlbrigge, A.L., Tantisira, K.G., Silverman, E.K., Tonascia, J., Weiss, S.T., Strunk, R.C. & CAMP Research Group [Davantes Heckman, B] (2016). Patterns of growth and decline in lung function in persistent childhood asthma. *New England Journal Medicine, 12*, 374(19), 1842-1852. doi: 10.1056/NEJMoa1513737. (IR=59.6).
12. *Davantes Heckman, B. Britton, A. (2015) Headache in Black Americans: An overlooked health disparity? *Journal of the National Medical Association, 107*, 2, 39-45. JNMA (IR=1.2)
13. *Strunk, R.C., Colvin, R., Bacharier, L.B., Fuhlbrigge, A., Forno, E., Arbelaez, A.M., Tantisira, K.G.; Childhood Asthma Management Program Research Group [Davantes Heckman B]. (2015). Airway obstruction worsens in young adults with asthma who become obese. *Journal of Allergy and Clinical Immunological Practice, 3*(5), 765-771.e2. doi: 10.1016/j.jaip.2015.05.009 (IR=5.43).
14. *Howrylak, J.A., Fuhlbrigge, A.L., Strunk, R.C., Zeiger, R.S., Weiss, S.T., Raby, B.A; Childhood Asthma Management Program Research Group [Davantes Heckman, B] (2014). Classification of childhood asthma phenotypes and long-term clinical responses to inhaled anti-inflammatory medications. *Journal of Allergy and Clinical Immunological Practice, 133*(5), 1289-1300, 1300.e1-12. (IR=5.43).
15. *Davantes Heckman, B., Lovejoy, T., Heckman, T., Anderson, T.A. Bianco, J., Grimes, T., Sutton, M. (2014). The moderating role of sexual identity in group tele-therapy for adults aging with HIV. *Behavioral Medicine, 40*(3), 1224-1233. (IR=2.3).
16. *Davantes Heckman B., Averyt, J., Anderson, T. (2013). Race, psychiatric comorbidity, and headache characteristics in patients in headache subspecialty treatment clinics. *Ethnicity and Health, 18*(1), 34-52. (IR = 1.64).
17. *Heckman, T.G., Davantes Heckman, B., Anderson, T., Lovejoy, T.I., Mohr, D., Sutton, M., Bianco, J., & Gau, J. (2013). Supportive-expressive group teletherapy reduces depressive symptoms in HIV-infected older adult: Results from a randomized clinical trial. *AIDS and Behavior, 17*(9), 3034-3044. (IR=3.49).
18. *Anderson T, Crowley ME, Patterson CL, Davantes Heckman B. (2012).The influence of supervision on manual adherence and therapeutic processes. *Journal of Clinical Psychology, 68*, 972-988. (IR=2.1).
19. *Anderson, T., Knobloch-Fedders, L., Stiles, W.B., Ordonez, T., & Davantes Heckman, B. (2012). The power of subtle interpersonal hostility in psychodynamic psychotherapy: A speech acts analysis. *Psychotherapy Research, 22*, 348-362. (IR= 1.71).
20. *Lovejoy, T.L., Heckman, T.G., Suhr, J., Anderson, T., Davantes Heckman, B., & France, C. (2011). Telephone-administered motivational interviewing reduces risky sexual behavior in HIV-positive late middle-age and older adults: A pilot randomized controlled trial. *AIDS and Behavior, 15*, 1623-1634. (IR=3.20).

21. *Lewis, K., Davantes Heckman, B. (2011). Growth mixture modeling of treatment outcomes in subspecialty headache clinics. *Pain*, 152, 1718-1726. (IR=6.03).
22. *Davantes Heckman B., Ellis, G. (2011). Psychosocial correlates of medication adherence in African American and Caucasian Headache patients: An exploratory study. *Headache*, 51, 520-532. (IR= 2.79).
23. *Davantes Heckman, B., Berlin, K., Heckman, T., & Feaster, D. (2011). Psychometric characteristics and race-related measurement invariance of stress and coping measures in adults with HIV/AIDS. *AIDS and Behavior*, 15(2), 441-453. (IR=3.20).
24. *Lewis, K., Davantes Heckman, B. (2011). Growth mixture modeling of treatment outcomes in subspecialty headache clinics. *Pain*, 152, 1718-1726. (IR=6.03).
25. *Davantes Heckman B., Ellis, G. (2011). Psychosocial correlates of medication adherence in African American and Caucasian Headache patients: An exploratory study. *Headache*, 51, 520-532. (IR= 2.79).
26. *Davantes Heckman, B., Berlin, K., Heckman, T., & Feaster, D. (2011). Psychometric characteristics and race-related measurement invariance of stress and coping measures in adults with HIV/AIDS. *AIDS and Behavior*, 15(2), 441-453. (IR=3.20).
27. *Davantes Heckman, B., Berlin, K., Watakakosol, R., St. Pierre, V. (2011). Psychometric characteristics and measurement invariance of psychosocial headache measures in Caucasian and African American headache patients. *Cephalalgia*, 31(2), 222-234. (IR=3.69).
28. *Wei, C., Davantes Heckman, B. Gay, J., Weeks, J. (2011). The role of coping and social support in adolescents with substance use disorders. *Journal of Substance Abuse and Treatment*, 40(3), 272-280. (IR=2.90).
29. *Cosio, D., Heckman, T., Anderson, T., Davantes Heckman, B. et al. (2010). A telephone-delivered, motivational interviewing intervention to reduce risky sexual behavior in HIV-infected rural persons: *Sexually Transmitted Diseases*, 37, 140-146. (IR=2.57).
30. *Davantes Heckman B., Holroyd, K., Himawan, L., O'Donnell, F.J.O., Tietjen, G., Utley, C., Stillman, M. (2009). Do psychiatric comorbidities influence headache treatment outcomes? Results of a naturalistic longitudinal treatment study? *Pain*, 146, 56-64. (IR=6.03).
31. *Davantes Heckman B., Holroyd, K., Tietjen, G., O'Donnell, F., Himawan, L., Utley, C., Watakakosol, R., & Stillman, M. (2009). Caucasians and African Americans in headache specialty clinics respond equally well to headache treatments. *Cephalalgia*, 6, 650-661. (IR=3.69).
32. *Davantes Heckman B., Holroyd, K., Tietjen, G., O'Donnell, F.J.O., Utley, C. et al. (2008). Race differences in adherence to headache treatment appointments in persons with headache disorders. *Journal of the National Medical Association*, 100, 247-255. (IR=1.2)
33. **Davantes Heckman, B., Holroyd, K. (2006). Psychiatric comorbidity and tension-type headache: Review paper. *Current Pain and Headache Report*, 10, 439-447
34. *Davantes Heckman, B. (2006). Psychosocial differences between Whites and African Americans living with HIV/AIDS in rural areas of 13 U.S. States, *Journal of Rural Health*, 22, 131-139. (IR=1.2).
35. *Davantes Heckman, B., Fisher, E.B., Monsees, B., Merbaum, M., Ristvedt, S. (2004). Coping and anxiety in women who receive a false-positive mammogram. *Health Psychology*, 23, 42-48. (IR=2.62).
36. *Davantes Heckman, B., Catz, S., Heckman, T.G., Miller, J.G., & Kalichman, S.C. (2004). Adherence to antiretroviral therapies among HIV-infected rural persons. *AIDS Care*, 16, 219-230. (IR=1.56).
37. *Heckman, T.G., Davantes Heckman, B., Kochman, A., Suhr, J., & Goodkin, K. (2002). Psychological symptoms among persons 50 years of age and older living with HIV disease. *Aging and Mental Health*, 6, 121-128. (IR=1.06).
38. *Bender, B.G., Annett, R., Ikle, D., DuHamel, T.R., Rand, C., Strunk, R.C. and the CAMP Research Group (B. D. Heckman; 2000) Relationship between disease and psychological adaptation in children in the Childhood Asthma Management Program and their families. *Archives of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine*, 154, 706-713. (IR=2.89).

39. *Annett, R., Aylward, E., Lapidus, J., Bender, B., DuHamel, T., CAMP Research Group (B.D. Heckman; 2000). Neurocognitive functioning in children with mild and moderate asthma in the Childhood Asthma Management Program. *Journal of Allergy Clinical Immunology*, 105,717-724. (IR=7.21).
40. *Childhood Asthma Management Program Research Group (B.D. Heckman; 1999). The childhood asthma management program research group. *Controlled Clinical Trials*, 20, 91-120. (IR=2.0).
41. *Heckman, T.G., Kelly, J.A., Somlai, A.M., Kalichman, S.C., & Davantes, B. (1999). High risk sexual behavior among persons living with HIV disease in small towns and rural areas. *Journal of Sex Education and Therapy*, 24, 29-36.
42. *Heckman, T.G., Kalichman, S.C., Roffman, R.A., Sikkema, K.J., Davantes, B., Somlai, A.M., Walker, J. (1999). A telephone-delivered coping improvement intervention for persons living with HIV/AIDS in rural areas. *Social Work with Groups*, 21, 49-62.
43. *Heckman, T.G., Somlai, A.M., Otto-Salaj, L., Davantes, B.R. (1998). Health-related quality of life among people living with HIV/AIDS in small communities and rural areas. *Psychology & Health*, 13, 859-871. (IR=1.68).
44. *Somlai, A.M., Kelly, J.A., Kalichman, S.C., Mulry, G., Sikkema, K.J., McAuliffe, T., Multhauf, K., & Davantes, B.R. (1996). An empirical investigation of spirituality, coping, and emotional distress in people living with HIV and AIDS. *The Journal of Pastoral Care*, 50, 181-191.
45. *Kelly, J.A., Murphy, D.A., Washington. C.D., Wilson, T. S., Koob, J.J., Ledezma, G., Davantes, B.R. (1994) HIV/AIDS prevention groups for high-risk women seen in urban primary health care clinics. *American Journal of Public Health*, 84, 1918-22. (IR=3.23).

BOOK CHAPTERS/MAGAZINES

Heckman, T.G., Anderson, T., Heckman, B.D. (in press). Telephone Administered IPT (Tele-IPT) for Rural Persons Living with HIV and Comorbid Depression. In "Interpersonal Psychotherapy: A Global Reach." Weissman, M., & Markowitz, J. (Editors). Oxford University Press.

Heckman, T. Davantes Heckman, B. (2013). In American Academy of HIV Medicine (Ed.), *Treating pain in older adults living with HIV* (4th ed., Vol. 5). HIV Specialist, American Academy of HIV Medicine.

Anderson, T., Ogles, B. M., Heckman, B. D., & McFarlane, P. (2012). Varieties of corrective experiencing in context: A study of contrasts. In L. G. Castonguay and C. E. Hill (Eds.) *Transformation in Psychotherapy: Corrective Experiences across Cognitive Behavioral, Humanistic, and Psychodynamic Approaches* (pp. 281- 316). Washington DC: American Psychological Association.

MEDIA OUTLETS IN WHICH RESEARCH WAS HIGHLIGHTED

Featured in MD Linx (2009):

Davantes Heckman, B., Holroyd, K., O'Donnell, F., Tietjen, G, Utley, C., Stillman, M., Watakakosol, R. (2009). Caucasians and African Americans in headache specialty clinics respond equally well to headache treatments. *Cephalalgia*. 9, 12, 650-661.

Featured in MD Linx and Science News (2009):

Davantes Heckman, B., Holroyd, K., O'Donnell, FJO, Tietjen, G., Utley, C., Stillman, M. (2009) Do psychiatric comorbidities influence headache treatment outcomes? Results of a naturalistic longitudinal treatment study? *Pain*, 146, 56-64.

ARTICLE IN PROFESSIONAL NEWSLETTER

Gay, J., Davantes Heckman, B., Wei, C. (Winter, 2010). Substantial Increases in Opioid Dependence in Appalachian Ohio, The Addictions Newsletter, Division 50 (Addictions) of the American Psychological Association.

PRESENTATIONS AT SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCES (Total >100, Select Presentations Listed Below)

1. Ruminski, Kelly, Heckman B. (April 2023). Mindfulness, Compassion and Chronic Pain, Society of Behavioral Medicine
2. Langan, Julie, Heckman B., (April 2023). Teletherapy and Working Alliance Society of Behavioral Medicine
3. Davantes Heckman, B., Lauckner C. (September, 2020). Tele-video therapy for PLHIV. International Conference on HIV/AIDS.
4. Davantes Heckman, B., Grimes, T., Weaver, N. (November, 2020). Chronic Pain and HIV. International Congress on Behavioral Medicine.
5. Rogers, A., Davantes Heckman, B. (March 2019). Trauma and Headaches. Southeast Psychological Association, South Carolina, USA.
6. McKinney, E., Davantes Heckman, B. (March 2019) Headaches in African American Women. Southeast Psychological Association, South Carolina, USA.
7. Parker, S. Davantes Heckman, B. (March 2019). Psychosocial Distress in Rural Heterosexual Men Living with HIV/AIDS. Southeast Psychological Association, South Carolina, USA.
8. Davantes Heckman, B (December, 2016). Disparities in Health Care Access among Rural Persons Living with HIV. International Conference on Behavioral Medicine (ICBM), Melbourne Australia.
9. Daigle, J.Z. & Heckman, BD (2016). Integrated Behavioral Health and Primary Care in K-12 Schools. American Counseling Association.
10. Grimes, T., Davantes Heckman, B. (APA 2017). Spirituality and Coping in Transgendered Women, Washington, DC. USA.
11. Daigle, J.Z. & Heckman, BD (2016). Integrated Behavioral Health and Primary Care in K-12. Innovations in best practices in school counseling preparation conference
12. Daigle, J.Z. & Heckman, BD (2016). Unpacking the Behavioral Response to Intervention. Evidence-based School Counseling Conference.
13. Ringdahl, B., Davantes Heckman, B (September 2016). Predictors of Adherence among Men with Type I diabetes, American Psychological Association, Washington DC.
14. O'Fuani, C., Moxley, R., Davantes Heckman, B. (April, 2013). Race Related Differences on the Reduction of Depressive Symptoms in Adults Diagnosed with HIV/AIDS. College of Education Research Conference, University of Georgia.
15. Davantes Heckman, B. (February, 2013). Are Headaches an Overlooked "Health Disparity" for African Americans? Symposium Speaker at the Southeast Psychological Association (SEPA), Atlanta, Ga.
16. Averyt, J., Heckman, B., Shubrook, J., Wei, C., Mermelstein, L., Peterson, T., Schwartz, F. (April, 2012). "Comorbid Pain Conditions in a Clinical Sample of Adults with Type 2 Diabetes" Presented at the 2012 Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM), Washington, D.C.
17. Campbell, N., Lewis, K., Wei, C., Ellis, G., Heckman, B. (April, 2012). "Interactive Voice Response (IVR): Lessons Learned from an Appalachian Substance Abuse Population"" Presented at the 2012 Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM), Washington, D.C.
18. Heckman, B., Berlin, K., Meisowski, L. (March, 2011). Psychosocial Headache Measures in Caucasian and African American Headache Patients: Are They Culturally equivalent? Presented at the 2011 Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM), Washington, D.C.

19. Kowalsky, J., Huckins, J., Bolinger, E., Berlin, K., Heckman, BD (March, 2011). BMI vs. Waist Circumference: Exploring the Relationship between Measures of Obesity and Blood Pressure in the NHANES 2007-2008 Sample. Presented at the 2011 Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM), Washington, D.C.
20. Heckman, BD., Merrell, J. (March, 2011). Psychiatric Comorbidity and Headache in African Americans. Presented at the 2011 Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM) Conference, Washington, D.C.
21. Gay, J., Heckman, B. (May, 2011). Opioids in 2011: Identifying and Responding to an Emerging Trend. Presented at the 2011 National Council Mental Health and Addictions Conference, San Diego, CA.
22. Wei, C., Gay, J., Heckman, B., Weeks, J., Heckman, T. & Project SOAR Research Team. (August, 2010). Predictors of motivation to change in adolescents undergoing residential treatment for substance use disorders. Presented at the American Psychological Association (APA), San Diego, CA.
23. St. Pierre, V., Heckman, B. (April, 2010). Examining the Generalizability of the CIQOL Model to Older HIV-positive Men Living in Urban Areas. Presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM), Seattle, WA.
24. Lewis, K., Heckman, B. (April, 2010). Growth Mixture Modeling of Treatment Outcomes in Subspecialty Headache Clinics. Presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM), Seattle, WA.
25. Heckman, B. Lewis, K. (April, 2010). Headache Characteristics, Race, SES and Psychiatric Comorbidity in Patients with Headache Disorders. Presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM), Seattle, WA. Presented at Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), New York City, New York.
26. Mermelstein, L, Wei, C, Petersen, T, St. Pierre, V, Neibert, C., Heckman, B. (November, 2009). Understanding the Relationship Between Substance Use Severity and Discharge Status Following Residential Substance Use Treatment. Presented at the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), New York City, New York.
27. Heckman, B. Himawan, L., Lewis, K., Ellis, G., Gallore, V., Mermelstein, L., Wei, C., Campbell, N., Peterson, T. (April, 2009). Comorbid Psychiatric Disorders and Their Impact on Headache Treatment Outcome. Presented at the World Psychiatric Congress (WPA) Annual Meeting, Florence, Italy.
28. Heckman, B (March, 2008). Race, Treatment Participation and Treatment Outcomes in Headache Specialty Clinic Patients. Invited presentation to the National Institutes of Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS) Diversity Researcher Workshop, Washington, D.C.
29. St. Pierre, V., Wei, C., Mermelstein, L., Watakakosol, R., Heckman, B. (March, 2008). Health Behaviors and Rates and Correlates of Depression in Rural People Living with HIV/AIDS. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego.
30. Watakakosol, R., Heckman, B., Campbell, N., Ellis, G., Lewis, K., Wei, C., Pierre, V., Mermelstein, L. (March, 2008). Does the Patient-Physician Relationship Predict Premature Treatment Termination in Patients with Headache Disorders? Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego.
31. Ellis, G. Heckman, B. (June, 2007). Predictors of Preventive Medication Adherence. Presented at American Headache Society Meeting, Seattle, Washington.
32. Lewis, K., Ellis, G., Campbell, N., Heckman, B. (March, 2008). Relationships among Psychiatric Comorbidity and Headache Characteristics. Presented at the annual meeting of the Society of Behavioral Medicine, San Diego.

PROFESSIONAL, UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

University Committees: University of Georgia

University of Georgia Promotion & Tenure Committee 2023 -2025

Will serve 3 years on UGA University P&T Committee

Committee on Facilities, University of Georgia, Elected Member 2023 – 2025

College Committees: University of Georgia

Associate Dean Diversity, Inclusion and Equity Office, Committee Member (2017-Present)

Associate Dean Diversity, Inclusion and Equity Office, Research Training and Seminar (2017, 2018)

Associate Dean of Research Office, Graduate School Scholarship Committee (2017, 2018)

Faculty Senate Representative (2017-2020)

COE Dean's Search Committee (2018)

Dean's Council on Diversity (2015-2017)

Department: Counseling and Human Development Services

Director of Health Psychology (2013 - Present)

Director of Clinical Training, PhD Counseling Psychology Program (2014-2020)

Faculty Evaluation Committee (2013-2015) (2019- Present)

Awards Committee (2013-2015)

Office of Institutional Diversity (2022 – 2024)

Senior Vice Provost Office on Diversity and Inclusion and Strategic University Initiatives

Served on the ADVANCE NSF Development, Grant Writing and Advisory Committee to Diversify Student Involvement in STEM Disciplines and Professions, Grant submitted November 2022.

Professional Committees/Organizations:

APA Committee on Ethnic Minority Affairs, Appointed Member, 3 Year Term,

January 2025 - December 2028: The Committee on Ethnic Minority Affairs serves as the primary resource to the Board for the Advancement of Psychology in the Public Interest (BAPPI) on ethnic minority issues and concerns.

Program Co-Chair - Council on Clinical Health Psychology Training Programs Midwinter Meeting "Healthcare for Transgender and Sexual Minority Individuals: Training in Competencies, Ethics and Practice", San Diego, CA. Jan 15th-16th 2023.

Council of Chairs of Training Councils, Committee Member (2021 – Present)

Developed "Social Responsiveness Toolkit for Health Service Psychology Education and Training:

https://pr4tb8rrj317wdwt3xlafig2p-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/CCTC_Socially-Responsive-HSP-Ed-Training_v7.pdf

National Council on Clinical Health Psychology Training Programs (2019 – Present)

Serve as Elected Board Member (2019 – Present)

Serve as Elected Secretary (2022 – Present)

University: Office of Vice President of Research

Serve on the University Level P&T Committee, 2024-2026

Research Matters-Live: Invited Speaker: Community-Based Participatory Research for Diverse Participant (2021)

Office Vice President of Research (OVPR) Seed Grant Research Review Committee (2017, 2018, 2019)

COMMUNITY SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

Athens Community Council on Aging 2024 - Present
Community Partner and Volunteer,
Clinical Supervisor for Behavioral Health

Piedmont Community Care Clinic 2023 - Present
Athens, GA
Community Partner and Volunteer,
Clinical Supervisor for Behavioral Health

Specialty Care Clinic (HIV, Ryan White Clinic) 2021 - Present
Athens, GA
Community Partner and Volunteer,
Clinical Supervisor for Behavioral Health

Project EPIC (Expanding Psychological Interventions in Corrections), 2019 - Present
Athens GA, Health District 10, CORR CARE in Jails
Developed Interdisciplinary Community Partnership,
Serve as Volunteer, Clinical Supervisor-Mental, Substance Use and
Behavioral Health Services

Emory University Medical Center, Decatur GA 2015-Present
Community Partner and Volunteer,
Clinical Supervisor for Behavioral Health

Project Adam, Winder GA 2019-Present
Developed Interdisciplinary Community Partnership,
Serve as Volunteer, Clinical Supervisor-Mental, Substance Use and
Behavioral Health Services

Parkinson's Run Committee, Organizer 2016-2025
Parkinson's 5KRun/1KWalk (Michael J Fox Foundation) Athens, GA

Board of Directors, Member 2017-2022
Live Forward (AIDS Athens) Athens, GA

Board of Directors, Chair 2018-2025
Live Forward (AIDS Athens) Athens, GA

Institute of Gerontology 2020-2022
CARE Center: Aging, Alzheimer's and Dementia Related Disorders
Developed Partnership
Serve as Volunteer, Clinical Supervisor - Neuropsychological Assessment and
Mental and Behavioral Health Services

Mercy Health Center, Athens GA (Primary Health Care Clinic) 2013 - 2023
Free Clinic for Individuals who have No Insurance

Developed UGA-Community Partnership, Interdisciplinary Team
Serve as Volunteer, Clinical Supervisor - Mental and Behavioral Health Services

Chess and Community, Volunteer 2017-2020
Think Before You Move Program » for Youth Athens, GA
Athens Area Homeless Shelter 2012-2017
Provide meals and participate in Moms Mentoring Moms Program. Athens, GA

St. Vincent DePaul Food Delivery Service, Athens, OH.
Served as volunteer at Christ the King University Parish to deliver food to
High-need families in the Athens area.

Research Consultant to Health Recovery Services, Athens, OH
Provide consultation to Health Recovery Service administrators
and treatment practitioners regarding the treatment effectiveness of their various treatment program;
Assist in agency's grant writing efforts to obtain state- and federal-based funding (SAMSHA, NIDA).

Executive Board Member of The Cause (www.thecausewecare.org) The Cause is a non-profit
organization that seeks to identify economically-impooverished individuals and families in SE Ohio and
provide them with goods and services that they need but currently lack.

Martial Arts: Kyukido [Hapkido, Judo, Jujitsu, Tae Kwon Do, Kali
Achieved Rank: Black Belt, 2nd Degree, Athens GA, 2014-Present