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**Education**

- 2002 Ph.D. Bowling Green State University, Sociology.  
Dissertation: *The Impact of Alcohol and Illicit Drug Use on Criminal Behavior over the Life Course.*  
Advisor: Stephen A. Cernkovich
- 1997 M.A. Kent State University, Criminal Justice Studies.
- 1995 B.A. Bowling Green State University, History and Sociology.

**Academic, Research, and Professional Positions**

- 2008 – Present Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Central Florida.
- 2017 Visiting Faculty Scholar, Institute for Research on Women and Gender, Substance Use Research Group, University of Michigan.
- 2016 – 2017 Director of Graduate Studies in Sociology, University of Central Florida.
- 2010 – 2013 Director of Undergraduate Studies in Sociology and Social Sciences, University of Central Florida.
- 2002 – 2008 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Central Florida.
- 1997 – 2002 Graduate Assistant, Department of Sociology, Bowling Green State University.

**Research Interests**

Substance Use  
Criminological Theory  
Social Determinants of Health  
Crime and Deviance over the Life Course

**Teaching Interests**

Substance Use  
Social Problems  
Delinquency  
Criminology

## **Fellowships, Honors, and Awards**

- 2019 Research Incentive Award, University of Central Florida
- This award recognizes outstanding research, scholarly, or creative activity that advances the body of knowledge in a particular field, including interdisciplinary research and collaborations. This award recognizes employee contributions to UCF's key goal of achieving international prominence in research and creative activities.
- 2018 Scroll & Quill Society, University of Central Florida
- Recognizes UCF faculty members who have demonstrated sustained scholarly contributions (at least 10 years), and have brought positive national and/or international attention to UCF.
- 2017 Research Sabbatical, University of Central Florida
- Competitive sabbatical awarded for spring semester in 2017. I was a Visiting Faculty Scholar with the Institute for Research on Women and Gender at the University of Michigan. I worked with Sean Esteban McCabe and Carol J. Boyd as part of the Substance Use Research Group.
- 2016 Teaching Incentive Program, University of Central Florida
- 2011 Teaching Incentive Program, University of Central Florida
- The Teaching Incentive Program rewards teaching productivity and excellence. The award recognizes employee contributions to the university's key goals of offering the best undergraduate education available in Florida and achieving international prominence in key programs of graduate study.
- 2002 Non-service Fellowship, Bowling Green State University
- This fellowship provides a stipend and tuition waiver to a doctoral student in their final year of the program. The student is not required to be a teaching or research assistant during this time.

## **Grant Activity (Funded)**

- 2018 "Prescription drug misuse characteristics in adolescents and young adults: Influence of school enrollment." National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA), Grant #R01DA043691, May 2017 - April 2020, Total Award: \$572,757.

Principal Investigator: Ty S. Schepis, Department of Psychology, Texas State University  
Co-Investigator: Sean Esteban McCabe, School of Nursing, University of Michigan  
Co-Investigator: Christian J. Teter, College of Pharmacy, University of New England  
Co-Investigator: Jason A. Ford, Department of Sociology, University of Central Florida  
**(\$75,313 to UCF)**

2013 “Biosocial explanations of substance use.” University of Central Florida, Department of Sociology, SEED Grant. Principal Investigator: Jason A. Ford. Total Award: \$3,000.

### **Impact of Published Research**

Google Scholar Statistics (as of 8/13/2019)

- total citations = **1,806**
- h-index = **25**
- i10-index = **32**
- 5 articles cited more than 100 times
  
- Impact Factors (**IF**) and journal rankings listed below are from the year the article was published, articles published in 2019 include impact factors and rankings from 2018, the most recent year of data available from the Journal Citation Reports by Clarivate Analytics.

### **Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles**

\* identifies co-author as a graduate student

\*\* identifies co-author as an undergraduate student

## **2019**

48. Norman, Lauren and **Jason A. Ford**. (Accepted July 2019). “Undergraduate prescription stimulant misuse and academic strain: The role of college major and post-graduate education plans.” *Journal of Drug Issues*. [**IF = 1.12**].

47. **Ford, Jason A.**, Corey Pomykacz\*, Alec Szalewski\*, Sean Esteban McCabe, and Ty. S. Schepis. (Accepted May 2019). “Friends and relatives as sources of prescription opioids for misuse among young adults: The significance of physician source and race/ethnic differences.” *Substance Abuse* [**IF = 2.99**]

- The **#7 ranked** journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

46. McCabe, Sean Esteban, Ty S. Schepis, Brady T. West, **Jason A. Ford**, Corey R. Pomykacz\*, Philip Veliz, and Carol J. Boyd. 2019. “Sources of prescription drug diversion: Differences in motives and substance use behaviors.” *Journal of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry* 58:681-691. [**IF = 6.39**]

- The **#2 ranked** journal in the field of Pediatrics research.

45. Nicholson, Harvey L.\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2019. “Sociodemographic, neighborhood, psychosocial, and substance use correlates of cocaine use among Black adults: Findings from a pooled analysis of national data.” *Addictive Behaviors* 88:182-186. [**IF = 2.96**]

- The **#9 ranked** journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

## 2018

44. Yohros, Alexis\*, **Jason A. Ford**, and Melanie Sberna Hinojosa. 2018. "Dating violence victimization and substance use: The role of a serotonin transporter gene polymorphism (5-HTTLPR)." *Drug and Alcohol Dependence* 189:178-186. [IF = 3.47]

- The #5 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

43. Burdette, Amy M., Terrence D. Hill, Noah S. Webb, **Jason A. Ford**, and Stacy H. Haynes. 2018. "Religious involvement and substance use among urban mothers." *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* 57(1):156-172. [IF = 1.27]

42. Norman, Lauren B. and **Jason A. Ford**. 2018. "Undergraduate prescription stimulant misuse: The impact of academic strain." *Substance Use & Misuse* 53(9):1482-1491. [IF = 1.38]

41. Burdette, Amy M., Noah S. Webb, Terrence D. Hill, Stacey H. Haynes, and **Jason A. Ford**. 2018. "Religious involvement and marijuana use for medical and non-medical purposes." *Journal of Drug Issues*. 48(3):421-4345. [IF = 1.12]

40. **Ford, Jason A.**, Melanie Sberna Hinojosa, and Harvey L. Nicholson\*. 2018. "Disability status and prescription drug misuse among U.S. adults." *Addictive Behaviors* 85:64-69. [IF = 2.96]

- The #9 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

39. Priesman, Emily\*, Rameika Newman\*, and **Jason A. Ford**. 2018. "Bullying victimization and substance use among adolescents: Results from the 2013 National Youth Risk Behavior Survey." *Journal of Psychoactive Drugs* 50(2):133-142. [IF = 1.71]

38. Nicholson, Harvey L.\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2018. "Correlates of prescription opioid misuse among Black adults: Findings from the 2015 National Survey on Drug use and Health." *Drug and Alcohol Dependence* 186:264-267. [IF = 3.47]

- The #5 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

37. **Ford, Jason A.**, Corey Pomykacz\*, Phil Veliz, Sean Esteban McCabe, and Carol J. Boyd. 2018. "Sports involvement, injury history, and non-medical use of prescription opioids among college students: An analysis with a national sample." *American Journal on Addictions* 27(1):15-22. [IF = 1.95]

36. Owens, Nicole\*, Shannon K. Carter, Chelsea J. Nordham\*, and **Jason A. Ford**. 2018. "Neutralizing the maternal breast: Accounts of public breastfeeding by African American mothers." *Journal of Family Issues* 39(2):430-450. [IF = 1.61]

## 2017

35. **Ford, Jason A.** and Lauren Wright\*. 2017. "Prescription drug misuse and arrest history." *Substance Use and Misuse* 52(13):1772-1777. [IF = 1.13]

34. **Ford, Jason A.**, Sarah Ann Sacra\*, and Alexis Yohros\*. 2017. "Neighborhood characteristics and prescription drug misuse among adolescents: The importance of social disorganization and social capital." *International Journal of Drug Policy* 46:47-53. [IF = 4.24]

- The #4 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

## 2016

33. Reckdenwald, Amy, **Jason A. Ford**, and Brittany Murray\*. 2016. "Alcohol use in emerging adulthood: Can Moffitt's developmental theory help us understand binge drinking among college students." *Journal of Child and Adolescent Substance Abuse* 25(6):497-503. [IF = 0.51]

32. **Ford, Jason A.** and Corey Pomykacz\*\*. 2016. "The misuse of Adderall in young adulthood: A comparison of college students and their non-college peers." *Journal of Psychoactive Drugs* 48(4):253-260. [IF = 1.74]

## 2015

31. **Ford, Jason A.** and Danielle Perna\*\*. 2015. "Prescription drug misuse and suicidal ideation: Findings from the National Survey on Drug Use and Health." *Drug & Alcohol Dependence* 157:192-196. [IF = 3.35]

- The #4 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

30. **Ford, Jason A.** and Khary K. Rigg. 2015. "Racial/ethnic differences in factors that place adolescents at risk for prescription opioid misuse." *Prevention Science* 16(5):633-641. [IF = 2.93]

- The #14 ranked journal in the field of Public, Environmental, and Occupational Health research.

29. Norman, Lauren\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2015. "Adolescent ecstasy use: A test of social bonds and social learning theory." *Deviant Behavior* 36(7):527-538. [IF = 0.70]

## 2014

28. **Ford, Jason A.** and Julianne Ong\*\*. 2014. "Non-medical use of prescription stimulants for academic purposes among college students: A test of social learning theory." *Drug and Alcohol Dependence* 144:279-282. [IF = 3.42]

- The #2 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

27. Rigg, Khary K. and **Jason A. Ford**. 2014. "The misuse of benzodiazepines among adolescents: Psychosocial risk factors in a national sample." *Drug and Alcohol Dependence* 137(1):137-142. [IF = 3.42]

- The #2 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

26. **Ford, Jason A.**, Hilary M. Dotson\*, and Ryan D. Schroeder. 2014. "Weight strain and binge drinking among adolescents." *Deviant Behavior* 35(9):742-757. [IF = 0.94]
25. **Ford, Jason A.**, Amy Reckdenwald, and Brianna Marquardt\*. 2014. "Prescription drug misuse and gender." *Substance Use & Misuse* 49(7):842-851. [IF = 1.23]
24. **Ford, Jason A.** 2014. "Physical health and substance use." *Deviant Behavior* 35(8):654-667. [IF = 0.94]

## 2013

23. **Ford, Jason A.** and Lindsey Blumenstein\*. 2013. "Self-control and substance use among college students." *Journal of Drug Issues* 43(1):56-68. [IF = 0.64]
22. **Ford, Jason A.** and James McCutcheon\*. 2013. "The misuse of Ambien among adolescents: Prevalence and correlates in a national sample." *Addictive Behaviors* 37:1389-1394. [IF = 2.44]
- The #6 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

## 2012

21. **Ford, Jason A.** and Terrence D. Hill. 2012. "Religiosity and adolescent substance use: Evidence from the National Survey on Drug use and Health." *Substance Use & Misuse* 47(7):787-798. [IF = 1.11]
20. Schroeder, Ryan D. and **Jason A. Ford.** 2012. "Prescription drug misuse: A test of three competing criminological theories." *Journal of Drug Issues* 42(4):4-27. [IF = 0.64]

## 2011

19. William C. Watkins\* and **Jason A. Ford.** 2011. "Prescription drug misuse among Asian-American adults: Results from a national survey." *Substance Use & Misuse* 46(13):1700-1708. [IF = 1.10]
18. **Ford, Jason A.**, William C. Watkins\*, and Lindsey Blumenstein\*. 2011. "Correlates of *Salvia divinorum* use in a national sample: Findings from the 2009 National Survey on Drug Use and Health." *Addictive Behaviors* 36:1032-1037. [IF = 2.08]
- The #8 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.
17. **Ford, Jason A.** and Christina Lacerenza\*\*. 2011. "The relationship between source of diversion and frequency of misuse, abuse and dependence." *Substance Use & Misuse* 46(6):819-827. [IF = 1.10]
16. **Ford, Jason A.** and Ryan D. Schroeder. 2011. "Higher education and criminal offending over the life course." *Sociological Spectrum* 31(1):32-58. [IF = 0.31]

## 2009

15. **Ford, Jason A.** 2009. "Misuse of over-the-counter cough/cold medications among adolescents: Prevalence and correlates in a national sample." *Journal of Adolescent Health* 44(1):505-507. [IF = 4.09]

- The #3 ranked journal in the field of Pediatrics research.

14. **Ford, Jason A.** 2009. "Non-medical prescription drug use among adolescents: The influence of bonds to family and school." *Youth & Society* 40(3):336-352. [IF = 1.00]

- Cited 148 times.

13. **Ford, Jason A.** and Ryan D. Schroeder. 2009. "Academic strain and non-medical use of prescription stimulants among college students." *Deviant Behavior* 30(1):26-53. [IF = 0.89]

- Cited 118 times.

## 2008

12. **Ford, Jason A.** 2008. "Non-medical prescription drug use among college students: A comparison between athletes and non-athletes." *Journal of American College Health* 57(2):211-219. [IF = 1.66]

11. **Ford, Jason A.** 2008. "Non-medical prescription drug use and delinquency: An analysis with a national sample." *Journal of Drug Issues* 38(2):493-516. [IF = 0.61]

10. **Ford, Jason A.** and Meagan Arrastia\*\*. 2008. "Pill-poppers and dopers: A comparison of non-medical prescription drug use and other illicit/street drug use among college students." *Addictive Behaviors* 33:934-941. [IF = 1.85]

- The #7 ranked journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

9. **Ford, Jason A.** 2008. "Social learning theory and non-medical prescription drug use among adolescents." *Sociological Spectrum* 28(3):299-316. [IF = 0.32]

8. **Ford, Jason A.** and Fernando I. Rivera. 2008. "Non-medical prescription drug use among Hispanics." *Journal of Drug Issues* 38(1):285-310. [IF = 0.61]

## 2007

7. Jasinski, Jana L. and **Jason Ford.** 2007. "Sexual orientation and alcohol use among college students: The influence of drinking motives and social norms." *Journal of Alcohol and Drug Education* 51(1):63-82. [no impact factor]

6. **Ford, Jason A.** 2007. "Alcohol use among college students: A comparison of athletes and non-athletes." *Substance Use & Misuse* 42(9):1367-1377. [IF = 1.23]

- Article cited 131 times.

5. **Ford, Jason A.** 2007. "Substance use among college athletes: A comparison based on sport/team affiliation." *Journal of American College Health* 55(6):367-373. [IF = 1.94]
- The **#5 ranked** journal in the field of Education & Educational Research.
  - Article cited **168** times.

## 2006

4. **Ford, Jason A.** and Jana L. Jasinski. 2006. "Sexual orientation and substance use among college students." *Addictive Behaviors* 31(1):404-413. [IF = 1.85]
- The **#8 ranked** journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

## 2005

3. **Ford, Jason A.** 2005. "The connection between heavy drinking and juvenile delinquency during adolescence." *Sociological Spectrum* 25(6):629-650. [IF = 0.42]
2. **Ford, Jason A.** 2005. "Substance use, the social bond, and delinquency." *Sociological Inquiry* 75(1):109-128. [IF = 0.42]
- Article cited **104** times.

## 2001

1. Nielsen, Amie L. and **Jason A. Ford.** 2001. "Drinking patterns among Hispanic adolescents: Results from a national household survey." *Journal of Studies on Alcohol* 62(4):448-456. [IF = 1.74]
- The **#2 ranked** journal in the field of Substance Abuse research.

## Manuscripts Under Review

**Ford, Jason A.,** Corey Pomykacz\*, Sean Esteban McCabe, and Ty S. Schepis. "Prescription drug misuse among high school dropouts: Does reason for dropping out matter?" *Criminology*. **Under Review.** (April 2019).

Schepis, Ty S., Alessandro S. De Nadai, **Jason A. Ford,** and Sean Esteban McCabe. "Prescription opioid misuse motive latent classes: Outcomes from a nationally representative U.S. sample." *Epidemiology and Psychiatric Sciences*. **Under Review.** (May 2019).

Pomykacz, Corey\*, **Jason A. Ford,** and Amy Reckdenwald. "Sexual assault victimization and prescription drug misuse: An analysis using general strain theory." *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*. **Under Review.** (May 2019).

Klare, Dalton L., Sean Esteban McCabe, Jason A. Ford, Ty S. Schepis. "Prescription drug use, misuse, other substance use, and sexual orientation: The significance of educational status and psychological distress in US young adults. *LGBT Health*. **Under Review.** (August 2019).



## Monograph

Schroeder, Ryan D, **Jason A. Ford**, and George E. Higgins. 2019. *The Prescription Drug Problem: A New American Crisis?* Praeger. Santa Barbara, CA.

## Invited Research Activities

**Ford, Jason A.** 2020. "The prescription drug crisis." in Adrain Conyers and Thomas C. Calhoun (Eds.). *Deviance Today Second Edition*. Routledge.

- Book chapter.

**Ford, Jason A.** 2019. "Prescription opioid misuse among adolescents." *Pediatric Clinics of North America*. In press. [IF = 2.266].

- Article for special issue on substance abuse.

**Ford, Jason A.** 2019. "Dead-End Lives: Drugs and Violence in the City Shadows." by Daniel Briggs and Ruben Monge Gamero. *American Journal of Sociology*. 125:270-272. [IF = 4.46]

- Book review.

**Ford, Jason A.** 2018. "The prescription drug problem we are missing: Risks associated with the misuse of tranquilizers and sedatives." *Journal of Adolescent Health*. 63(6): 665-666. [IF = 3.96]

- Editorial reviewed internally by associate editors.

Presidential Panel Session: *Religion and the Opioid Crisis*. Panelists: Amy Burdette, Keith F. Durkin, **Jason A. Ford**, and Margaret S. Kelley. 80<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Association for the Sociology of Religion, August 2018. Philadelphia, PA.

- Conference presentation.

**Ford, Jason A.**, and Alexis Yohros. 2018. "Understanding non-medical prescription drug use. The importance of criminological theory," in Ty S. Schepis (Ed.). *The Prescription Drug Abuse Epidemic: Incidence, Treatment, Prevention, and Policy* (pp. 283-302). ABC-CLIO, Santa Barbara, CA.

- Book Chapter.

**Ford, Jason A.** and Ryan D. Schroeder. 2012. "Academic strain and prescription stimulant misuse among college students," in Alex Thio, Thomas Calhoun, and Adrain Conyers (Eds.). *Deviance Today* (pp 99-106). Upper Saddle River: Pearson Education.

- Book Chapter.

**Ford, Jason A.** and William C. Watkins. 2012. "Adolescent non-medical prescription drug use." *The Prevention Researcher* 19:3-7.

- Non-refereed journal article.

### Presentations at Professional Meetings

- 26 presentations with 17 different students (11 graduate and 6 undergraduate)
- \* identifies co-author as a graduate student
- \*\* identifies co-author as an undergraduate student

### **2019**

58. **Ford, Jason A.**, Terrence D. Hill, Sean Esteban McCabe, and Ty S. Schepis. 2019. "Prescription opioid misuse, educational attainment, and race/ethnicity." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. New York, NY.

57. Schepis, Ty S., Sean Esteban McCabe, and **Jason A. Ford**. 2019. "Latent classes of opioid misuse motives across the US population." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the College on Problems of Drug Dependence. San Antonio, TX.

56. McCabe, Sean Esteban, **Jason A. Ford**, and Ty S. Schepis. 2019. "A longitudinal study of prescription opioid misuse during the transition from older adolescence to adulthood." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the College on Problems of Drug Dependence. San Antonio, TX.

55. **Ford, Jason A.**, Corey Pomykacz\*, Sean Esteban McCabe, and Ty. S. Schepis. 2019. "Sources of prescription opioids for misuse and dropping out of high school." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the College on Problems of Drug Dependence. San Antonio, TX.

54. Schepis, Ty S., **Jason A. Ford**, and Sean Esteban McCabe. 2019. "A lifespan perspective on prescription opioid misuse motives across the US population." Paper presented at the Collaborative Perspectives on Addiction Meeting. Providence, RI.

### **2018**

53. McCabe, Sean Esteban, Philip Veliz, Timothy E. Wilens, Brady T. West, Ty S. Schepis, **Jason A. Ford**, Corey Pomykacz\*, and Carol J. Boyd. 2018. "Sources of Nonmedical Prescription Drug Misuse among U.S. High School Seniors: Differences in Motives and Substance Use Behaviors." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Addiction Psychiatry. Bonita Springs, FL.

52. **Ford, Jason A.**, Corey Pomykacz\*, Sean Esteban McCabe, and Ty S. Schepis. 2018. "School dropout and prescription drug misuse among young adults: Assessing the importance of reasons for dropping out." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

51. Burdette, Amy R., Noah Stephen Webb, Terrence D. Hill, Stacy Haynes, and **Jason A. Ford**. 2018. "Religious involvement and marijuana use for medical and non-medical purposes." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. Philadelphia, PA.

50. Pomykacz, Corey\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2018. "Access to medical marijuana and substance use disorder symptoms." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Philadelphia, PA.

49. **Ford, Jason A.**, Melanie Sberna Hinojosa, and Harvey L. Nicholson\*. 2018. "Disability status and prescription drug misuse among U.S. adults." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Philadelphia, PA.

48. McCabe, Sean Esteban, Carol J. Boyd, Christian J. Teter, Brady T. West, Philip Veliz, **Jason A. Ford**, Corey Pomykacz\*, and Ty S. Schepis. 2018. "Sources of prescription drug misuse among U.S. emerging adults." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the College on Problems of Drug Dependence. San Diego, CA.

## 2017

47. Pomykacz, Corey\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2017. "Correlates of marijuana only use versus other drug use." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA.

46. Yohros, Alexis\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2017. "Dating Violence Victimization and Substance Use: Do Genes Play a Role?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Philadelphia, PA.

45. Pomykacz, Corey\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2017. "Sexual assault victimization and substance use: An analysis using general strain theory." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Montreal, QC, Canada.

44. Norman, Lauren B. and **Jason A. Ford**. 2017. "Undergraduate prescription stimulant misuse: The impact of academic strain." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Montreal, QC, Canada.

43. Sacra, Sarah Ann\*, Alexis Yohros\*, and **Jason Ford**. 2017. "Neighborhood characteristics and prescription drug misuse: The importance of social disorganization and social capital." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Greenville, SC.

42. Burdette, Amy M., Terrence D. Hill, Noah S. Webb, and **Jason A. Ford**. 2017. "Religious involvement, illicit drug use, and prescription drug misuse among urban mothers." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Greenville, SC.

## 2016

41. Yohros, Alexis\*, Corey Pomykacz\*, and **Jason A. Ford**. 2016. "Dating violence victimization and substance use: An examination using general strain theory." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. New Orleans, LA.

40. **Ford, Jason A.** and Corey Pomykacz\*. 2016. "Sports involvement and prescription opioid misuse among college students." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Seattle, WA.

39. Rigg, Khary K. and **Jason A. Ford**. 2016. "Sport involvement and marijuana use during adolescence: The significance of level of contact and race/ethnicity." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the College on Problems of Drug Dependence. Palm Springs, CA.

38. **Ford, Jason A.**, and Lauren Kaplan. 2016. "Health related stressors and substance use: Findings from the National Survey on Drug Use and Health." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the College on Problems of Drug Dependence. Palm Springs, CA.

37. **Ford, Jason A.** and Corey Pomykacz\*\*. 2016. "Psychological distress and academic achievement: The moderating role of marijuana use." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Atlanta, GA.

## 2015

36. **Ford, Jason A.** and Lindsey Blumenstein. 2015. "Dating violence and depression: The moderating influence of social support." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Washington, DC.

35. **Ford, Jason A.** and Lindsey Blumenstein. 2015. "Dating violence and substance use: The moderating influence of social support." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Chicago, IL.

## 2014

34. **Ford, Jason A.** 2014. "Prescription drug misuse among adolescents: A comparison of risk factors for Oxycodone, Xanax, and Adderall." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

33. **Ford, Jason A.** and Lindsey Blumenstein. 2014. "Depression and substance use: The moderating influence of social class." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. San Francisco, CA.

32. Norman, Lauren\*, Emily Strohacker\*, and **Jason A. Ford**. 2014. "Do as I do: Examining the impact of descriptive and injunctive norms on undergraduate drug use." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. San Francisco, CA.

31. Nicole Lynne Owens\*, Chelsea Nordham\*, Shannon K. Carter, and **Jason A. Ford**. 2014. "An Exploration of Positive and Maternal Deviance: Self-Identified African-American

Mothers' Breastfeeding in Public Accounts." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. San Francisco, CA.

30. Bejarano, Meghan\*\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2014. "Punitive school discipline: The role of race and ethnicity." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Charlotte, NC.

## 2013

29. **Ford, Jason A.** 2013. "Health insurance and substance use." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

28. **Ford, Jason A.** and Lindsey Blumenstein\*. 2013. "Intimate partner violence and substance use." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. New York, NY.

27. Messer, Katelynn\*\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2013. "Psychological distress and substance use among college students." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Atlanta, GA.

## 2012

26. **Ford, Jason A.** 2012. "Depression and delinquency: The moderating roles of peer delinquency and social bonds." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Chicago, IL.

25. **Ford, Jason A.** and Briana Marquardt\*. 2012. "Prescription drug misuse and gender." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Denver, CO.

24. Conley, Chrona\*\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2012. "Correlates of misuse, abuse, and dependence of prescription pain relievers among adolescents." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA.

## 2011

23. **Ford, Jason A.** 2011. "Are college students adolescence-limited offenders?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Washington, DC.

22. **Ford, Jason A.** and William C. Watkins\*. 2011. "Obesity and substance use among adolescents: A test of general strain theory." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Las Vegas, NV.

## 2010

21. **Ford, Jason A.** 2010. "Poor physical health and prescription drug misuse: An examination of general strain theory." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

20. **Ford, Jason A.** and Christina Lacerenza\*\*. 2010. "The relationship between source of diversion and prescription drug misuse, abuse, and dependence." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. Atlanta, GA.

19. Watkins, William C.\* and **Jason A. Ford.** 2010. "Prescription drug misuse among Asian Americans." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. Atlanta, GA.

## 2009

18. **Ford, Jason A.** "Self-control and substance use among college students." 2009. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Philadelphia, PA.

17. Schroeder, Ryan D. and **Jason A. Ford.** 2009. "Non-medical prescription drug use: A test of three competing theories." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Philadelphia, PA.

16. **Ford, Jason A.** 2009. "Race and ethnic variation in prescription drug misuse, abuse, and dependence." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Study of Social Problems. San Francisco, CA.

15. Horne, Adrienne\* and **Jason A. Ford.** 2009. "The effects of relative deprivation on criminality: A racial and gender assessment of juveniles in urban neighborhoods." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA.

## 2008

14. **Ford, Jason A.** 2008. "The abuse of over-the-counter cough and cold medications: Prevalence and correlates in a national sample." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. St. Louis, MO.

## 2007

13. **Ford, Jason A.** and Meagan Arrastia\*. 2007. "Predictors of non-medical prescription drug use: An examination with a national sample of college students." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

## 2006

12. **Ford, Jason A.** 2006. "The non-medical use of prescription drugs and delinquency." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Los Angeles, CA.

11. Dufrene, Chantel\* and **Jason A. Ford**. 2006. "College binge drinking and fraternity/sorority members: Why do they drink more?" Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA.

## **2004**

10. **Ford, Jason A.** 2004. "Heavy drinking and illicit drug use among college students: A comparison of athletes and non-athletes." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Nashville, TN.

## **2003**

9. **Ford, Jason A.** 2003. "Alcohol use and social capital during the transition from adolescence into young adulthood." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Denver, CO.

8. **Ford, Jason A.** 2003. "The impact of substance use on social bonding: Exacerbating the process of cumulative disadvantage." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society. New Orleans, LA.

## **2001**

7. **Ford, Jason A.** 2001. "The impact of alcohol and illicit drug use on criminal behavior over the life course." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Atlanta, GA.

## **2000**

6. **Ford, Jason A.** 2000. "Adolescent-to-parent violence as a predictor of criminal behavior in adulthood." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

5. **Ford, Jason A.** 2000. "The insanity defense." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Sociological Association. Washington, DC.

4. **Ford, Jason A.** 2000. "Alcohol use and participation in high school athletics." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the North Central Sociological Association. Pittsburgh, PA.

## **1999**

3. **Ford, Jason A.** 1999. "Participation in athletics and the use of recreational drugs: An analysis using social control theory." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Toronto, Canada.

2. Rosenmerkel, Sean P., **Jason A. Ford**, and Christine A. Eith. 1999. "Television viewing and effects on adolescent violent behavior." Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology. Toronto, Canada.

1. **Ford, Jason A.** 1999. "I am not the devil! I am what you made me! I am the Antichrist Superstar! Who is Marilyn Manson? A labeling perspective analysis." Paper presented at the annual meeting of American Sociological Association. Chicago, IL.

### **Additional Training**

2013 International Workshop on Statistical Genetic Methods for Human Complex Traits. Institute for Behavioral Genetics at University of Colorado Boulder, March 3-7 2014. Workshop sponsored by the National Institute of Mental Health.

### **Student Research**

#### **Doctoral Students**

Chair, Dissertation

Harvey Nicholson (ABD)

- Title: Socioeconomic Status and Prescription Opioid Use Behaviors among U.S. Adults: A Test of the Fundamental Cause Theory Framework.
- Currently an Assistant Professor at University of Florida in the Department of Sociology and Criminology & Law.

Lauren Norman (2015)

- Title: Undergraduate Prescription Stimulant Misuse: The Impact of Academic Strain, Social Norms, and Gender.
- Currently an Assistant Professor at University of North Carolina Pembroke in the Department of Sociology & Criminal Justice.

William Watkins (2012)

- Title: Prescription Drug Misuse among College Students: An Examination of Sociological Risk Factors.
- Currently and Assistant Professor at Indiana University Northwest in the Department of Criminal Justice.

Dissertation Committee Member

Angela Vegara (ABD)

- Title: Puerto Rican Students after Hurricane Maria: Overcoming Trauma and Constructing a New Life in Central Florida.



Eric Flowers (ABD in Criminal Justice)

- Title: Florida Pain Management Clinics: A Risky Facilities and Social Disorganization Approach.

Sara Hoskin (2012)

- Title: Foreclosures and Crime: Testing Social Disorganization Theory in the Suburbs.

Minna Laurikkala (2009)

- Title: Different Time, Same Place, Same Story? A Social Disorganization Perspective to Examining Youth Homicides.

Marty Norris (2008 in Education)

- Title: The Prevalence of Bullying in Central Florida Middle Schools as Perceived by Students.

## **Masters Students**

Chair, Thesis

Robert Hellmuth (In Progress)

- Title: Drug Availability and Racial Disparities in Arrests.

Alexis Yohros (2017)

- Title: Dating Violence Victimization and Substance Use: Do Genes Play a Role?
- Accepted into doctoral program in Criminology and Justice Policy at Northeastern University.

Corey Pomykacz (2017)

- Title: Sexual Violence Victimization and Prescription Drug Misuse: An Analysis Using General Strain Theory.
- Accepted into doctoral program in Sociology at University of Central Florida.

Lynette Coto (2016)

- Title: Extracurricular Activities and Substance Use among Adolescents: A Test of Social Control and Social Learning Theory.
- Accepted into doctoral program in Sociology at Louisiana State University.

Adrienne Horne (2009)

- Title: The Effect of Relative Deprivation on Delinquency: An Assessment of Juveniles.
- Employed by Orange County Sheriff's Office, Orlando, Florida.

Chantel Dufrene (2006)

- Title: College Drinking, Greek Affiliation and the Need To Fit In: An Analysis of Social Norms and Motivations Associated with Fraternity and Sorority Binge Drinking.
- Accepted into doctoral program in Sociology at Louisiana State University.

## Thesis Committee Member

Kris Davis (2019)

- Title: Victimization and Health Outcomes for TGNC Individuals in Women's Prisons

Amanda Zammit (2017)

- Title: The Use of Alcohol and the Impact on the Use of Threats in Domestic Violence Cases.

Mindy Weller (2012)

- Title: A Look at the Effectiveness of Reentry Programs at the Jail Level.

Brittany Murray (2011)

- Title: Does Religiosity Deter Delinquency?

Meagan Arrastia (2009)

- Title: Theory of Planned Behavior: Predicting Vaccination for the Human Papillomavirus and Condom Usage among College Students.

Brian Gentry (2008)

- Title: Technological Disasters: An Investigation of the Conservation of Resources Theory on Depression.

## Medical School Students

### Focused Inquiry and Research Experience, Mentor

- The central purpose of this program is to allow students, enrolled in UCF's College of Medicine, to experience the research process and develop skills of intellectual inquiry that are transferable to the practice of medicine. The two-year program involves the creation and completion of a rigorous, independent, and scholarly research project.

### Students

- Thomas Auld (2012-2014)
- Austin McCarthy (2012-2014)

## Undergraduate Students

### Chair, Honors in the Major Thesis

Meghan Bejarano (2014)

- Title: Zero Tolerance for Some: The Role of Zero Tolerance Exclusionary Discipline.

Katelynn Messer (2013)

- Title: Psychological Distress and Substance Use among College Students.

Julianne Ong (2011)

- Title: Social Learning and General Strain Theories' Relationship with Prescription Stimulant Misuse for Academic Purposes among College Students.

Alyssa Roman (2011)

- Title: UCF Student Perceptions of a Smoke-Free Campus Policy.

#### Honors in the Major Thesis Committee Member

Erika Hanley (2015)

- Title: Perception of Mental Illness Based Upon its Portrayal in Film.

Maria Thomas (2013)

- Title: How Anxiety, Depression, ADD or ADHD Contribute to Self-Medicating via Marijuana and Non-Medical Prescription Drugs.

Christina Lacerenza (2012 in Psychology)

- Title: An Exploratory Factor Analysis of Self-Reported State and Guilt Traits.

Cynthia Oakes (2010 in Psychology)

- Title: Group Affiliation and Self-Esteem.

Marie Sabbagh (2010 in Psychology)

- Title: Influence of Defendant Mental Illness on Jury-Sentencing.

Megan Policastro (2008 in Legal Studies)

- Title: Therapeutic Jurisprudence and the Importance of Drug Courts in the Juvenile Justice System.

John Albers (2006 in Psychology)

- Title: Friends with Benefits: A New Sexual Phenomenon.

#### Research and Mentoring Program, Mentor

- This program offers paid research experiences to students in their junior and senior years with the potential to continue in graduate school. Faculty members mentor students, and participants engage in research throughout the academic year.

#### Students

- Danielle Perna (2014-2016, Biomedical Sciences major)
- Jamillah Hammond (2013-15, Biomedical Sciences major)
- Chrona Conley (2011-13, Psychology major)

#### McNair Scholars Program, Mentor

- This program prepares undergraduate students for doctoral studies through involvement in research and other scholarly activities. Participants are either first-generation college students and low-income as defined by federal guidelines or members of a group that is traditionally underrepresented in graduate school.

#### Student

- Genee Glascoe (2011-12, Psychology major)

#### LEAD Scholars Academy, Mentor

- This program provides a selective, two-year academic leadership development program for first-time-in-college students. LEAD Scholars are committed to academic excellence and making a difference in the world around them, guiding and inspiring their peers in a variety of ways on campus.

#### Student

- Christina Lacerenza (2008-2010, Psychology major)

### **Undergraduate Courses Taught**

#### SYG 2000: Introduction to Sociology

- I have taught this course face-to-face and online.

#### SYG 2000H: Honors Introduction to Sociology

- I have taught this course face-to-face.

#### SYG 2010: Social Problems

- I have taught this course face-to-face and online.

#### SYP 3510: Sociology of Deviant Behavior

- I have taught this course face-to-face and online.

#### SYP 3520: Criminology

- I have taught this course face-to-face and online.

#### SYP 3530: Juvenile Delinquency

- I have taught this course face-to-face and online.

#### SYP 3551: Patterns of Alcoholism in Society

- I have taught this course face-to-face.

#### SYP 4550: Patterns of Drug Abuse in Society

- I have taught this course face-to-face.

SYP 4631: Social Issue through Film

- I have taught this course face-to-face and online.
- **I created this course.**

### **Graduate Courses Taught**

SYA 5625: Pro-seminar

- This is a core course for M.A. program.

SYA 6128: Theoretical Criminology

- This is a core course for Ph.D. program.

SYA 6305: Social Research

- This is a core course for M.A. program.

SYD 6538: Topics in Social Inequalities: Crime, Health, and Inequality

SYP 6555: Sociology of Alcohol and Drugs

### **Faculty Teaching Mentor**

- All doctoral students who teach their own course are assigned a faculty mentor for the semester. The mentor is responsible for helping the doctoral student prepare for the course (e.g., create syllabus, lectures, and assignments) and supervises in class teaching.

#### Students Mentored

- William Watkins                      Fall 2011, Spring 2012
- Melissa Tetzlaff                      Fall 2011, Spring 2012
- Aaron Poole                              Summer 2012
- Brittany Murray                      Summer 2012, Fall 2012, Spring 2013
- Lauren Norman                      Summer 2013, Fall 2013, Spring 2014
- Boniface Noyongoyo                  Summer 2015, Summer 2016
- Karina Powell                          Fall 2019, Spring 2020
- Lauren Wright                          Fall 2016
- Trisha Whitmire                      Summer 2017
- Harvey Nicholson                    Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Summer 2018
- Corey Pomykacz                      Summer 2018, Fall 2018, Summer 2019

### **Teaching Grants**

2014 Co-principal Investigator. Sociological Fundamentals for the MCAT. Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Development Workshop University of Central Florida (\$800).

- 2003 Principal Investigator, Technology in the Classroom, Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Development Workshop University of Central Florida (\$800).
- 2002 Principal Investigator, Multimedia in the Classroom, Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning Summer Development Workshop University of Central Florida (\$1,000).
- 2002 Integrating Data Analysis Program, American Sociological Association (PI, Tracy Dietz).

### Teaching Workshops

- 2004 IDL6543, Interactive Distributed Learning for Technology-Mediated Course Delivery, is a course for faculty sponsored by the Center for Distributed Learning and Course Development and Web Services, at the University of Central Florida, that models how to teach online using a combination of seminars, labs, consultations, and web-based instruction. The purpose of this semester long faculty development course is to help faculty succeed as they develop and deliver their online courses.

### Service

Department of Sociology, University of Central Florida

Graduate Program Director (2016 – 2017)

- Director for both MA (31 students) and PhD (38 students) programs.
- Organized the **first visitation day** for the department where several students who were admitted to the program were brought to UCF to meet with faculty and tour the campus.
- **Created** a faculty-mentoring program, a professional development grant, and a graduate student advisory committee.
- Responsible for recruiting, admitting, and making funding decisions.
- Responsible for Graduate Teaching Assistant/Associate assignments, including students assigned to assist faculty with courses (assistants) and assigning courses for students listed as the instructor of record (associates).
- Responsible for curriculum, including the creation of new courses, scheduling courses, and revising the qualifying exam process.
- Lead efforts related to professional development, including organizing monthly sessions for graduate students where faculty panels discussed topics related to research, teaching, and networking.
- Coordinator for assessment of both programs.

Undergraduate Program Director (2010-2013)

- Director for both sociology and social sciences undergraduate programs.
- The number of students who graduated from these programs **increased 80%**.
- I created four **new minors**: Crime, Law, and Deviance; Medical Sociology; Mass Culture and Collective Behavior, Diversity and Social Inequality.

- I served as the assessment coordinator and revised the assessment plans for Introduction to Sociology (a part of the GEP curriculum) and the B.A. program in Sociology.
- I served as the internship supervisor.
- I served as the faculty chapter representative for Alpha Kappa Delta and inducted students every year.

#### Committees in the Department of Sociology

- Assessment Coordinator: 2010-2013, 2016-2017
- Budget: 2005-2006, 2007-2008, 2015-2016, 2018-2020
- Graduate Program: 2002-2005, 2008-2010, 2013-2017
- Library Representative: 2006-2009
- Personnel: 2008-Present
- Research: 2017-2019
- Search Committee Chair: 2009-2010, 2017-2018
- Search: 2002-2005, 2013-2014, 2018-2019
- Summer Research Academy: 2008-2013
- Undergraduate Program: 2002-2007, 2010-2014
- Visibility: 2017-2018

#### College of Sciences, University of Central Florida

- Assessment Review: 2006-2007, 2011-2014, 2017-2018
- Dean's Advisory Committee: 2019-2020
- Scholarship and Recognition: 2018-2019
- Social Sciences Advisory: 2012-2013
- TIP Awards: 2013, 2014, 2019
- Undergraduate Curriculum and Standards: 2010-2013
- Graduate Curriculum and Standards: 2016-2018

#### University of Central Florida

- Undergraduate Policy and Curriculum: 2015-2017
- Undergraduate Research Council: 2019-2020

### **Service to the Discipline**

#### Editorial Board

- Journal of Child and Adolescent Substance Abuse (2016 – present)
- Sociological Spectrum (2008 - 2012)

#### Grant Proposal External Reviewer

- National Science Foundation: Division of Social and Economic Sciences (2018)
- Pacific Athletic Conference: Student-Athlete Health & Well-Being Grant Program (2018)

## Journal Reviewer

- Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America

## Substance Use

- Addictive Behaviors
- American Journal on Addictions
- American Journal of Drug and Alcohol Abuse
- Drug and Alcohol Dependence
- Drugs: Education, Prevention and Policy
- International Journal of Drug Policy
- Journal of Child and Adolescent Substance Use
- Journal of Drug Issues
- Journal of Psychoactive Drugs
- Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment
- Journal of Substance Use
- Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drug Use
- Nordic Studies on Alcohol and Drugs
- Psychology of Addictive Behaviors
- Substance Abuse
- Substance Use and Misuse

## Sociology and Criminology

- American Sociological Review
- Criminal Justice Studies
- Deviant Behavior
- International Criminal Justice Review
- Journal of Criminal Justice
- Journal of Health and Social Behavior
- Justice Quarterly
- Social Problems
- Social Science Research
- Sociological Inquiry
- Sociological Spectrum
- Sociology of Education
- Youth & Society

## Public Health and Medical

- American Journal of Preventive Medicine
- Canadian Medical Association Journal
- Ethnicity and Health
- Experimental and Clinical Psychopharmacology
- Health Education and Research
- International Journal of Adolescent Medicine and Health
- Journal of Addictive Diseases



- Journal of Adolescence
- Journal of Adolescent Health
- Journal of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry
- Journal of Psychiatric Research
- Pediatrics
- Pediatric Exercise Sciences
- Preventive Medicine

Outside Reviewer for Promotion and Tenure

- Ohio University Lancaster, Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice
- Montana State University, Department of Sociology and Anthropology
- University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Department of Criminal Justice & Criminology
- Georgia Southern University, Department of Criminal Justice and Criminology

**Professional Organizations**

American Sociological Association

- Member of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Drugs Section
- Section Council Member for Alcohol, Drugs, and Tobacco (2019-2021)
- Junior Scholar Award Committee for Alcohol, Drugs, and Tobacco Section (2016, 2020)

Society for the Study of Social Problems

- **Chair** of Drinking and Drugs Division (2018-2020)
- Drinking and Drugs Division: Senior Scholar Award Committee (2015)
- Drinking and Drugs Division: Junior Scholar Award Committee (2016, 2018)
- Drinking and Drugs Division: Session Organizer (2016, 2017, 2018, 2019)

Member

- American Society of Criminology
- Southern Sociological Society