
Sarah Ariel Lamer

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- Ph.D.** University of Denver *Expected, June 2018*
Social Psychology
Advisor: Max Weisbuch, Ph.D
- B.A.** Connecticut College *May 2013*
Psychology Major
Thesis: *The Power of Perspective: Implications of Seeing Gender as Natural or Nurtured*
Chair: Joan Chrisler, Ph.D

Fellowship & Grants

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| National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship | Fall 2014-Summer 2017 |
| Lawrence Miller Memorial Fund Fellowship (\$1500) | Summer 2015 |
| Doctoral Fellowship for Inclusive engagement (\$1500) | Fall 2014-Spring 2015 |
| Program in Community Action & Public Policy, Research Travel Grant (\$135) | Spring 2013 |
| Dean of the Faculty Research Travel Grant (\$200) | Spring 2013 |
| Psychology Department Honors Thesis Grant (\$215) | Fall 2012 |
| Program in Community Action & Public Policy, Research Fellowship (\$3,000) | Summer 2012 |
| Center for Teaching and Learning, Research Grant (\$750) | Fall 2011 |

Publications

- Lamer, S. A.,** Reeves, S L. Reeves, & Weisbuch, M. (2015). The nonverbal environment of self-esteem: Interactive effects of facial-expression and eye-gaze on perceivers' self-evaluations. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 56, 130-138. doi:10.1016/j.jesp.2014.09.010
- Chrisler, J. C., & **Lamer, S. A.** (2015). Definitions of gender. In *Encyclopedia of Gender and Sexuality Studies*. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.
- Weisbuch, M., **Lamer, S. A.,** & Ford, B. Q. (2013). Memory for eye gaze: Accuracy, bias, and the role of facial emotion. *Social Cognition*, 31, 686-695.
- Lamer, S. A.** (2013). When in Vietnam: Linguistic relativity as a source of east-west cultural differences. *Connecticut College Psychology Department Journal*, 25, 34-57.
- Lamer, S.A.** Always greener on the other side: Within-gender and between-gender upward social comparisons. (2012) *Connecticut College Psychology Department Journal*.24, 31-45.
- Devlin, A. S., Borenstein, B., & **Lamer, S.** (2012). Attention restoration theory: A role for compelling European architecture? In R. Awwad-Rafferty, & L. C. Manzo (Eds.), *edra 43 Seattle: Emergent Placemaking, Proceedings of the 43rd Annual Conference of the Environmental Design Research Association* (pp. 42-46). (submitted)
- Lamer, S. A.,** & Weisbuch, M. (2015). On the contagiousness of gendered environments: How visual perception supports social inequity.

(in preparation)

Weisbuch, M., Adams, R., Lindquist, K., & **Lamer, S.** (in revision) Status and reflexive gaze following.

Lamer, S. A., & Chrisler, J. C. (in preparation). The power of perspective: Implications of seeing gender as natural or nurtured.

Lamer, S. A., & Chrisler, J. C. (in preparation). Same same or different?: A cross-cultural and cross-generational comparison of values in Vietnam and the United States.

Conference Presentations and Posters

Lamer, S. A. & Weisbuch, M. (2015, June). *Policy implications of gendered environments: How visual perception supports social inequity.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues, Washington D.C.

Lamer, S. A. & Weisbuch, M. (2015, May). *On the contagiousness of gendered environments: How visual perception supports social inequity.* Poster presented at Fostering Interdisciplinary Research for (In)Equality panel, Denver, CO.

Dvorak, P., **Lamer, S. A.,** & Weisbuch, M. (2015, February). *Emotional responses to gender-stereotypical behavior: Nonverbal sexism among popular television characters.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.

Lamer, S. A., & Weisbuch, M. (2015, February). On the contagiousness of gendered environments: How visual perceptions supports social inequity. In A. Skinner & K. Pauker (Chairs), *Bias contagion: Evidence of the spread of social bias through subtle social cues.* Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.

Waters, K., **Lamer, S. A.,** Sweeny, T., & Weisbuch, M. (2015, February). *Blinded by height: How gender stereotypes motivate visual processing of faces in space.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Long Beach, CA.

Lamer, S. A. (2014, February). *On the contagiousness of gendered environments: How visual perception supports social inequity.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX.

Devlin, A. S., Adler, J., Andrade, C., Browarnik, B., Evans, K., Finch, C., **Lamer, S. A.,** & Watkins, K. (2014, May). *When hospitals have an online presence: How photographs and text influence judgments of care.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Environmental Design Research Association, New Orleans, LA.

Lamer, S. A. (2013, April). *The power of perspective: Implications of seeing gender as natural or nurtured.* Paper presented at the annual Program in Community Action and Public Policy conference, New London, CT.

Lamer, S. A., Reeves, S., & Weisbuch, M. (2013, January). *The nonverbal environment of self-esteem.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.

Lamer, S. A., Reeves, S., & Weisbuch, M. (2013, January). *The nonverbal environment of self-esteem.* Poster presented at the Emotion Pre-conference of the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.

Devlin, A. S., Borenstein, B., & **Lamer, S. A.** (2012, May). *Attention restoration and healthcare: Is European architecture a bridge?* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Environmental Design Research Association, Seattle, WA.

- Lamer, S. A., & Brown, D.** (2011, December). *Student voices on student experiences*. Presentation for Connecticut College Center for Teaching and Learning Special Event, New London, CT.
- Lamer, S. A.** (2011, April). *Always greener on the other side: Perceptions of beauty and attractiveness*. Connecticut College Psychology Department Conference, New London, CT.
- Singer, J. A., Labunko Messier, B., Curtiss, C., Nugent, J., Falk, A., **Lamer, S. A.**, Zaveri, A., & Murstein, B. (2010, May). *Casual sex and attachment styles among college students*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Psychological Science, Boston, MA.

Honors and Awards

Diversity Fund Graduate Travel Award	January 2016
Graduate Travel Award	January 2016
Department Service Award	May 2014
NEPA Honorary Undergraduate Scholar Award	July 2013
Summa Cum Laude	May 2013
Academic Honors and Distinction in Psychology	May 2013
Phi Beta Kappa	May 2013
Winthrop Scholar (for being in top 3% of class)	May 2013
Community Action & Public Policy Scholar	May 2013
Psychology Department Prize	May 2013
Cameron Horner Smyser '92 Award for Scholarly Achievement	May 2013
Hunter Grubb Activist Scholarship	Fall 2012
Dean's High Honors	Fall 2009 – Spring 2012
Centennial Lending Scholarship	Fall 2011
Center for Teaching and Learning Research Scholar	Spring 2011
Psychology National Honors Society	Spring 2010
Firefighter's Insurance Association Scholarship	Fall 2009

Research Interests

Social Inequities and Stereotypes • Social Perception and Visual Mechanisms • Stereotyping Learning and Reinforcement • Lay Theories • Culture-Specific Linguistic and Perceptual Cues • Dialecticism

Teaching & Service

Social Perception & Attitudes Lab, Grants & Lab Supervisor Supervised undergraduate student grants	Summer 2014 –
Introductory Psychological Statistics, Lab Instructor	Fall 2011; Fall 2012
Psi Chi National Honors Society, President	Fall 2012
Graduate Students of the Four Faculties, Department Representative	Fall 2013
Psychology Department Journal, Editor	Fall 2011
Psychology Department Student Advisory Board, Member	Fall 2010
Covenant Homeless Shelter Children's Program, Volunteer	Spring 2011

Professional Affiliations

Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues	Summer 2013
APA Division 35 Psychology of Women	Spring 2013
Society for Personality and Social Psychology	Fall 2012

References

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