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Congratulations to

- **Psychology faculty and graduate students** who, since 7/1/2012, have received new, continuation, or competing renewal funds on 25 federal awards totaling \$11 million. The FSU Psychology Department has received one or more awards from all major funding sources each month for the past 10 consecutive months.
- **Roy Baumeister** on receiving the William James Fellow Award from the Association for Psychological Science. This award recognizes a lifetime of achievement and is considered one of psychology's highest honors.
- **Chris Patrick** on receiving a Lifetime Achievement Award from the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy. **Chris** also received a COFRS award from the Council on Research and Creativity for his research entitled, "Neuroimaging Analysis of Dispositions toward Mental Disorders."
- **Jeanette Taylor** on her promotion to Professor and election as department chair, both effective August 2013.
- **Pam Keel** on her election as Director of Clinical Training, effective August 2013.
- **Brad Schmidt** on being selected as a Distinguished Research Professor by the FSU Council on Research and Creativity for 2013.
- **Zuoxin Wang** on receiving a Graduate Faculty Mentor Award. **Zuoxin** was also elected to the position of Secretary (2013 – 2015) for the Society of Behavioral Neuroendocrinology.
- **Jon Maner** on receiving an Honors Thesis Mentor Award.
- **Diana Williams** on receiving an NIH R01 grant in the amount of \$1,557,837 for her research entitled, "Neuroendocrine Integration of Satiety and Food Reward." Further, **Diana** was awarded the Alan N. Epstein Research Award from the Society for the Study of Ingestive Behavior. This award honors an individual for a specific research discovery that has advanced the understanding of ingestive behavior.
- **Sara Hart** on receiving an NIH (NICHD) R21 grant in the amount of \$267,421 for her research on "Individual Differences in Response to Intervention."
- **Amy Polick**, a psychology faculty member at the Panama City Campus, on receiving the University Undergraduate Teaching Award.
- **Carlos Bolaños** who was made an honorary member of the local chapter of Tri-Beta, the Biological Honor Society, for a talk that sparked interest in clinical research amongst the students.
- **Roy Baumeister** and **Thomas Joiner** who were listed among the top 25 psychology professors in Florida, <http://onlineschoolsflorida.com/top-college-professors-in-florida/psychology/>
- **Bonnie Wright** on her acceptance in the Vice President for Finance 2012-2013 Partnership Program and her completion of the Sponsored Research Certificate Series.
- **Alex Santos** on his completion of the Sponsored Research Certificate Series.
- **Jessica Alquist**, a doctoral student in the Social program (major professor: **Roy Baumeister**), on accepting a tenure track Assistant Professor position at Texas Tech University.
- **Erin Fink**, a doctoral student in the Clinical program (major professor: **Thomas Joiner**) on accepting a tenure track Assistant Professor position at Penn State-Harrisburg.
- **Tania Reynolds**, a doctoral student in the Social program (major professor: **Jon Maner**), on receiving an NSF Graduate Research Fellowship for her research entitled, "Romantic Relationship Quality as a Predictor of Female Fertility."

- **Tiffany Brown**, a doctoral student in the Clinical program (major professor: **Pam Keel**), on receiving a 2013 Student Research Grant in the amount of \$1,000 from the Academy of Eating Disorders for her dissertation entitled, "Reducing Eating Disorder Risk Factors among Bisexual and Gay College-aged Males: A Randomized Efficacy Trial".
- **Jean Forney** (major professor: **Pam Keel**), **Jennifer Hames** (major professor: **Thomas Joiner**), and **Jessica Ribeiro** (major professor: **Thomas Joiner**) who are all doctoral students in the Clinical program and who all received an Ermine M. Owenby, Jr. Travel Award. The College of Arts and Sciences recognizes students' significant academic achievements with these awards and provides them with up to \$500 to present a paper at a professional conference.
- **Kirsten Hawkins**, a doctoral student in the Clinical program (major professor: **Jesse Cougle**) on receiving an FSU Dissertation Grant.
- **Kevin Elliott**, a doctoral student in the Neuroscience program (major professor: **Frank Johnson**) on receiving the 2013-2014 Wilson-Auzenne Graduate Assistantship.
- **The recipients of the Russell and Eugenia Morcom Graduate Research Day Excellence Awards** including **Brandon Warren** (1st place talk), **Lindsay Bodell** (2nd place talk), **Jessica Cascio** (3rd place talk), **Jennifer Hames** (Best Clinical Poster), **Tyler Towne** (Best Cognitive Poster), **Sarah Ingebrand** (Best Developmental Poster), **Kimberly Smith** (Best Neuroscience Poster), and **Melissa Shepherd** (Best Social Poster). These awards were made possible by a generous gift from the Morcoms and will become part of our annual GRD tradition.

Recent Publications and Invited Talks

- **Boot, W. R., & Ericsson, K. A.** (2013). Expertise and exceptional performance. In J. D. Lee, & A. Kirlik (Ed.), *Oxford handbook of cognitive engineering* (pp. 143-158). New York, NY: Oxford University Press.
- **Ericsson, K. A.** (2013). Deliberate practice and the superior performance of experts: What can we learn from the training of chess masters, elite athletes and musicians? Invited keynote presentation at the **13th International Meeting on Simulation in Healthcare (IMSH)**, Orlando, Florida, January 26th.
- **Ericsson, K. A.** (2013). Psychotherapy and the Science of Human Excellence. Invited keynote presentation at the **2013 Symposium of Psychotherapy Networker**, Washington, DC, March 22nd.
- **Ericsson, K. A., & Towne, T. J.** (2013). Experts and their superior performance. In D. M. Reisberg, (Ed.), *The Oxford handbook of cognitive psychology* (pp. 886-901). New York, NY: Oxford University Press, Inc. Tyler Towne is a graduate student in the Cognitive program (major professor: **Anders Ericsson**).
- **Hart, S.A., Soden, B., Johnson, W., Schatschneider, C., & Taylor, J.** (in press). Expanding the environment: Gene x school-level SES interaction on reading comprehension. *Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry*. Brooke Soden-Hensler is a graduate of the Cognitive program (major professor: **Chris Schatschneider**).
- **Smith, A.S., Lieberwirth, C., & Wang, Z.X.** (in press). Behavioral and physiological responses of female prairie voles (*Microtus ochrogaster*) to various stressful conditions. *Stress*. Adam Smith and Claudia Lieberwirth are graduate students in the Neuroscience program (major professor: **Zuoxin Wang**).

In the News

- **Anders Ericsson's** research was recently featured in *The New York Times* (Schwartz, T., 2/9/13), Relax! You'll Be More Productive http://www.nytimes.com/2013/02/10/opinion/sunday/relax-youll-be-more-productive.html?pagewanted=all&_r=0
- **Roy Baumeister's** research was recently featured on the BBC website (Stafford, T., 1/29/13), The Psychology of the To-Do List (<http://www.bbc.com/future/story/20130129-the-psychology-of-the-to-do-list>)

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