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Academic Positions

Visiting Assistant Professor of Psychology <i>Williams College</i>	2018-present
Quattrone Center Post-Doctoral Research Fellow <i>University of Pennsylvania Law School</i>	2016-2018

Education

John Jay College of Criminal Justice and the Graduate Center, CUNY Psychology and Law Basic and Applied Social Psychology <i>Dissertation: Diversity's Impact on the Quality of Deliberations</i> <i>Advisor: Margaret Kovera</i>	Ph.D., 2017
Williams College Psychology and History	B.A., 2009

Publications

Bergold, A.N. & Heaton, P. (2018). Does filler database size influence identification accuracy? *Law and Human Behavior*, 42(3), 227-243. doi: 10.1037/lhb0000289

Jones, A.M., **Bergold, A.N.**, Dillon, M.K., & Penrod, S. (2017). Comparing the effectiveness of *Henderson* instructions and expert testimony: Which safeguard improves jurors' evaluations of eyewitness evidence? *Journal of Experimental Criminology*, 13, 29-52. doi: 10.1007/s11292-016-9279-6.

Dillon, M. K., Jones, A. M., **Bergold, A. N.**, Hui, C. Y., & Penrod, S. D. (2017). *Henderson* instructions: Do they enhance evidence evaluation? *Journal of Forensic Psychology Research and Practice*, 17(1), 1-24. doi: 10.1080/15228932.2017.1235964

Leippe, M. R., **Bergold, A. N.**, & Eisenstadt, D. (2017). Prejudice and terror management at trial: Effects of defendant race/ethnicity and mortality salience on mock-jurors' verdict judgments. *The Journal of Social Psychology*, 157(3), 279-294. doi:10.1080/00224545.2016.1184128

Zimmerman, D., Rodriguez, D., **Bergold, A.**, & Penrod, S. (2016). The influence of pretrial exposure to community outrage and victim hardship on guilt judgments. *Psychology, Crime & Law*, 22(5), 435-454. doi: 10.1080/1068316X.2015.1120870

Nicholson, A.S., Yarbrough, A., & Penrod, S.D. (2014). Jury decision making and eyewitness testimony. In *Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice* (pp. 2727-2735). New York: Springer.

Manuscripts under review

Bergold, A.N. & Kovera, M.B. (revise & resubmit) Diversity's impact on the quality of jury deliberations.

Bergold, A.N., Jones, A.Y., Dillon, M., & Penrod, S. (under review) Eyewitnesses in the courtroom: A jury- level examination of the impact of the *Henderson* instructions.

Jones, A.Y. & **Bergold, A.N.** (under review) Can judicial instructions sensitize jurors to the quality of individual eyewitness variables?

Manuscripts in preparation

Bergold, A.N. & Kovera, M.B. Wealth and power diversity: The impact on verdicts and the quality of deliberations.

Wood, S.Y., **Bergold, A.N.**, & Kovera, M.B. Examining the role of phenotypic bias in the construction of eyewitness lineups.

Additional writing

Bergold, A.N. & Kovera, M.B. (2016). Doctoral Dissertation Research: The Impact of Jury Diversity on Deliberation Quality. *National Science Foundation* Final Report.

Bergold, A.N., Jones, A.M., Dillon, M., & Penrod, S. (2015). Issue-specific jury instructions in eyewitness cases: Are they more effective than traditional safeguards? *National Science Foundation* Final Report.

Yarbrough, A. & **Nicholson, A.S.** (2012). Significant eyewitness cases and the shifting focus of the courts, *Legal Update* Column, *American Psychology and Law Society* Newsletter.

Grants and Awards

Early Career Professional Grant-in-Aid, <i>American Psychology and Law Society</i> (\$5,000)	2018
Quattrone Center Faculty Research Grant, <i>University of Pennsylvania Law School</i> (\$40,675)	2017
Dissertation Improvement Grant, <i>National Science Foundation</i> (\$19,304)	2014
Forensic Psychology Research Institute Grant, <i>John Jay College of Criminal Justice</i> (\$5,000)	2011
CUNY Graduate Center Science Fellowship, <i>CUNY Graduate Center</i>	2010

Under review:

"Improving Filler/Suspect Similarity in Eyewitness Lineups Using Facial Recognition Systems"
National Science Foundation (\$244,540)

Conference Presentations

Bergold, A.N. & Kovera, M.B. (2018, June). The impact of diversity on the quality of jury deliberations. Invited paper presentation at the annual meeting of the Law and Society Association, Toronto, Canada.

Bergold, A.N. & Heaton, P. (2018, March). Does filler database size influence identification accuracy? Paper presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, Tennessee.

- Jones, A.M. & **Bergold, A.N.** (2018, March). Selecting fillers for eyewitness lineups. Paper presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, Tennessee.
- Bergold, A.N.**, Jones, A.M., & Penrod, S. (2017, November). How judicial instructions help jurors understand specific eyewitness factors. Paper presentation at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- Bergold, A.N.** & Kovera, M.B. (2017, March). Wealth/Power diversity and its impact on the quality of deliberations. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Seattle, Washington.
- Bergold, A.N.** & Kovera, M.B. (2016, March). Diversity's impact on the quality of deliberations. Paper presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Bergold, A.N.** & Penrod, S.D. (2016, March). Can closing arguments help jurors evaluate eyewitness evidence? Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Atlanta, Georgia.
- Jones, A.M., **Bergold, A.N.**, Berman, M., & Penrod, S. (2015, March). Sensitizing jurors to factors influencing the accuracy of eyewitness identification: Assessing the effectiveness of the *Henderson* instructions. Paper presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology- Law Society, San Diego, California.
- Nicholson, A.S.** & Kovera, M.B. (2014, June). When Guilt is in the Eye of the Beholder: The Role of Stereotypically African features in Witness Identification Decisions. Paper presentation at the biennial meeting of the International Society of Justice Research, New York, New York.
- Nicholson, A.S.**, Yarbrough, A., Berman, M., Hui, C., & Penrod, S. (2014, March). Helping jurors understand eyewitness identifications: Deliberations and judicial instructions. Paper presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Berman, M., Yarbrough, A., **Nicholson, A.S.**, Hui, C., & Penrod, S. (2014, March). Do issue-specific judicial instructions sensitize jurors to eyewitness identification accuracy? Paper presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Hui, C., Yarbrough, A., Berman, M., **Nicholson, A.S.**, & Penrod, S. (2014, March). Intuitive or informed decision makers? The impact of probative value of evidence on coherence-based reasoning in juror decision making. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Berman, M., **Nicholson, A.S.**, Yarbrough, A., Hui, C., & Penrod, S. (2013, June). Issue-specific judicial instructions and expert testimony in eyewitness cases. Poster presentation at the bi-annual meeting of the Society for Applied Research in Memory and Cognition, Rotterdam, the Netherlands.
- Yarbrough, A., **Nicholson, A.**, & Penrod, S. (2012, June). Significant eyewitness cases and the shifting focus of the courts. Paper presentation at the Tenth Biennial International Conference, New York, New York.

Nicholson, A.S., Leippe, M.R., & Yip, J.H. TMT and mock juror outgroup bias. (2013, March). Paper presentation at annual meeting American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.

Zimmerman, D., Rodriguez, D., **Nicholson, A.S.**, & Penrod, S.D. (2013, March). The roles of perceived public outrage, self monitoring, and anticipated social Consequences in the Biasing Effects of Pretrial Publicity. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.

Nicholson, A.S., Leippe, M.R., & Eisenstadt, D. (2012, March). Defendant race/ethnicity and mock- jurors' bias: Effects of decision importance and own-group preference. Poster presentation at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Teaching Experience

Williams College (current)

Social Psychology (with Dr. Steven Fein)
Psychology and Law

Fall 2018
Fall 2018

University of Pennsylvania Law School

Guest Lecturer for Conviction Review Course

Spring 2017, Spring 2018

John Jay College of Criminal Justice

Social Psychology
Research Methods
Cognitive Psychology (TA)

Fall 2015
Spring 2014 (section leader), Spring 2014, Spring 2015
Fall 2012

Professional Experience

Trial Consulting under the supervision of Dr. Margaret Bull Kovera

2012-2016

Activities: Assist in change of venue and venire opinion surveys.

Assist in charge of collecting data for expert testimony on eyewitness identification.

Professional Memberships

American Psychology-Law Society (Division 41 of APA)

American Psychological Association

International Society for Social Justice Research

The American Society of Criminology

Association for Psychological Science

Professional Development Activities

Editorial Assistant *Law and Human Behavior*

2013-2016

Communications Officer, *Psychology and Law Program John Jay College of Criminal Justice*

2013-2014

Ad-Hoc reviewer for: *Law and Human Behavior, Basic and Applied Social Psychology, Social Science Quarterly*, National Science Foundation, American Psychology-Law Society Conference

Academic References

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