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#### **EDUCATION**

2020 Ph.D., Psychology

Department of Psychology Utah State University

2012 B.A., Psychology

Department of Psychology

California State University, Long Beach

#### RESEARCH

2020-Present Postdoctoral Research Fellow

Vermont Center on Behavior and Health

University of Vermont

Advisor: Stephen Higgins, Ph.D.

Grant work:

- P20GM10364-09: Centers of Biomedical Research Excellence
  - Funded Pilot Project Smartphone-based Financial Incentives to Promote Smoking Cessation Among Alaska Native Pregnant Women: A Randomized Controlled Trial
- 5U54DA036114-09: Tobacco Centers of Regulatory Science
  - Funded Rapid Response Project An Evaluation of Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems and Heat-Not-Burn Tobacco Products on Demand for Combustible Cigarettes in the Experimental Tobacco Marketplace

2014-2020 Graduate Research Assistant

Department of Psychology

**Utah State University** 

Advisor: Timothy Shahan, Ph.D.

Grant work:

- 1R01HD093734-01: Basic and Clinical Studies in Reinforcing Positive Behaviors in Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities
- 1R21AA025604-01A1: Alcohol Seeking and Resurgence Following Escalating Negative Consequences
- R21DA038950: Resurgence of Punishment-Suppressed Cocaine Seeking
- 1R21DA037725-01: Theory of Resurgence of Cocaine Seeking

2012-2014 Post-Baccalaureate Research Assistant

Department of Psychology

University of California, Los Angeles

Advisor: Aaron Blaisdell, Ph.D.

Undergraduate Research Assistant
Departments of Psychology and Physical Therapy
California State University, Long Beach
Advisors: Young-Hee Cho, Ph.D. & Olfat Mohamed, Ph.D., P.T.

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- **Browning, K. O.** Sutton, G. M., Nist, A. N., & Shahan, T. A. (2022). The effects of large, small, and thinning magnitudes of alternative reinforcement on resurgence. Behavioural Processes.
- **Browning, K. O.** & Shahan, T. A. (2021). Examination of alternative-response discrimination training and resurgence in rats. Learning & Behavior. 49, 379–396.
- Sutton, G. M., Nist, A. N., Nall, R. W., **Browning, K. O.**, & Shahan, T. A. (2021). Resurgence of alcohol seeking following abstinence induced by punishment in male and female rats. Behavioural Brain Research, 410, 113345.
- Shahan, T. A, **Browning, K. O.**, Nist, A. N., & Sutton, G. M. (2020). Resurgence and downshifts in alternative reinforcement rates. Journal of the experimental analysis of behavior. 114(2), 163-178.
- Shahan, T. A., **Browning, K. O**., & Nall, R. W. (2020). Resurgence as choice in context: Treatment duration and on/off alternative reinforcement. Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior, 113(1), 57-76.
- Craig, A. R., Sullivan, W. E., **Browning, K. O.**, DeRosa, N. M., & Roane, H. S. (2020). Re-exposure to reinforcement in context A during treatment in context B reduces ABC renewal. Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior, 113(1), 141-152.
- **Browning, K. O.** & Shahan, T.A. (2018) Renewal of extinguished operant behavior following changes in social context. Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior, 110(3), 430-439.
- Nall, R. W., Craig, A. R., **Browning, K. O.**, & Shahan, T. A. (2018). Longer treatment with alternative non-drug reinforcement fails to reduce resurgence of cocaine or alcohol seeking in rats. Behavioural Brain Research, 341, 54-62.
- Craig, A. R., **Browning, K. O.**, & Shahan, T. A. (2017) Stimuli previously associated with reinforcement mitigate resurgence. Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior, 108(2), 139-150.
- Craig, A. R., **Browning, K. O.**, Nall, R. W., Marshall, C. A., & Shahan, T. A. (2017). Resurgence and alternative-reinforcer magnitude. Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior. 107(2), 218-233.

### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

**Browning, K. O**. & Shahan, T. A., (2021, May). Examination of Alternative-Response Discrimination Training on Resurgence in Rats. In C Ritchey (chair), Basic and Translational Research on Renewal, Resurgence, and Reinstatement. Symposium presentation at the 47<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis, International, virtual.

- Sutton, G. M., Nist, A. N., Nall, R. W., **Browning, K. O.**, & Shahan, T. A. (2021, May). Resurgence of Punishment-Suppressed Alcohol Seeking in Rats. In M Kranak (Chair), Recent Research on Renewal and Resurgence: Bridging the Gap Between Basic and Applied Research. Symposium presentation at the 47<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis, International, virtual.
- Sullivan, W., Craig, A. R., **Browning, K. O**., DeRosa, N., Baxter, E. L., & Roane, H. S. (2021, May). Context-Discrimination Training During Treatment May Reduce ABC Renewal. In M Keevy (Chair), Extending the Renewal Literature Through Basic and Translational Research. Symposium presentation at the 47<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis, International, virtual.
- Browning, K. O., DeSarno, M. J., Davis, D. R., Streck, J. M., Bergeria, C. L., Harfmann, R. F., Parker, M. A., Heil, S. H., Sigmon, S. C., Gaalema, D. E., Tidey, J. W., Lee, D. C., Hughes, J. R., Tetreault, H. J., Markesich, C., & Higgins, S. T. (2021, June). The Relation Between the Brief Wisconsin Inventory of Smoking Dependence Motives, Individual Differences in Nicotine Consumption, and the Relative Reinforcing Value of Cigarettes in Vulnerable Populations of Smokers. Poster presentation at the College on Problems of Drug Dependence annual meeting, virtual.
- Browning, K. O., DeSarno, M. J., Davis, D. R., Streck, J. M., Bergeria, C. L., Harfmann, R. F., Parker, M. A., Heil, S. H., Sigmon, S. C., Gaalema, D. E., Tidey, J. W., Lee, D. C., Hughes, J. R., Tetreault, H. J., Markesich, C., & Higgins, S. T. (2020, Oct). Relations between Individual Differences in Primary and Secondary Dependence Motives and Underpinning Motivational and Pharmacological Processes in Vulnerable Populations of Smokers. Poster presentation at the Fall Tobacco Centers of Regulatory Science Grantee Meeting, virtual.
- **Browning, K. O.**, Nall, R. W., & Shahan, T. A., (2019, May). Treatment duration and resurgence. In A. Fuhrman (chair), Recent Basic and Translational Research Evaluating the Effects of Baseline and Treatment Duration on Resurgence. Symposium presentation at the 45<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis, International, Chicago, IL.
- **Browning, K. O.** & Shahan, T. A. (2018, May). Social stimuli and relapse of operant behavior in rats. In T. Hackenberg (chair), Cooperation, Altruism, and Social Reinforcement: Current Trends in the Experimental Analysis of Social Behavior. Symposium presentation at the 44<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis, International, San Diego, CA.
- **Browning, K. O.**, & Shahan, T. A. (2017, May). ABA renewal using social contextual stimuli. Poster presentation at the 40<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society for the Quantitative Analysis of Behavior, Denver, CO.
- Craig, A. R., **Browning, K. O.**, & Shahan, T. A. (2017, May). Delivery of Conditioned Reinforcers Suppresses Resurgence. Poster presentation at the 40<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society for the Quantitative Analysis of Behavior, Denver, CO.
- Nall, R. W., Craig, A. R., & **Browning, K. O.**, & Shahan, T. A. (2017, May). Effects of treatment duration on resurgence of cocaine seeking. Poster presentation at the 40<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society for the Quantitative Analysis of Behavior, Denver, CO.
- **Browning, K. O.**, Craig, A. R., & Shahan, T. A. (2016, May). Alternative-reinforcer magnitude effects on response suppression and resurgence. In C. St. Peter (chair), Resurgence and Relapse: From Bench to

Bedside. Symposium presentation at the 42<sup>nd</sup> annual meeting of the Association for Behavior Analysis, International, Chicago, IL.

- **House\*, K. O.**, Craig, A. R., Cunningham, P. J., & Shahan, T. A. (2015, May). Difference in resistance to extinction between single and multiple schedules may be related to testing conditions. Poster presented at the 38<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Society for the Quantitative Analysis of Behavior, San Antonio, TX.
- Cho, Y.-H., White, B., **House\*, K. O.**, Mohamed, O., & Singh-Carlson, S. (2012). Effect of fall-prevention program on subjective health and life expectancy among older adults. Poster presented at the 65<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Gerontology Society of America, San Diego, CA.

\*Last name changed from House to Browning in 2016

#### **TEACHING**

2017-2020 Graduate Student Instructor

Analysis of Behavior: Basic Principles and Lab

Advanced Behavior Analysis

Department of Psychology Utah State University

2014-2015 Graduate Teaching Assistant

Analysis of Behavior: Basic Principles (Online)

Department of Psychology Utah State University

2011-2012 Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

General Psychology

Abnormal Psychology

Department of Psychology

California State University, Long Beach

#### **AWARDS & HONORS**

2017 Graduate Research and Creative Opportunities Grant

Title: Examining the role of response-noncontingent reinforcement

in mitigating resurgence Advisor: Timothy Shahan, Ph.D. Amount awarded: \$1000

Amount awarded: \$1000 Utah State University

2017 Ray Alvord Scholarship

Amount awarded: \$500 Utah State University

# **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

### 2015 – Present Ad Hoc Reviewer:

- Behavioral Development
- Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis
- Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior
- Learning and Motivation
- The Psychological Record
- Perspectives on Behavior Science

#### 2021 – Present Abstract Reviewer:

- APA 2021 Annual Conference Division 28
- APA 2022 Annual Conference Division 28
- SRNT 2022 Annual Conference

# 2017 – 2018 Graduate Student Representative

Behavior Analysis Ph.D. Program

**Utah State University**