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EDUCATION

| <u>Degree</u> | <u>Institution</u> | <u>Date</u> |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| PhD Lifespan Developmental Psychology | University of Alabama at Birmingham | 07/2021 |
| MA Developmental Psychology | University of Alabama at Birmingham | 12/2019 |
| BS Psychology | University of Alabama at Birmingham | 12/2015 |

| <u>Other Education</u> | <u>Certifying Body</u> | <u>Date</u> |
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| Multilevel Modeling | CenterStat by Curran-Bauer Analytics | 05/2023 |
| CIRTL Associate | Center for the Integration of Research, Teaching, and Learning | 08/2019 |

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

| <u>Institution</u> | <u>Position title</u> | <u>Dates</u> |
|--|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| University of Texas Health Science Center, Cizik School of Nursing, Department of Research | Assistant Professor | October 2024- Present |
| Pickering Caregiving Lab, University of Texas Health Science Center, Cizik School of Nursing, Department of Research | Postdoctoral Research Fellow | August 2023- September 2024 |
| Pickering Caregiving Lab, UAB School of Nursing | Postdoctoral Research Fellow | September 2021- August 2023 |

HONORS & AWARDS

| <u>Award</u> | <u>Awarding Organization</u> | <u>Date</u> |
|--|---|-------------|
| National Conference on Health Disparities Hotel Scholarship | National Conference on Health Disparities | April 2019 |
| UAB Psychology Travel Grant | UAB Psychology Department | April 2019 |
| American Pain Society Young Investigator Travel Grant | American Pain Society | May 2017 |

GRANTS

Research Grants

Assessing Dementia Family Caregiving Networks: A Feasibility Study, Speros Martel Endowment for the Aging, Principal Investigator, \$7,000, September 2024-2025.

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed Publications

Browning, W. R., Yildiz, M., Chilatra, J. A. H., Maxwell, C.D., Yefimova, M., Sullivan, T.P., and Pickering, C.E. (2024). Patterns of Family Conflict and Accusations of Abuse in Dementia Family Caregivers: A Latent Class Analysis. *gnae108*, <https://doi.org/10.1093/geront/gnae108>

Chilatra, J. A. H., **Browning, W. R.**, Yildiz, M., Sullivan, T. P., & Pickering, C. E. (2024). Emotion Regulation, Coping Strategies, and Hazardous Drinking Among Family Caregivers of People With Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias. *Research in Gerontological Nursing*, 17(2), 81-90.

Moody, M. D., **Browning, W. R.**, Hossain, M., & Clay, O. J. (2023). Vicarious experiences of major discrimination, anxiety symptoms, and mental health care utilization among Black Adults. *Social Science & Medicine*, 316, 114997.

Clay, O.J., Kim, G., Martin, K.D., Wilkinson, L.L., **Browning, W.R.**, Bowen, P.G., Sawyer, P.L., Brown, C. (In Review). Associations of Body Mass Index and Race with Mental Health among Older Adults in the Deep South

Bowen, P. G., Clay, O. J., Lee, L. T., **Browning, W. R.**, Schoenberger, Y. M., & Martin, M. Y. (2018). Texting Older Sisters to Step: The TOSS Study. *Western journal of nursing research*, 41(3), 388-408.

Turan, B., Budhwani, H., Fazeli, P. L., **Browning, W. R.**, Raper, J. L., Mugavero, M. J., & Turan, J. M. (2017). How does stigma affect people living with HIV? The mediating roles of internalized and anticipated HIV stigma in the effects of perceived community stigma on health and psychosocial outcomes. *AIDS and Behavior*, 21(1), 283-291.

Turan, B., Tackett, J. L., Lechtreck, M. T., & **Browning, W. R.** (2015). Coordination of the cortisol and testosterone responses: A dual axis approach to understanding the response to social status threats. *Psychoneuroendocrinology*, 62, 59-68.

Non-Peer Reviewed Publications

Browning, W. R., Yildiz, M., Maxwell, C.D., Sullivan, T.P., Yefimova, M., Chilatra, J. A. H., and Pickering, C.E. (In Review). Mechanisms Underlying the Use of Abusive and Neglectful Behaviors in Dementia Caregiving: The Role of Caregiver Mental Health.

Browning, W. R., Sullivan, T.P., Yildiz, M., Maxwell, C.D., and Pickering, C.E. (In Review). Differential effects of baseline and daily family conflict on odds of daily abuse and neglect in dementia family caregivers.

Browning, W. R., Bowen, P.G., Crowe, M.G., Dreer, L., Ruggiano, N., Clay, O.J. (2021). Examining Interpersonal Differences Among Caregivers in Health Outcomes Using a Stress Process Model: The Influence of Adverse Social Experiences and Social Support (Doctoral dissertation, The University of Alabama at Birmingham).

Browning, W.R., Crowe, M.G., Bowen, P.G., Pouncey, J., Clay, O.J. (2019). Social Support and Self-Care Efficacy as Mediators of Racial Disparities in Diabetes Health in Older Adults (Master's thesis, The University of Alabama at Birmingham).

PRESENTATIONS

National

Conference Oral Presentations

Browning W, Pickering C. (2024). *Gender Differences in Types of Aggression Used Among Dementia Family Caregivers*. To be presented at Gerontological Society of America National Meeting 2024, Seattle WA.

Browning W, Pickering C. (2024). *Lasting Impacts of ACEs on Depression/Suicidal Thinking in Black Dementia Caregivers: A Within-Group Analysis*. To be presented at Gerontological Society of America National Meeting 2024, Seattle WA.

Browning W, Pickering C. (2024). *Differential impacts of baseline and daily family conflict on daily risk of abuse and neglect in dementia family caregivers: A GLMM Approach*. Presented at Violence Prevention Research Conference 2024, Portsmouth, NH.

Browning W, Chilatra J, Yildiz M, Winstead V, Pickering C. *DYNAMIC IMPACTS OF FAMILY CONFLICT ON ELDER ABUSE AND NEGLECT AMONG ADRD*. *Innov Aging*. 2023 December; 7(Suppl 1):619. PII: igad104.2017. Presented at Gerontological Society of America National Meeting 2023, Tampa, FL.

Chilatra J, **Browning W**, Yildiz M, Winstead V, Pickering C. *ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION AND ABUSIVE/NEGLECTFUL BEHAVIORS AMONG FAMILY CAREGIVERS OF*. *Innov Aging*. 2023 December; 7(Suppl 1):619. PII: igad104.2018. Presented at Gerontological Society of America National Meeting 2023, Tampa, FL.

Overstreet, D., Penn, T., **Browning, W.R.**, Goodin, B., & Trost, Z. (2016, October). *Racial differences in appraisal of physical activity among community-dwelling adults with chronic low back pain*. Presented at the 2016 University of Alabama at Birmingham Pain Symposium, Birmingham, AL.

Conference Poster Presentations

Browning, W., Atkins, G., Bowen, P., Crowe, M., Dreer, L., Ruggiano, N., & Clay, O. (2022). *Adverse social experiences, social support, and health outcomes among black and white family caregivers*. *Innovation in Aging*, 6(Supplement_1), 694-695. Poster presented at Gerontological Society of America National Meeting 2022, Indianapolis, IN.

Browning, W.R., Clay, O.J., Atkins, G., Bowen, P.G., Harmon, R.B., & Crowe, M. (June, 2019). *Components of social support mediate racial disparity on diabetes distress within older African and Caucasian Americans*. Poster presented at the 12th Annual National Conference on Health Disparities, Oakland, CA.

Atkins, G., Clay, O.J, **Browning, W.R.**, Bowen, P.G., Harmon, R. & Crowe, M. (June, 2019). *Associations of Satisfaction with Social Support and Physician Trust with Greater Self-Efficacy in Older Adults Living with Diabetes*. Poster presented at the 12th Annual National Conference on Health Disparities, Oakland, CA.

Browning, W.R., Penn, T., Overstreet, D., France, C., Richardson, E., & Trost, Z. (2017, May). *Examining the relationship between perceived injustice, pain, and psychosocial outcomes among veterans with chronic low back pain*. Poster presented at the 2017 Scientific Meeting of the American Pain Society. Pittsburgh, PA.

Penn, T., **Browning, W.R.**, France, C., Hardee., G., Zielke, M., & Trost, Z. (2017 May) *Attitudes toward a virtual reality physical activity Intervention among veterans with chronic low back pain*. Poster presented at the 2017 Scientific Meeting of the American Pain Society. Pittsburgh, PA.

Overstreet, D., Penn, T., **Browning, W.R.**, Goodin, B., Martin, K., & Trost, Z. (2017, May). *Racial differences in appraisal of physical activity among community-dwelling adults with chronic low back pain*. Poster presented at the 2017 Scientific Meeting of the American Pain Society. Pittsburgh, PA.

Browning, W.R., Budhwani, H., Turan, J. M., & Turan, B. (2016, January). *Do different mechanisms of HIV-related stigma predict health outcomes differentially? A conceptual model of stigma and its role in health outcomes for people living with HIV*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Diego, CA.

Local

Local Conference Oral Presentations

Browning W, Pickering C. (2024). Impacts of family conflict on daily risk of abuse and neglect in dementia caregivers. **Keynote Presentation**. To be presented at UTHealth Cizik School of Nursing Scholar's Day 2024, Houston, TX

Local Conference Poster Presentations

Browning, W.R., Lechtreck, M. T., & Turan, B. (2015). *Coordination of Cortisol and Testosterone responses to status threats: Verbal dominance and anxiety as predictors of a dual-hormone response.* Poster presented at the 2015 UAB Summer Expo, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICEJournal Manuscript Review

| <u>Journal</u> | <u>Date</u> |
|---|-------------|
| Journals of Gerontology: Psychological Sciences | 2024 |
| Social Problems | 2024 |
| Social Science and Medicine | 2023 |

Professional Memberships

| <u>Organization</u> | <u>Role</u> | <u>Inclusive dates</u> |
|---|---------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Gerontological Society of America (GSA) | Member | 2020-Present |
| American Indian Science and Engineering Society (APS) | Member | 2022-2023 |
| Association for Psychological Science (APS) | Member | 2016-2020 |
| American Pain Society (APS) | Member | 2016-2017 |
| Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP) | Member | 2014-2016 |
| Psi Chi International Honor Society for Psychology | Member, Former Chapter Vice President | 2014-Present |
| Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society | Member | 2013-Present |

COURSES TAUGHT**University of Alabama at Birmingham, Psychology****Instructor:**

| <u>Course</u> | <u>Number</u> | <u>Credits</u> | <u>Online</u> | <u>Semester</u> | <u>Year</u> |
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| Elementary Statistical Methods | PY216 | 3 | Online | Summer | 2018 |
| Elementary Statistical Methods Lab | PY216L | 1 | Both | All | 2018-2021 |

Teaching Assistant:

| <u>Course</u> | <u>Number</u> | <u>Credits</u> | <u>Online</u> | <u>Semester</u> | <u>Year</u> |
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| Psychology Capstone | PY490 | 3 | Online | Fall | 2022 |
| Elementary Statistical Methods | PY216 | 3 | Both | All | 2018-2021 |
| Introduction to Psychology | PY101 | 3 | Online | Fall | 2018 |
| Psychology Capstone | PY490 | 3 | Online | Spring | 2018 |
| Research Methods in Psychology | PY316 | 3 | Online | Summer | 2018 |
| Brain Mind and Behavior | PY256 | 3 | Online | Summer | 2017 |