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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Psychology, University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), 2011
Culture, Brain, and Development Minor
Dissertation: *Ethnic Microaggressions and the Health and Well-being of Latino and Asian American Adolescents*
Advisor: Andrew J. Fuligni, Ph.D.
- M.A. Developmental Psychology, UCLA, 2006
Master's Thesis: *Ethnic Socialization and the Academic Adjustment of Adolescents From Mexican, Chinese, and European Backgrounds*
- B.A. Psychology, Loyola Marymount University (LMU), 2005, Summa Cum Laude

ACADEMIC AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2016 Exceptional Levels of Service to Students Award, CSUN
- 2016 Don Dorsey Excellence in Mentoring Award, CSUN
- 2014 Polished Apple Award, CSUN
- 2012 Society for Research on Adolescence Hershel D. Thornburg Dissertation Award
- 2011 Chertoff Graduate Service Award, UCLA
- 2011 Society for Research in Child Development Student Travel Award (\$300)
- 2011 Emerging Scholars Spotlight for the Society of Research on Adolescence
- 2010-2011 Dissertation Year Fellowship, UCLA (\$17,000)
- 2009 European Association for Research on Adolescence/Society for Research on Adolescence International Summer School Participant, Jacobs Foundation, Vancouver, Canada
- 2008 University of California (UC) Graduate Summer Research Mentorship Award, UCLA (\$4,700)
- 2007 International Fall School on Migration Participant, German-Israeli Research Consortium, Luckenwalde, Germany
- 2007 UC Graduate Summer Research Mentorship Award, UCLA, (\$4,700)
- 2007 Ford Foundation Diversity Fellowships Honorable Mention

- 2006-2007 Foundation for Psychocultural Research-UCLA Center for Culture, Brain, and Development (FPR-UCLA CBD) Pre-doctoral Fellowship, UCLA (\$20,000)
- 2006 UC Diversity Initiative for Graduate Study in the Social Sciences Fellows Summer Program Award, UCLA, (\$5,000)
- 2006 Ford Foundation Diversity Fellowships Honorable Mention
- 2006 National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Honorable Mention

GRANTS AND SUPPORT

- 2015 Faculty Writing Bootcamp (\$500), CSUN
- 2015 NCMHD RIMI Center's Mixed-Methods Training, CSUN
Semester-long training on mixed-methods
- 2014-2015 Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity Grant, CSUN
Grant supporting the preparation a manuscript reviewing risk and resilience among sexual minority youth of color
- 2014 Fall Faculty Scholar Academy, CSUN
Support to submit grant proposal to funding agency.
- 2014 Summer Faculty Scholar Academy (\$2,500), CSUN
- 2013-2014 NCMHD RIMI Center's Tiered Mentor Scholar, (\$65,000), CSUN
Grant supporting training in health equity research. Project titled "Discrimination and Health among Latino and Asian American Adolescents" (PI).
- 2013-2014 Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity Grant, CSUN
Grant supporting a pilot experimental study of the effect of identity threat on health behaviors
- 2013 NCMHD RIMI Course Rewrite, CSUN
Grant supporting the rewrite of an existing course to have greater course content related to health disparities. The purpose of the RIMI courses is to introduce RIMI Scholars to health disparities and culturally relevant research methods and encourage promising undergraduate and graduate students to consider a career in health disparities research.
- 2013 NCMHD RIMI Tiered Mentor Associate Program, CSUN
Grant supporting the preparation of a manuscript on ethnic discrimination and academic persistence among Latino, Asian, and European adolescents and training activities to become a health equity researcher

- 2012-2013 Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity Grant, CSUN
Grant supporting the preparation of a manuscript on ethnic discrimination and sleep among Latino and Asian American adolescents
- 2012 NCMHD RIMI Off-Campus Training to UCLA's Advanced Multilevel Modeling Workshop, CSUN
- 2011 Foundation for Psychocultural Research-UCLA Center for Culture, Brain, and Development (FPR-UCLA CBD) Research Grant (\$1,212), UCLA
- 2010 FPR-UCLA CBD Research Grant (\$2,668), UCLA
- 2009 FPR-UCLA CBD Research Grant (\$4,400), UCLA

RESEARCH

Publications (* indicates student)

- Bozo, J. *, Revels- Macalinao, M. *, & **Huynh, V. W.** (2018). Examining skin color and discrimination among ethnic minority adolescents. *Race and Social Problems*, doi: 10.1007/s12552-018-9250-4
- Majeno, A. *, Tsai, K.M., **Huynh, V.W.**, McCreath, H. & Fuligni, A.J. (2018). Discrimination and sleep difficulties during adolescence: The mediating roles of loneliness and perceived stress. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 47(1), 135-147. doi:10.1007/s10964-017-0755-8
- Huynh, V. W.**, Huynh, Q.-L., & Stein, M.-P. (2017). Not just sticks and stones: Indirect ethnic discrimination leads to greater physiological reactivity. *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*, 23(3), 425-434. doi: 10.1037/cdp0000138.
- Kiang, L., Cheah, C., **Huynh, V. W.**, Wang, Y., & Yoshikawa, H. (2017). Annual review of Asian American psychology, 2015. *Asian American Journal of Psychology*, 7(4), 219-255. doi: 10.1037/aap0000055
- Huynh, V. W.** (in press). Microaggressions. In Levesque, R. J. (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Adolescence*. Springer Science & Business Media.
- Toomey, R. B., **Huynh, V. W.**, Jones, S. K. *, Lee, S. *, & Revels-Macalinao, M. * (2016). Sexual minority youth of color: A content analysis and critical review of the literature. *Journal of Gay & Lesbian Mental Health*, 21(1), 3-31.
- Huynh, V. W.**, Chiang, J. (2016). Subjective social status and adolescent health: The role of stress and sleep. *Youth and Society*, 0044118X16646028.
- Kaplan, M., * Brown, J. C., Huynh, Q.-L., & **Huynh, V. W.** (2016). Exploring the Relationship between Socioeconomic Status and Ethnic Identity among Latino College Students. *Journal of Scholastic Inquiry: Education*.

- Huynh, V. W.,** Guan, S. A., Almeida, D. M., McCreath, H., & Fuligni, A. J. (2016). Everyday Discrimination and Diurnal Cortisol during Adolescence. *Hormones and Behavior, 80*, 76-81.
- Witkow, M., **Huynh, V. W.,** & Fuligni, A. J. (2015). Understanding differences in college persistence: A longitudinal examination of financial circumstances, family obligations, and discrimination in an ethnically diverse sample. *Applied Developmental Science, 19*(1).
- Huynh, V. W.,** & Gillen-O'Neel, C. (2013). Discrimination and Sleep: The Protective Role of School Belonging. *Youth & Society, 0044118X13506720*.
- Gillen-O'Neel, C., **Huynh, V. W.,** & Fuligni, A. J. (2013). To study or to sleep? The academic costs of extra studying and sleep loss. *Child Development, 84*(1), 133-142.
- Huynh, V. W.** (2012). Ethnic microaggressions and the depressive and somatic symptoms of Latino and Asian American adolescents. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence, 41*(7), 831-846.
- Huynh, V. W.,** & Fuligni, A. J. (2012). Perceived ethnic stigma across the transition to college. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence, 41*(7), 817-830.
- Lopez, A. B., **Huynh, V. W.,** & Fuligni, A. J. (2011). Religious identity and participation among adolescents from Latin American, Asian, and European backgrounds. *Child Development, 82*(4), 1297-1309.
- Brown, C. S., & Alabi, B. O., **Huynh, V. W.,** & Masten, C. (2011). Ethnicity and gender in late childhood and early adolescence: Group identity and awareness of bias. *Developmental Psychology, 47*(2), 463-471.
- Huynh, V. W.,** & Fuligni, A. J. (2010). Discrimination hurts: The academic, psychological, and physical well-being of adolescents. *Journal of Research on Adolescence, 20*(4), 916-941.
- Mistry, R. S., White, E. S., Benner, A. D., & **Huynh, V. W.** (2009). A longitudinal study of the simultaneous influence of mothers' and teachers' educational expectations on low income youth's academic achievement. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence, 38*(6), 826-838.
- Huynh, V. W.,** & Fuligni, A. J. (2008). Ethnic socialization and the academic adjustment of adolescents from Mexican, Chinese, and European backgrounds. *Developmental Psychology, 44*(4), 1202-1208.

Manuscripts under review (* indicates student)

- Huynh, V.W.,** Majeno, A., & Gillen-O'Neel, C. *Microaggressions and School Belonging among College Students: Implications for Adjustment.*

Conference Presentations (*indicates student)

- Majeno, A., **Huynh, V. W.**, & Gillen-O'Neel, C. (June, 2018). *Emotional Consequences Of Experiences That Value Or Devalue Social Identities*. Poster presented at the Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues Conference, Pittsburgh, PA.
- Huynh, V. W.**, Rahal, D., Mercado, E., Irwin, M., McCreath, J., Fuligni, A. J. (April, 2018). *Discrimination and Health Among Parent-Adolescent Dyads*. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA), Minneapolis, MS.
- Rahal, D., **Huynh, V. W.**, Irwin, M., Fuligni, A. J.. (April, 2018). *Changes in Subjective Social Status During the Transition from High School*. Poster presented at the SRA, Minneapolis, MS.
- Onyekonwu, C.O., **Huynh, V.**, Stein, M., & Huynh, Q. (April 2018). *Accent Discrimination and Stress Among College Students*. Poster presented at the Annual Convention of the Western Psychological Association (WPA), Portland, OR
- Ullah, O.*, **Huynh, V.**, & Guan, S.A. (2018, April). *Ethnic-racial health disparities: Examining the roles of discrimination and social context*. Poster presented at WPA, Portland, OR.
- Onyekonwu, C.*, **Huynh, V. W.**, & Stein, M. (April, 2017). *Ethnic-Racial Socialization and Stress Among Latino/a Students*. Poster presented at the Western Psychological Association (WPA), Sacramento, CA.
- Lesso, R. *, **Huynh, V. W.**, & Revels-Macalinao , M. (April, 2017). *Examining the Associations between Ethnic Microaggressions and Substance Abuse among LGB-POC*. Poster presented at WPA, Sacramento, CA.
- Huynh, V. W.**, Huynh, Q.-L., & Stein, M.-P. (April, 2017). Indirect Racial Discrimination and Physiological Reactivity Among Latino Emerging Adults: A Pilot Study. Paper presented at The Society for Research in Child Development (SRCD), Austin, TX.
- Majeno, A., **Huynh, V. W.**, & Gillen-O'Neel, C. (April, 2017). *Ethnic Microaggressions and Health: The Moderating Role of Cultural Distance*. Poster presented at the SRCD, Austin, TX.
- Lesso, R. *, **Huynh, V. W.**, Revels-Macalinao , M. (April, 2017). *Examining the Associations between Ethnic Microaggressions and Substance Abuse among LGB-POC*. Poster presented at SRCD, Austin, TX.
- Majeno, A., Tsai, K. M., **Huynh, V. W.**, & Fuligni, A. J. (May, 2015). *The impact of discrimination on sleep: the mediating role of loneliness*. Poster presented at the Association for Psychological Science Conference, New York, NY.
- Huynh, V. W.** , & Fuligni, A. J. (March, 2015). *Discrimination and Health Among Parent-Adolescent Dyads*. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Child Development (SRCD), Philadelphia, PA.
- Huynh, V. W.** (March, 2014). *Societal and School Subjective Social Status Differentially Predicts Adolescent Health*. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA), Austin, Texas.

- Huynh, V. W., & Fuligni, A. J.** (March, 2014). *Unfair Treatment and HPA Activity during Adolescence*. Poster presented at SRA, Austin, Texas.
- Huynh, V. W., & Gillen-O'Neel, C.** (April, 2013). *School belonging is protective against ethnic discrimination for adolescent sleep*. Poster presented at SRCD, Seattle, Washington.
- Huynh, V. W., Witkow, M., & Fuligni, A. J.** (April, 2013). *A longitudinal study of ethnic and generation differences in college persistence*. Poster presented at SRCD, Seattle, Washington.
- Huynh, V. W.** (March, 2011). *Microaggressions and their associations with health and well-being among Asian and Latino adolescents*. Paper symposium presented at SRCD, Montreal, Quebec.
- Huynh, V. W.** (March, 2011). *Ethnic discrimination and sleep among Latino and Asian American adolescents*. Poster presented at SRCD, Montreal, Quebec.
- Gillen-O'Neel, C., **Huynh, V. W., & Fuligni, A. J.** (March, 2011). *Daily sleep and school problems in high school*. Paper symposium presented at SRCD, Montreal, Quebec.
- Huynh, V. W.** (March, 2010). *Ethnic microaggressions and the well-being of Latino and Asian American adolescents*. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Adolescence Conference (SRA), Philadelphia, PA.
- Huynh, V. W., & Fuligni, A. J.** (March, 2010). *Academic identification among adolescents with Latin American backgrounds*. Poster presented at SRA, Philadelphia, PA.
- Huynh, V. W., & Fuligni, A. J.** (April, 2009). *Ethnic discrimination and physical health during the transition to adulthood*. Poster presented at SRCD, Denver, CO.
- Huynh, V. W., & Fuligni, A.** (March, 2008). *Discrimination hurts: Implications for the academic, psychological, and physical adjustment of adolescents from Asian, Latin American, and European backgrounds*. Paper symposium presented at the SRA, Chicago, IL.
- Huynh, V. W., & Mistry, R.** (March, 2008). *How school context matters for low-income youths' changing expectations and achievement*. Poster presented at the SRA, Chicago, IL.
- Foley, A. N.*, **Huynh, V. W., & Fuligni, A. J.** (March, 2008). *Ethnic labeling among adolescents from Asian, European, and Latin American backgrounds*. Poster presented at the SRA, Chicago, IL.
- White, E. S., Mistry, R. S., Benner, A. D., & **Huynh, V. W.** (March 2008). *Parent/teacher educational expectations and low-income youth's academic achievement: A test of congruence and change across time*. Poster presented at the SRA, Chicago, IL.
- Huynh, V. W., & Brown, C. S.** (April, 2007). *Ethnic Identity, knowledge of discrimination, and GPA of ethnically diverse adolescents*. Poster presented at SRCD, Boston, MA.
- Huynh, V. W., & Fuligni, A. J.** (April, 2007). *Ethnic socialization, discrimination, and the academic adjustment of adolescents from Latin American, Asian, and European backgrounds*. Poster presented at the SRCD conference, Boston, MA.

Student Presentations (*recognized with award)

- Onyekonwu, C.O., **Huynh, V.**, Stein, M., & Huynh, Q. (April 2018). *Accent Discrimination and Stress Among College Students*. Poster presented at the 22nd annual Research and Creative Works Symposium, California State University Northridge, Los Angeles, CA.
- Ullah, O.*, **Huynh, V.**, & Guan, S.A. (2018, April). *Ethnic-racial health disparities: Examining the roles of discrimination and social context*. Poster presented at the 22nd annual Research and Creative Works Symposium, California State University Northridge, Los Angeles, CA.
- Onyekonwu, C.*, **Huynh, V. W.**, & Stein, M. (April, 2017). *Ethnic-Racial Socialization and Stress Among Latino/a Students*. Paper presented at The California State University, Northridge's 21th Annual Student Research and Creative Works Symposium, Los Angeles, CA.
- Lesso, R.*, & **Huynh, V. W.** (February, 2016). *Discrimination and Adjustment of Latino and Asian American Adolescents*. Poster presented at The California State, University, Northridge's 20th Annual Student Research and Creative Works Symposium, Los Angeles, CA.
- Bozo, J., Revels, M., Huynh, Q.-L., & **Huynh, V. W.** (2015, February). *"Your Skin Color Doesn't Matter": The Relationship Between Lighter Skin Color Preference and Discrimination*. Poster presented at The California State, University, Northridge's 19th Annual Student Research and Creative Works Symposium, Los Angeles, CA.
- Cramer, J., Stepakoff, J., Revels, M., Huynh, Q.-L., & **Huynh, V. W.** (2015, February). *Being cool in school: The relationship between school identity and subjective social status*. Poster session presented at the California State University, Northridge's 19th Annual Student Research and Creative Works Symposium, Los Angeles, CA.
- Grzyb, M., Yerumyan, D., Revels, M., Huynh, Q.-L., & **Huynh, V. W.** (2015, February). *I Like My Coffee Black- Hold the Stress*. Poster presented at The California State, University, Northridge's 19th Annual Student Research and Creative Works Symposium, Los Angeles, CA.
- Bolanos, A., & **Huynh, V. W.** (May, 2013). *The effect of ethnic socialization on the relationship between ethnic identity and academic outcomes*. Poster presented at the UCLA Psychology Undergraduate Research Conference, Los Angeles, CA.

Invited Talks

- Huynh, V. W. (May, 2016). Speaker at the CSUN Academic Innovation Showcase. Faculty Development, CSUN.
- Huynh, V. W. (April, 2016). *Microaggressions and Scholar-Athletes*. Pedagogy of Confidence Faculty Learning Community, CSUN.
- Huynh, V. W. (July, 2015). Panelist for McNair Research Scholars program, UCLA.
- Huynh, V. W. (May, 2015). *Microaggressions and Underrepresented Groups in Computer Science*. Teaching to Increase Diversity and Equity in STEM (TIDES) faculty, CSUN.

- Huynh, V. W. (May, 2014). Panelist for Underrepresented Graduate Students in Psychology Conference, UCLA
- Huynh, V. W. (July, 2013). Panelist for McNair Research Scholars program. UCLA.
- Huynh, V. W. (May, 2013). *Microaggressions in the Classroom*. College of Science and Math Faculty Learning Community, CSUN.
- Huynh, V. W. (April, 2013). Keynote Speaker for Psych Day. CSU, Long Beach.
- Huynh, V. W. (February, 2013). Think CSUN Interview. CSUN. <http://youtu.be/6BL0HkWABb8>
- Huynh, V. W. (November, 2012). GE Honors Faculty Lecture. CSUN.
- Huynh, V. W. (April, 2012). Speaker at the Psychology Colloquium. CSU, Los Angeles.
- Huynh, V. W. (June, 2011). Commencement speaker for psychology doctoral graduation. UCLA.
- Huynh, V. W. (April, 2007). Commencement speaker for the Asian American undergraduate graduation. LMU.

TEACHING (*indicates online)

Child and Adolescent Development Courses (CADV)

CADV 150: Foundations of Child and Adolescent Development*

CADV 352: Applied Social Development*

CADV 495 A/B: Graduate School Skills and Applied Research Training

CADV 497 AA: The Affordable Child (Creator & Instructor)

Liberal Studies Integrated Teacher Education-Freshman Option Courses (LRS)

LRS 100: Liberal Studies Seminar, Co-Instructor

CADV 150: Foundations of Child and Adolescent Development, Instructor

Other Teaching Experience

Bridges: Summer Intensive Workshop on learner-centered instructional strategies, participant

Redesign Institute for Hybrid, Online, or Web-enhanced Course, participant

Quality Online Learning and Teaching (QOLT) Peer Reviewer (Certified May 2016)

SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

University Service

Experience Confidence and Enjoyment in Learning (ExCEL) program facilitator – provided motivational and empowering workshops for developmental math students	2018-
Special Projects Coordinator, Office of Student Success and Innovations	2017
Academic Technology Fellow, Faculty Technology Center	2017-2018
Under Armor Faculty - Student Athlete Faculty Liaison	2016-2017
Teaching to Increase Diversity and Equity in STEM (TIDES), Cultural Consultant for Instructor Site	2016-2017
Research and Grants Committee, chair	2015-2017
NIH Building Infrastructure Leading to Diversity (BUILD), Faculty Mentor	2015-2018
New Faculty Orientation Committee, member	2012-2016
Child and Adolescent Development Student Association, Faculty Co-advisor to student group	2013-2016
Master's Thesis Committee for Michelle Revels-Macalinao	2015
Research and Grants Committee, member	2014-2015
Smart Spenders, Faculty Advisor to student group	2013-2015
Reading Matters Initiative Committee, College Ambassador	2013-2015
Research and Creative Works Symposium, judge	2013
University Faculty Retreat Committee, member	2012-2013
Writing Proficiency Exam Reader	2012-

College Service

BUILD Poder , College of Health and Human Development, College Liaison	2015-2016
CSUN College General Education Committee, Chair	2012
College of Health and Human Development Faculty Learning Community: Exploring pedagogical strategies	2011-2013

Department Service

Department Assessment Committee	2017
Department Lecturer Personnel Committee, member	2015
CSUN Faculty Search Committee, Chair	2014
CSUN Faculty Search Committee, Chair	2011

Community Service

Society for Research on Child Development Asian Caucus , Treasurer	2015-2019
Society for Research on Adolescence (SRA) Individual Awards Committee	2014-2018
John Wiley & Sons Psychology Digital Advisory Board	2014-
SRA Invited Roberta Simmons Lecture given by Hiro Yoshikawa, Chair	2014

Ad Hoc Reviewer

<i>Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology</i> , Consulting Editor	2014-
<i>American Psychologist</i>	
<i>Child Development</i>	
<i>Journal of Research on Adolescence</i>	
<i>Youth and Society</i>	
<i>The Open Family Studies Journal</i>	
<i>Ammons Scientific</i>	
<i>Evaluation & the Health Professions</i>	

Membership in Organizations

Society for Research on Adolescence
Society for Research on Child Development