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**Education**

Undergraduate: B.A., (cum laude), 1971  
University of Massachusetts, Amherst  
Psychology

Graduate: M.A., 1973  
University of Dayton  
Psychology

Ph.D., 1976  
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill  
Developmental Psychology

**Professional Experience**

September 1976-  
Present Professor (since 1986)  
Department of Psychology  
Florida Atlantic University

January 2018-  
Present Associate Chair  
Department of Psychology  
Florida Atlantic University

October 2019-  
Present Board Member, Evolution Institute  
<https://evolution-institute.org>

October 2020-  
October 2023 Vice President/Executive Committee Member, Evolution Institute  
<https://evolution-institute.org>

June-August  
1988, 1990 Visiting Professor  
Max-Planck-Institute for Psychological Research  
Munich, Germany

September 1993-  
July 1994 Visiting Professor  
Department of Educational Psychology

	University of Georgia
January 1994- May 1994	Visiting Professor Department of Psychology Emory University
September 1982- January 1990; August 1996- August, 1997; August 2002- August 2005	Coordinator of Graduate Studies Department of Psychology Florida Atlantic University
May 2001	Visiting Professor Department of Psychology James I University, Castellón, Spain
January 2002- June 2002; May-June 2003	Alexander von Humboldt Research Professor Institut für Psychologie IV University of Würzburg, Germany
May-June 2004	Visiting Erskine Fellow University of Canterbury Christchurch, New Zealand
January 2008- August 2014	Master Teacher, Department of Psychology Charles E. Schmidt College of Science, FAU

### Awards

Among Worlds' Top 2% of Scientists, Stanford–Elsevier rankings, 2025, 2024, 2023, 2022, 2021  
<https://topresearcherslist.com/Home/Profile/1172750>  
<https://www.fau.edu/research/faculty-named-among-worlds-top-2-percent-scientists-list/>

Scholar of the Year, Professor Level, Charles E. Schmidt College of Science, Florida Atlantic University, 2016

Honorary Doctorate (*Doctor philosophiae honoris causa*), University of Bern, Switzerland, 2015

Excellence in Graduate Mentoring Award, Florida Atlantic University, 2009

Researcher of the Year, Professor Level, Charles E. Schmidt College of Science, Florida Atlantic University, 2007

Visiting Erskine Fellow, University of Canterbury, Christchurch, New Zealand, 2004

Distinguished Alumnus Award, Department of Psychology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2002

Humboldt Research Award, Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, Germany, 2001-2003

Recipient of “Programa Cátedra” from the Spanish Fundación BVV, 2001

Undergraduate Professor of the Year, Florida Atlantic University Psychology Club, 2001

Professorial Excellence Program Award, Florida Atlantic University, 1996

Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Instruction, Florida Atlantic University, 1989, 1996

Teaching Incentive Program Award, Florida Atlantic University, 1994, 1998

Saltarelli Award for Excellence in Research, Sigma Xi Chapter of Florida Atlantic University, 1989

### **Invited Colloquia**

Augustana College (Lewis Stone Memorial Lecture)

Brunel University, London, UK

Center for Naval Analysis, Alexandria, VA

Clemson University

Dennison University

Duke University

Emory University

Furman University (McCahan Colloquium Series)

Hillsdale College

James I University, Castellón, Spain

Kansas State University

Marshall University

Massachusetts General Hospital Institute of Health Professions

Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig, Germany

Max Planck Institute for Human Development, Berlin, Germany

Max Planck Institute for Psychological Research, Munich, Germany

Memphis State University

Nova University

Oakland University

Queens University, Belfast, Northern Ireland

SUNY New Paltz

University of Barcelona, Spain

University of Bern, Switzerland

University of Canterbury, New Zealand

University of Dayton

University of Geneva, Switzerland

University of Georgia, Educational Psychology

University of Georgia, Institute for Behavioral Studies

University of Göttingen, Germany

University of Florida, Department of Psychology

University of Florida, Foundations of Education

University of Hildesheim, Germany

University of Jena, Germany

University of Konstanz, Germany

University of Maryland, College Park

University of Maryland at Baltimore County

University of Miami

University of Michigan  
 University of Munich, Germany  
 University of New Hampshire  
 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
 University of North Carolina at Charlotte  
 University of North Carolina at Greensboro  
 University of North Carolina at Wilmington  
 University of Regensburg, Germany  
 University of South Carolina  
 University of Utrecht, The Netherlands  
 University of Würzburg, Germany  
 University of Zürich, Switzerland  
 SUNY New Paltz  
 Wright State University

### **Undergraduate**

Introductory/General Psychology  
 Cognitive Development  
 Cognition  
 Evolutionary Psychology

### **Teaching**

Child/Developmental Psychology  
 Statistics  
 Honors Seminar  
 Honors Critical Questions in Psychology

### **Graduate**

Seminar in Cognitive Development  
 Seminar in Language Acquisition  
 Seminar in Social Development  
 Developmental Psychology and Education  
 Seminar in Individual Differences  
 in Children's Thinking

Theories of Child Development  
 Foundations of Cognition for Education  
 Seminar in Memory Development  
 Evolution of Human Intelligence  
 Evolutionary Psychology  
 Evolutionary Developmental Psychology

### **External Professional Activities**

#### **Editorial Consultant**

Series Editor, *Cambridge Elements in Applied Evolutionary Science* (Cambridge University Press), 2021-present, <https://www.cambridge.org/core/what-we-publish/elements/elements-in-applied-evolutionary-science> (In collaboration with the Evolution Institute, <https://evolution-institute.org>)

*Editor-in-Chief*, Journal of Experimental Child Psychology, 2007 – 2024

*Associate Editor*, Journal of Experimental Child Psychology, 2005 – 2006

*Board of Editors* (Associate Editor), Child Development, 1997 – 2001

*Editorial Board Member*

Developmental Review, 2001 – present  
 Evolutionary Psychology, 2006 – present  
 Evolutionary Psychological Science, 2014 – present  
 Journal of Experimental Child Psychology, 1985 – 2005; 2025-present

Evolutionary Behavioral Science, 2013 – 2024  
 Evolutionary Studies in Imaginary Culture, 2017 – 2023  
 Journal of Comparative Psychology, 2001 – 2016  
 Journal of Cognition and Development, 1999 – 2009  
 Educational Psychology Review, 2001 – 2006  
 Developmental Psychology, 1995 – 1998  
 Cognitive Development, 1996 – 1999  
 School Psychology Quarterly, 1998 – 2002

Co-Editor, *The Developing Mind* Series (Lawrence Erlbaum)

Action Editor for A. D. Pellegrini (2005). *The role of recess in modern schools*. Erlbaum.

*Editor of Special Issues*

Co-Editor (with Karin Machluf and James Liddle) for Special Issue of *Evolutionary Psychology* (2014).  
 Evolutionary Developmental Psychology.

Co-Editor (with Bruce Ellis) for Special Section of *Developmental Psychology* (2012). Beyond mental health: An evolutionary analysis of development under risky and supportive environmental conditions.

Co-Editor (with Carlos Hernández Blasi) for Special Issue of *Anuario de Psicología* (2008).  
 Evolutionary developmental psychology.

Co-Editor (with Peter K. Smith) of Special Issue of *Journal of Experimental Child Psychology* (2004).  
 Evolutionary developmental psychology.

Editor for Special Issue of *Developmental Review* (2004). Memory development in the new millennium.

*Occasional Reviewer*

Acta Psychologica; Advances in Child Development and Behavior; Applied Developmental Science; American Educational Research Journal; American Journal of Mental Deficiency; American Journal of Mental Retardation; American Journal of Psychology; American Psychologist; Animal Behaviour; Behavior Research Methods; Instruments & Computers; Biology Letters; British Journal of Developmental Psychology; Canadian Journal of Psychology; Child Development; Child Development Perspectives; Childhood in the Past; Contemporary Educational Psychology; Cultural Anthropology; Current Directions in Psychological Science; Current Biology; Current Psychology; Current Psychology Letters; Current Research in Ecological and Social Psychology; Development and Psychopathology; Developmental Neuropsychology, Developmental Psychology; Developmental Psychobiology; Developmental Review; Developmental Science; Economics and Human Behavior; Educational Psychology Review; European Journal of Developmental Psychology; European Psychologist; Evolutionary Psychology; Evolutionary Behavioral Science; Evolutionary Psychological Science; Evolution and Human Behavior; Evolutionary Studies in Imaginary Culture; Frontiers in Psychology; Human Nature; Infant Behavior and Development; Intelligence; International Journal of Behavioral Development; International Journal of Mental Health & Addiction; International Journal of Play; International Journal of Psychology; Journal of Addiction Medicine; International Journal of Play; Journal of Applied Research in Memory and Cognition; Journal of Cognition and Development; Journal of Comparative Psychology; Journal of Cross Cultural Psychology; Journal of Educational Psychology; Journal of Social, Evolutionary and

Cultural Psychology; Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied; Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning; Memory and Cognition; Journal of Memory and Language; Journal of Numerical Cognition; Journal of Psychoeducational Assessment; Learning and Individual Differences; Learning and Motivation; Memory; Memory & Cognition; Merrill-Palmer Quarterly; Mind, Brain, and Education; Open Behavioral Science Journal Parenting; Perceptual and Motor Skills; PNAS, Psychological Reports; Psychological Review; Psychological Science; Psychology; Research in Human Development; Review of General Psychology; Science; Scientific Reports; School Psychology Quarterly; Sex Roles; Teachers College Record; WIRE

### **Reviewer for Book Publishers**

American Psychological Association; Brooks/Cole; Erlbaum; Freeman Press; Prentice-Hall; Sage; Wadsworth; MIT Press; Oxford University Press; Cambridge University Press; Springer; North Atlantic Books; Routledge

### **Reviewer for Grant Proposals**

National Institute of Mental Health, External Panel Member, Cognition, Emotion, and Personality Panel, 1989, 1990; National Institute of Education; National Science Foundation; Spencer Foundation; National Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada; Economic & Social Research Council (Great Britain); Swiss National Science Foundation; Wellcome Trust (Great Britain); Volkswagen Foundation (Germany); Research Council (Netherlands); US-Israel Binational Science Foundation

### **Program Review Committee, Member or Chair**

Society for Research in Child Development  
Conference on Human Development  
American Educational Research Association

### **Consultant**

Lead Program reviewer for Department of Psychology, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2024

Program reviewer for Department of Psychology, Oakland University, 2024

External Advisory Board Member, Center for Evolutionary Psychological Science (CEPS) at Oakland University, 2021-present

Member, APA National Standards Advisory Panel, 2018-2022

Workshop participant, Best Practices in Early Childhood Learning: Reshaping Florida's Early Education. United Way Suncoast & The Evolution Institute, Tampa, FL, September 23, 2016.

Workshop participant, The CCLM Summer School 2015 of Swiss Graduate School for Cognition, Learning and Memory "Comparative Evolutionary Perspectives," Weggis, Switzerland, June 2015

Board Member, Florida Association of Infant Mental Health, 2010

External (non-EU) consultant, "Explaining Religion" (EXREL) Project, Oxford University, 2008

Member, Writing Style Working Group, for revision of 6<sup>th</sup> edition of APA *Publication Manual*,  
Fall, 2007

Consultant, American Psychological Association, on *Dictionary of Psychology*, February,  
2002-2004

Board of Directors, Karen Slattery Educational Research Center for Child Development,  
Boca Raton, FL, 2001- 2006; 2014- 2018

Consultant, Florida Network of Community Based Early Learning (“Children First”),  
November 2001 – 2003

Consultant on children’s creativity to Bayer Corporation, April – August 2000

Workshop presenter, German Research Group on Cognitive Development, Hirschberg,  
Germany, July 1999

Consultant, Bloomsbury Publishing, London, on *Encarta Dictionary* Project, 1997-  
1999

Organizer, “False Memory Creation: Theory, Research, and Clinical and Legal  
Implications,” February 13 & 14, 1998

Workshop Presenter, “Adolescent Development and the Juvenile Justice System”  
Juvenile Court Personnel Training Project, W. Palm Beach, FL, October 1997

Workshop Presenter, “Examining New Ideas About Early Cognitive Development and  
Education,” Ohio Early Childhood Education and School-Age Child Care  
Conference, Columbus, OH, October 1997

Instructor, Early Childhood Summer Training Institute, Muskingum College, Jun1997

Consultant to Manatee County, FL District Attorney's Office, August 1997

Consultant on revision of the *McCarthy Scales*, The Psychological Corporation, 1995-96

Contributing Editor, *Parents Magazine*, June,1986 - December 1991

Summer Program for Cognitive Developmental Psychology, Gunzburg/Donau, West  
Germany, July 1990

Program Consultant, Department of Psychology, Wake Forest University,  
Winston-Salem, North Carolina, March 1990

Contributing Editor, *The Guide to Child Care & Education*, Delray, Beach, Florida, 1985

Member, Research Advisory Committee, Johnstone Research and Training Center,  
Bordentown, New Jersey, October 1983

## Television

Featured in Scientific American Frontiers “Chimps R Us,” initially broadcast April 3, 2001

## Web Seminars/Youtube Interviews/Blogs

Florida law banning kids from social media takes effect after court rules in favor, Ari Odzer (December 3, 2025). NBC Miami 6 News. <https://www.nbcmiami.com/news/local/florida-social-media-banhttps://www.nbcmiami.com/news/local/florida-social-media-ban-teens-kids-law/3729138/>

Hernández Blas, C., & Bjorklund, D. F. (October 29, 2024). Some “Psychological Weapons” Infants and Young Children Have to Get Others to Love Them. *Human Behavior & Evolution Newsletter*. <https://www.hbes.com/some-psychological-weapons-infants-and-young-children-have/>

All work and no play makes Jack an anxious kid. Bill Tropy, December 20, 2023. *The Atlanta Journal Constitution*, <https://www.ajc.com/opinion/columnists/opinion-all-work-and-no-play-makes-jack-an-anxious-kid/QE7UXDW35NBMNABOTFWCO57QQE>

David F. Bjorklund on evolution, development, and learning. Lars og Pål, December 16, 2023. <https://larsogpaal.libsyn.com/episode-136-david-f-bjorklund-on-evolution-development-and-learning>

Children today have less independence. Is that fueling a mental health crisis? Caitlin Gibson, *Washington Post*, October 24, 2023. <https://www.washingtonpost.com/parenting/2023/10/24/youth-mental-health-independence/>

What happens when kids don't learn independence? Sarah Hunter Simanson, Yahoo!Life!, November 17, 2023, <https://www.yahoo.com/lifestyle/what-happens-when-kids-dont-learn-independence-205851978.html>

Independence and Youth Mental Health: Study, Where Parents Talk, hosted by Lianne Castelino, Radio on 105.9, Montreal, Canada, July 8, 2023, <https://whereparentstalk.com/featured/independence-and-youth-mental-health-study/>

Saving our kids' mental health through play and independence. “Ask Doctor Amy” podcast. <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/saving-our-kids-mental-health-through-play-and/id1594424048?i=1000606245226>, April 3, 2023.

“Launch of *Cambridge Elements in Applied Evolutionary Science*.” *Evolution Institute Newsletter*. <https://evolution-institute.org/launch-of-cambridge-elements-series-in-applied-evolutionary-science/>, October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

“How Children Invented Humanity: The Role of Development in Human Evolution.” Youtube interview with Ricardo Lopes, The Dissenter, #484, June 18, 2021, <https://youtu.be/h7GwTi83LwE>.

Bjorklund, D. F. “Evolution, Child Development, And Modern Environments.” Youtube interview with Ricardo Lopes, The Dissenter, #182 [David Bjorklund: Evolution, Child Development, And Modern Environments](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=182DavidBjorklund:Evolution,ChildDevelopment,AndModernEnvironments), May 19, 2019.

Bjorklund, D. F. “Teaching psychology with an evolutionary perspective.” Sponsored by Worth Publishers, April 9 & 10, 2014.

Bjorklund, D. F. "The function of belief and theory of mind." In S. M. Platek, *Evolution: This view of life*. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?NR=1&v=noSTM1GVioQ>, October 4, 2011, EvolutionTVOL.

Bjorklund, D. F. Web seminar: "Darwin meets Piaget: Incorporating evolutionary theory in the teaching of developmental psychology," February 2011, Sponsored by Cengage.

Bjorklund, D. F. Web seminar: "The adaptive value of immaturity," October 2010, Sponsored by Cengage.

### Publications

#### Books

Bjorklund, D. F., & Hernández Blasi, C. (2026). *Child and adolescent development: An integrative approach*. (second edition). Cambridge University Press.  
[https://assets.cambridge.org/97810093/63556/frontmatter/9781009363556\\_frontmatter.pdf](https://assets.cambridge.org/97810093/63556/frontmatter/9781009363556_frontmatter.pdf)

Bjorklund, D. F. (2023). *Children's thinking: Cognitive development and individual differences* (seventh edition). Sage. (Earlier editions published in 1989, 1995, 2000, 2005, and 2012).  
<https://us.sagepub.com/en-us/nam/childrens-thinking/book259298>

Hart, S. L., & Bjorklund, D. F. (Eds.). (2022). *Evolutionary perspectives on infancy*. Springer.  
<https://link.springer.com/book/9783030759995>

Bjorklund, D. F. (2021). *How children invented humanity: The role of development in human evolution*. Oxford University Press.  
[https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B08JCPS8B1?pf\\_rd\\_r=EA57TAR3ZDS45JWRMC9D&pf\\_rd\\_p=edaba0ee-c2fe-4124-9f5d-b31d6b1bfbee](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B08JCPS8B1?pf_rd_r=EA57TAR3ZDS45JWRMC9D&pf_rd_p=edaba0ee-c2fe-4124-9f5d-b31d6b1bfbee)

Baker-Ward, L. E., Bjorklund, D. F., & Coffman, J. L. (Eds.) (2021). *The development of children's memory: The scientific contributions of Peter A. Ornstein*. Cambridge University Press.  
<https://www.cambridge.org/core/books/development-of-childrens-memory/FDE09B6BEF07843D0E4746F6CB72722C>

Bjorklund, D. F. (2020). *Child development in evolutionary perspective: Cambridge Elements in child development series* (M. H. Bornstein, series editor). Cambridge University Press.  
<https://www.cambridge.org/core/elements/child-development-in-evolutionary-perspective/03415279FD40DA6C18AE2C050B8ABA55>

Bjorklund, D. F., & Causey, K. (2018). *Children's thinking: Cognitive development and individual differences* (sixth edition). Sage. <https://us.sagepub.com/en-us/nam/childrens-thinking/book249432>

Gray, P., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2018). *Psychology* (8<sup>th</sup> ed.). Worth Publishers.  
<https://store.macmillanlearning.com/us/product/Psychology/p/1319015891>

Gray, P., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2014). *Psychology* (7<sup>th</sup> ed.). Worth Publishers.

Bjorklund, D. F., & Hernández Blasi, C. (2012). *Child and adolescent development: An integrative approach*. (first edition). Wadsworth. <https://www.cengage.com/c/child-and-adolescent-development-an-integrated-approach-1e-bjorklund/9780495095637PF/>

- Bjorklund, D. F. (2007). *Why youth is not wasted on the young: Immaturity in human development*. Blackwell. [Translated into Dutch: *Neem de tijd voor de kindertijd*, 2009; translated into Korean, 아이들은 왜 느리게 자랄까 - 행복한 책가게, 2010] <https://www.wiley.com/en-us/Why+Youth+is+Not+Wasted+on+the+Young%3A+Immaturity+in+Human+Development-p-9781405149518>
- Ellis, B. J., & Bjorklund, D. F. (Eds.) (2005). *Origins of the social mind: Evolutionary psychology and child development*. Guilford. <https://www.guilford.com/books/Origins-of-the-Social-Mind/Ellis-Bjorklund/9781593851033>
- Bjorklund, D. F., & Pellegrini, A. D. (2002). *The origins of human nature: Evolutionary developmental psychology*. American Psychological Association. <https://www.apa.org/pubs/books/431671A>
- Bjorklund, D. F. (Ed.) (2000). *False-memory creation in children and adults: Theory, research, and implications*. Erlbaum. <https://www.routledge.com/False-memory-Creation-in-Children-and-Adults-Theory-Research-and-Implications/Bjorklund/p/book/9781138003224>
- Pellegrini, A. D., & Bjorklund, D. F. (1998). *Applied child study: A developmental approach* (third edition). Erlbaum. <https://www.routledge.com/Applied-Child-Study-A-Developmental-Approach/Pellegrini-Bjorklund/p/book/9780805827576>
- Bjorklund, D. F., & Bjorklund, B. R. (1992). *Looking at children: An introduction to child development*. Brooks/Cole.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (Ed.) (1990). *Children's strategies: Contemporary views of cognitive development*. Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum.

### Journal Articles and Book Chapters

#### In Press / 2025

- Bjorklund, D. F., & Osei, P. C. (in press). Evolutionary educational psychology. To appear in G. Geher, A. Gallup, & S. Karthikeyan (Eds.), *Oxford handbook of evolutionary psychology*.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (in press). Shared intentionality and attachment theories in WILD and WEIRD contexts. *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*. [Commentary to Bard, K. A., Keller, H., & Levens, D. A. Let's go WILD: Increasing inclusivity in theories of developmental Psychology].
- Hernández Blasi, C., & Bjorklund, D. F. Evolutionary developmental psychology. (in press). To appear in G. Geher, A. Gallup, & S. Karthikeyan (Eds.), *Oxford handbook of evolutionary psychology*. Oxford University Press.
- Bjorklund, D. F., & Darby, K. P. (2025). The development of cognitive abilities. In M. H. Bornstein & M. E. Lamb (Eds.), *Developmental science: An advanced textbook*. Psychology Press.

#### 2024 / 2023

- Bjorklund, D. F. (2024). The evolution of pretend play and an extended juvenile period and their implications for early education. *Neuroscience and Biobehavioral Reviews*, 164, 105805. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.neubiorev.2024.105805>.

- Hernández Blasi, C., Bjorklund, D. F., Agut S., Lozano Nomdedeu, F., & Martínez, M. A. (2024). Are voices more powerful than thoughts in signaling young children's attributes and needs to adults? *Evolution and Human Behavior*, 45, 106609. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.evolhumbehav.2024.106609>
- Osei, P. C., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2024). Dynamical systems organization of the behavioral process in child development: Outlining ascending visual information from the retina to the frontal cortex in the context of face perceptions. *Developmental Review*, 71, 101118. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.dr.2024.101118>
- Osei, P. C., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2024). Motivating the learning process: Integrating self-determination theory into a dynamical systems framework. *Educational Psychology Review*, 36:89. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10648-024-09934-6>
- Bjorklund, D. F., & Hernández Blasi, C. (2023). Heightened fearfulness as a developmental adaptation. *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 46, e56. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0140525X22001996>. Commentary on Grossmann, T. (2022). The human fear paradox: Affective origins of cooperative care. *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 18: 46:e52. DOI: [10.1017/S0140525X2200067X](https://doi.org/10.1017/S0140525X2200067X)
- Gray, P., Lancy, D. L., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2023). Decline in independent activity as a cause children's mental wellbeing: Summary of the evidence. *The Journal of Pediatrics*, 260, 113352. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jpeds.2023.02.004>
- Hernández Blasi, C., Bjorklund, D. F., Agut, S., Lozano Nomdedeu, F., & Ángel Martínez, M. (2023). Young children's attributes are better conveyed by voices than by faces. *Journal of Experimental Child Psychology*, 228, 105606. <https://authors.elsevier.com/sd/article/S0022096522002351>

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- Bjorklund, D. F. (2022). Children's evolved learning abilities and their implications for education. *Educational Psychology Review*, 34, 2243-2273. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10648-022-09688-z>
- Bjorklund, D. F. (2022). Evolutionary psychology. In J. Mattingly (Ed.), *The SAGE encyclopedia of theory in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics* (pp. 260-267). Sage
- Bjorklund, D. F., Ellis, B. J., & Geary, D. C. (2022). Developing evolutionary psychology: Comment on Narvaez et al. (2022). *American Psychologist*, 77(6), 781-783. <https://doi.org/10.1037/amp0001004>
- Bjorklund, D. F. (2022). Human evolution and the neotenus infant. In S. L. Hart, & D. F. Bjorklund (Eds.). *Evolutionary perspectives on infancy* (pp. 19-38). Springer. <https://link.springer.com/book/9783030759995>
- Bjorklund, D. F., & Hart, S. L. (2022). Infancy through the lens of evolutionary developmental science. In S. L. Hart, & D. F. Bjorklund (Eds.). *Evolutionary perspectives on infancy* (pp. 3-15). Springer. <https://link.springer.com/book/9783030759995>
- Hernández Blasi, C., Bjorklund, D. F., Augt, S., Nomdedeu, L., & Martínez, M. Á. (2022). Voices as cues to children's needs for caregiving. *Human Nature*, 33(1), 22-42. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12110-021-09418-4>

- Bjorklund, D. F. (2022). Joint attention in children and chimps: Questions of uniqueness, universality, plasticity, and the evolution of human sociality. *Monograph Matters*. <https://monographmatters.srce.org/2022/03/30/commentary-bjorklund-86-4/> [Commentary on Bard, K. A., Keller, H., Ross, K. M., Hewlett, B., Butler, L., Boysen, S. T., & Matsuzawa, T. (2021). Joint attention in human and chimpanzee infants in varied socio-ecological contexts, *Monographs of the Society for Research in Child Development*, 86(4).]
- Kaighobadi, F., Figueredo, A. J., Shackelford, T. K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2021). A cascade model of socio-developmental events leading to men's perpetration of violence against female partners. *Evolutionary Psychology*, October-December. <https://doi.org/10.1177/14747049211040751>
- Bjorklund, D. F. (2021). Review of Iris Berent's, *The Blind Story Teller: How We Reason About Human Nature*. *Evolutionary Studies in Imaginative Culture*, 5, 73-76.
- Baker-Ward, L. E., Bjorklund, D. F., & Coffman, J. L. (2021). The emergence of the developmental science of memory: A Festschrift for Peter A. Ornstein. In L. E. Baker-Ward, D. F. Bjorklund, & J. L. Coffman (Eds.), *The development of children's memory: The scientific contributions of Peter A. Ornstein*. (pp. 3-10). Cambridge University Press. <https://www.cambridge.org/core/books/development-of-childrens-memory/FDE09B6BEF07843D0E4746F6CB72722C>
- Bjorklund D. F. (2021). Fifty years of memory research and its impact on conceptions of cognitive development. In L. E. Baker-Ward, D. F. Bjorklund, & J. L. Coffman (Eds.), *The development of children's memory: The scientific contributions of Peter A. Ornstein*. (pp. 299-318). Cambridge University Press. <https://www.cambridge.org/core/books/development-of-childrens-memory/FDE09B6BEF07843D0E4746F6CB72722C>
- Bjorklund, D. F. (2021). Humans as a neotenuous species. In M. Alemany-Oliver, & R. W. Belk (Eds.), *"Like a child would do": A multidisciplinary approach to childlikeness in past and current societies* (pp. 21-44). Universitas Press. <https://www.ubcpres.ca/like-a-child-would-do>

#### 2019 / 2020

- Bjorklund, F. F., Myers, A. J., & Bartolo-Kira, A. (2020). Human childrearing and family from an evolutionary perspective. In F. J. R. van de Vijver & W. K. Halford (Eds.), *Cross-cultural family research and practice* (pp. 13-55). Elsevier.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (2020). Review of Michael Tomasello's, *Becoming Human: A Theory of Ontogeny*. *Evolutionary Studies in Imaginative Culture*, 4, 137-140.
- Myers, A. J., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2020). Evolutionary developmental psychology: Developing adaptations in infancy and childhood. In L. Workman, W. Reader, & J. Barkow (Eds.), *Cambridge handbook of evolutionary perspectives on human behavior* (pp. 253-264). Cambridge University Press.
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Bjorklund, D. F. (June 2015). The adaptive value of looking and thinking young. Invited talk, The CCLM Summer School 2015 of Swiss Graduate School for Cognition, Learning and Memory, "Comparative Evolutionary Perspectives," Weggis, Switzerland.

Bjorklund, D. F. (June 2014). Evolutionary developmental psychology: Developing adaptations. Invited talk given at 1<sup>st</sup> Jean Piaget Conferences: Theories of Development, Jean Piaget Archives, Geneva, Switzerland.

Bjorklund, D. F. (January 2014). Teaching psychology with an evolutionary perspective. Invited talk given at National Institute of the Teaching of Psychology, St. Pete Beach, FL.

Bjorklund, D. F. (November 2013). The adaptive value of cognitive immaturity: Applications of evolutionary developmental psychology to early education. Paper presented at Evolutionary Perspectives on Educational Research, Policy, and Practice, Washington, DC.

- Bjorklund, D. F. (February 2013). Integrating an evolutionary perspective into the teaching of psychology. The Future of Introductory Psychology: A Worth Editorial Symposium, Delray Beach, FL.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (February 2010). Why youth is *not* wasted on the young: A view from evolutionary developmental psychology. Keynote address at Broward Psychology Association, Psychology Fair, Davie, FL.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (December 2009). Evolutionary theory meets early childhood. Special Address at meeting of Zero to Three: 24<sup>th</sup> National Training Institute, Dallas, TX.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (September 2009). Evolutionary developmental psychology. Invited address at Meeting of the German Developmental Psychology Society. Hildesheim, Germany.
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- Bjorklund, D. F., & King, A. C. (October 2008). Human parenting from an evolutionary perspective. Invited talk given at Who is called a “parent” and why? An interdisciplinary investigation of the core questions at the heart of today’s family debates. Part II: Is parenthood gendered? University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (April 2008). Why youth is *not* wasted on the young: A view from evolutionary developmental psychology. Invited talk, Childhood between Biology and Culture, University of Utrecht, The Netherlands.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (December 2007). Maternal effects in the development and evolution of social cognition. Invited talk, Primate Behavior and Human Universals, VI. Göttinger Freilandtage, Göttingen, Germany.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (June 2007). The adaptive nature of immaturity: A view from evolutionary developmental psychology. Plenary address, Human Evolution and Behavior Society, Williamsburg, VA.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (March 2007). Darwin meets Piaget: Incorporating an evolutionary perspective in the teaching of developmental psychology. Invited address, Second Biennial Developmental Science Teaching Institute. Boston, MA.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (May 2005). Developmental plasticity and the emergence of human cognition: A view from evolutionary developmental psychology. Invited Address presented to the American Psychological Society, Los Angeles, CA.
- Schneider, W., & Bjorklund, D. F. (Co-chairs) (August 2004). Invited Symposium, Contemporary Issues in Research on Memory Development, at International Congress of Psychology, Beijing, China.

Bjorklund, D. F. (October 2003). Memory development in the new millennium (Organizer), Invited Symposium presented at the meeting of the Cognitive Development Society, Park City, Utah.

Bjorklund, D. F. (March 2003). Evolutionary developmental psychology. Keynote Address to the 2003 Tri-State Psychology Conference, Marshall University, Huntington, WVA.

Bjorklund, D. F. (March 2003). Imitation in great apes: What can it tell us about human cognitive evolution? Invited paper presented at Symposium on The Evolution and Development of Cognition and Emotion, University of Miami, Miami, FL.

Bjorklund, D. F. (June 2002). Evolutionary developmental psychology. Invited presentation at the meeting of the Wilhelm Wundt Society, Würzburg, Germany.

Bjorklund, D. F., Brown, R. D., & Bjorklund, B. R. (December 1999). Age differences in children's eyewitness memory and suggestibility. Invited paper presented at Tsukuba International Conference on Memory: Lifespan Memory Development, Tsukuba, Japan.

Bjorklund, D. F. (April 1997). An evolutionary perspective on human development. Psi Chi Keynote Address presented at the Southwestern Psychological Association, Fort Worth, Texas.

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### **Conference Papers/Posters Presented (Since 2010)**

Hernández Blasi, C., Bjorklund, D. F., Augt, S., Nomdedeu, L., & Martínez, M. Á. (June 2025). Impresiones de los adolescentes sobre los niños preescolares al escuchar su voz. Paper presented at XII Congreso Internacional de Psicología y Educación. Oviedo, Spain.

Hernández Blasi, C., Bjorklund, D. F., Lozano, F., & Ángel Martínez, M. (September 2025). *Adolescents favour young children's faces over voices in assessing likeability*. Poster presented at Annual General meeting of British Psychological Society, London.

Hernández Blasi, C., Bjorklund, D. F., Agut Nieto, S., Lozano Nomdedeu, F. A., Martínez, M. A. A., & Reno Chance, S. (June 2023). The role of vocal and cognitive cues to shape adults' impressions about preschoolers. Poster presented at Annual Meeting of the Jean Piaget Society, Madrid, Spain.

Mize, K., Platt, M., Jones, N. A., Bjorklund, D. F., & Bernard, A. (July 2018). Does concordance between jealousy behaviors and physiology reveal continuity or discontinuity across the first two years of life? Poster presented at International Congress on Infant Studies. Philadelphia, PA.

Hernández Blasi, C., Bjorklund, D. F., Agut, S., Lozano, F., & Martínez, M. A. (July 2018). Vocal cues as signaling behavior in early childhood. 30th Annual Meeting of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Hernández Blasi, C. & Bjorklund, D. F. (June 2018). El valor adaptativo del pensamiento mágico de los niños: El lado positivo de la inmadurez cognitiva (The adaptive value of children's supernatural

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- Hernández-Blas, C., Bjorklund, D. F., Agut, S., Lozano, F., & Ángel Martínez, M. (June 2018). Adults' sensitivity to young children's cues of vocal immaturity. Paper presented at meeting of the Jean Piaget Society, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- Hernández Blasi, C., & Bjorklund, D. F. (April 2017). The role of cognitive and physical immaturity cues on adolescents' positive affect and helplessness awareness toward young children, Poster presented at meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Austin, TX.
- Sellers, P. D., II, Machluf, K., Narine, J., & Bjorklund, D. F. (April 2017). The animacy memory advantage across memory systems and development. Poster presented at meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Austin, TX.
- Hernández Blasi, C. & Bjorklund, D. F. (July 2017). Reactions to preschool children based on their physical appearance: A developmental study. 15th European Conference of Psychology (ECP). Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- Hernández Blasi, C., & Bjorklund, D. F. (August 2017). Adolescents' sensitivity to young children's cues of physical and cognitive immaturity. 18th European Conference on Developmental Psychology (ECDP). Utrecht, The Netherlands.
- Hernández Blasi, C., Bjorklund, D. F., & Ruiz, M. (July 2016). Adult decision-making based on their faces and thoughts. Poster presented at meeting of International Society for the Study of Behavioral Development, Vilnius, Lithuania.
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- Sellers, P. D., II, Machluf, K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2015 March). The role of attention, group membership, and theory of mind in social-contract violation detection. Poster presented at the Society for Research in Child Development Biennial Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.
- Machluf, K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2015 March). Children's prosocial behaviors: Differences in age, relatedness, and ownership understanding. Paper presented at the Society for Research in Child

Development Biennial Meeting, Philadelphia, PA.

Machluf, K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (2014 May). *How differences in relatedness affects children's altruistic behavior across age*. Paper presented at the 44th Annual Jean Piaget Society Meeting, San Francisco, CA.

Machluf, K., Sellers, P. D., II, & Bjorklund, D. F. (May 2014). Ontogenetic adaptability of cuteness: Changes in negative affect in response to infant faces. Poster presented at the 44th Annual Jean Piaget Society Meeting, San Francisco, CA.

Machluf, K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (May 2014). Children's altruistic behaviors across recipient: Influence of the researcher. Poster presented at the 26th Annual Association for Psychological Science Convention, San Francisco, CA.

Machluf, K., Sellers, P. D., II, & Bjorklund, D. F. (May 2014). Ontogenetic adaptability of cuteness: Changes in negative affect in response to infant faces. Poster presented at the 26th Annual Association for Psychological Science Convention, San Francisco, CA.

Sellers II, P. D., Causey, K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (November 2013). Change-detection in scenes depicting social exchange with 3-5-year-olds: A test of the attentional basis of social contract theory. Poster presented at meeting of the Society for the Study of Human Development, Fort Lauderdale, FL.

Machluf, K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (November 2013). How differences in relatedness affects children's altruistic behavior across age. Poster presented at meeting of the Society for the Study of Human Development, Fort Lauderdale, FL.

Emmons, N., Russell, Y., Bjorklund, D. F., Kiessling, F., Whitehouse, H., & Gobet, F. (October 2013). Children's reasoning about the capacities of plants, animals, humanoids, and spirits: A Cross-cultural investigation. Meeting of the Cognitive Development Society, Memphis, TN.

Pashos, A., Schwarz, S., McBurney, D. H., & Bjorklund, D. F. (July 2013). Kin investment by stepparents: More than expected. Paper presented at meeting of Human Behavior & Evolution Society, Miami, FL.

Sellers, P. D., II, Causey, K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (July 2013). Attentional basis of deontic reasoning in 3-5-year-old children: A test of social contract and hazard-management theories. Paper presented at meeting of Human Behavior & Evolution Society, Miami, FL.

Penaloza, S., Machluf, K., McKibbin, W. F., & Bjorklund, D. F. (July 2013). The influence of life-history variables on women's rape-avoidance behaviors. Poster presented at meeting of Human Behavior & Evolution Society, Miami, FL.

Machluf, K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (July 2013). How differences in relatedness affect children's altruistic behavior. Poster presented at meeting of Human Behavior & Evolution Society, Miami, FL.

Sellers, P. D., II, Causey, K., & Bjorklund, D. F. (April 2013). Attentional basis of deontic and moral reasoning in social situations in 3- to 5-year-olds. Poster presented at biannual meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Seattle, WA.

- Grotuss, J., & Bjorklund, D. F. (April 2013). Children's sharing behavior in elementary school: The effects of age and player involvement in the Dictator Game. Poster presented at biannual meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Seattle, WA.
- Hernández Blasi, C., Bjorklund, D. F., Periss, V. A., Ruiz-Soler, M., & Gallego, S. (April 2013). Connecting children to adults: On the effects of thinking and physical appearance. Asian Conference on Psychology and Behavioral Sciences, Osaka, Japan.
- Periss, V. A., Hernández Blasi, C., Periss, & Bjorklund, D. F. (June 2012). Cognition that cares: About the influence of young children's "supernatural" thinking in adolescents' affect towards them. Poster presented at meeting of the Jean Piaget Society, Toronto, Canada.
- Hernández Blasi, C., Periss, V. A., & Bjorklund, D. F. (August 2011). Influence of young children's supernatural thinking on adolescents' perceptions of positive and negative attributes. Poster presented at meeting of the European Society for Developmental Psychology, Bergen, Norway.
- Periss, V. A., Hernández Blasi, C & Bjorklund, D. F. (June 2011). The development of the "cognitive-babyness" effect in adolescence. Poster presented at meeting of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, Montpellier, France.
- Ellis, B. J., King, A. C., Csinday, A., Grotuss, J., & Bjorklund, D. F. (April 2011). Surviving the savanna: How reasoning about predators can disrupt theory of mind performance in children. Paper presented at meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Montreal, Canada.
- Bjorklund, D. F. (April 2011). Discussant. In A. C. King & B. J. Ellis (Organizers), Contextual influences on theory of mind: Disruption and facilitation, paper symposium at meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Montreal, Canada.
- Bjorklund, D. F., Sellers, P., D. II. & Machluf, K. (March 2011). You've come a long way, baby: A brief history of evolutionary developmental psychology. Invited talk at P. Hawley & M. Del Giudice (Organizers), Evolution and child development: Improving the lives of children, Society for Research in Child Development preconference event, Montreal, Canada.
- Bjorklund, D. F., Periss, V., & Hernández Blasi, C. (February 2011). Cognitive "babyness": The power of young children's supernatural thinking to influence positive and negative affect. Paper presented at FIU/FAU Cognitive Conference, Miami, FL.
- King, A. C., & Bjorklund, D. F. (January 2010). Inhibitory self-regulation as a function of the presence of a supernatural agent. Poster presented at the 11th annual Personality and Social Psychology Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
- Machluf, K., Weekes-Shackelford, V. A., Potaznick, M. J., Liddle, J. R., Bjorklund, D. F., & Kaighobadi, F. (June 2010). What does the brutality of filicide tell us about parental psychology? Poster presented at meeting of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, Eugene, Oregon.
- Periss, V., & Bjorklund, D. F. (June, 2010). Playing on God's team: How religiosity affects perceptions of intelligence, trustworthiness, and deception in judgments of religious, spiritual, or rational explanations for various phenomena. Poster presented at meeting of the Human Behavior and Evolution Society, Eugene, Oregon.

Russell, Y. I., Bjorklund, D. F., Gobet, F., Kiessling, F., & Whitehouse, H. (June 2010). Developmental trajectory of understanding plants, animals, humanoids, supernatural agents, and invisibility. Poster presented at Canadian Psychological Society Annual Convention, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

### Grants

Adaptive function of cognitive immaturity in preschool children: Multimodal contrasts in adults and adolescents. Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación (Spain). Co-PI: Carlos Hernández Blasi is PI, Universitat Jaume I, Spain, 2023-2025, 25,730 euros.

Adaptive function of cognitive immaturity in the preschool ages: New comparisons to physical and linguistic immaturity. Ministerio de Economía y Competitividad (MINECO), Spain, Co-PI; Carlos Hernandez Blasi, PI, Universitat Jaume I, Spain, January 2016-December 2018, 10,700 euros.

New explorations of the adaptive function of cognitive immaturity in preschool children: An evolutionary and neuroscientific study (Carlos Hernández Blasi, PI, Universitat Jaume I, Spain, Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation), January 2010-December 2012, \$58,400.

Factors influencing utilization deficiencies in children's memory performance (Wolfgang Schneider, University of Würzburg, Germany, Co-PI), German Research Foundation, January 2003-December 2004, \$100,000

Alexander von Humboldt Research Award, Würzburg, Germany, 2003-2004, \$90,000

Assessing mental representation in enculturated great apes, Florida Atlantic University, Presidential Research Award, July 2000 – July 2001, \$11,000

False-memory creation: Theory, research, and clinical and legal implications. Grant to host two-day symposium, February 13 & 14, 1998, sponsored by the Eleanor and Elliot Goldstein Foundation, \$10,000

Age differences in eyewitness memory and suggestibility. National Science Foundation, Law and Social Sciences Program, August, 1995 - August, 1998, \$195,000

Social construction of simple arithmetic strategies in young children. Spencer Foundation, May 1997-April 1998, \$12,000

The development of deferred imitation in enculturated great apes, Florida Atlantic University, Research Initiative Award, February, 1997-February, 1998, \$2,356

Effect of repeated questions and interviewer characteristics on children's eyewitness memory (W.S. Cassel, University of New Orleans, PI), Louisiana Quality Support Fund, August 1996-August 1999, \$81,400

Age differences in eyewitness memory and suggestibility: A three nation study. Florida Atlantic University, Internal Research Award, May 1993 - May 1994, \$5,000

Developmental and individual differences in children's strategic memory. Spencer Foundation, June 1989 - December 1991, \$89,000

Equipment grant. Division of Sponsored Research, Florida Atlantic University, October 1983, \$9,000

Children's recall and organization of their classmates. Spencer Foundation, March 1980 - September 1982, \$86,000

Children's recall and organization of ecologically-significant information. Division of Sponsored Research, Florida Atlantic University, April 1979 - March 1980, \$5,000

Children's identification and encoding of category information for recall. Grant-in-Aid-of-Research, Sigma Xi, January 1976.

### Publications for Laymen

#### Books

Bjorklund, B. R., & Bjorklund, D. F. (1990). *Parents book of discipline*. Ballentine.

#### Magazine Articles

Bjorklund, D. F. (Fall 1985). Academically oriented preschools. *The Guide to Child Care & Education*, 1, 25-26.

Bjorklund, D. F. (June 1986). What children remember. *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 61, No. 6.

Bjorklund, D. F. (August 1986). Look at me! (Young children's egocentric view of the world). *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 61, No. 8.

Bjorklund, D. F. (February 1987). What are little boys (and girls) made of? (Gender identity in young children) *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 62, No. 2.

Bjorklund, D. F., & Bjorklund, B. R. (October 1987). What makes children laugh? (The development of children's humor). *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 62, No. 10.

Bjorklund, D. F., & Bjorklund, B. R. (June 1988). Is your child ready for school? *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 63, No. 6.

Bjorklund, D. F., & Bjorklund, B. R. (September 1988). Babe Ruth is not a Candy Bar (Cultural literacy and the developing child). *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 63, No. 9.

Bjorklund, D. F., & Bjorklund, B. R. (October 1988). Straight or gay? (The development of homosexuality). *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 63, No. 10.

Bjorklund, B. R., & Bjorklund, D. F. (August 1990). Setting Limits. *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 65, No. 8.

Bjorklund, D. F., & Bjorklund, B. R. (February 1991). I can do it, mom (What children think they know). *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 66, No. 2.

Bjorklund, D. F., & Bjorklund, B. R. (August 1991). Falling in love with your baby. *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 66, No. 8.

Bjorklund, D. F., & Bjorklund, B. R. (August 1992). "I forgot to remember:" Helping children learn and remember. *Parents Magazine*, Vol. 67, No. 7.

Bjorklund, D. F. (November 26, 1992). Recognize that the self-interest of future generations coincides with our own (Evolution and future thinking). *Sun Sentinel*, Fort Lauderdale, FL.

Bjorklund, D. F. (September 13, 1999). Don't shut off learning: Evolutionary theory can aid us in a better understanding of the human condition. *Sun Sentinel*, Fort Lauderdale, FL.

Bjorklund, D. F., & Bjorklund, B. R. "As they Grow: 7 to 10," monthly column in *Parents Magazine*, January 1987-January 1990.

Bjorklund, D. F. (2009). Why youth is *not* wasted on the young. *The Florida Humanist Journal*, 3, 17-20.

### **Community Talks, Workshops, and Extensive Interviews**

Trinity Lutheran School, Delray, FL ("Piaget for teachers"), April 1978

Interview, Palm Beach Post ("Infant intellectual development"), March 1978

Boca Palm Day School, Boca Raton, FL ("Memory & classification skills in children"), May 1978

Henderson University School, Boca Raton, FL ("Psychology in the classroom"), May 1979

Interview, Palm Beach Post ("Father's role in child development") April 1980

Children's Home Society, West Palm Beach ("Stimulating infant development"), June 1980

Interview, Palm Beach Post ("Children's memory development"), June 1980

West Boylston High School, West Boylston, MA ("Careers in psychology"), October 1980

Palm Beach Division of Florida Psychological Association, West Palm Beach, FL ("The development of children's memory") November 1980

Interview, Sun-Sentinel, Ft. Lauderdale, FL ("Children's memory development"), September 1982

Deerfield Beach Elementary School, Deerfield Beach, FL ("Careers in psychology"), May 1983

Workshop ("Coping in the modern American family") given at "In Pursuit of Excellence," Sponsored by Boca Raton Jaycees, March 1985

Broward Community College, Coconut Creek, FL ("Discipline and child development"), March 1988

Boca Delmar Condominium Women's Association, Boca Raton, FL ("Grandparenting in the 80's"), May 1988

Radio interview, Mutual Broadcasting Network ("Development of homosexuality"), September 1988

Radio interview, KGBH, Los Angeles, CA ("Development of homosexuality"), September 1988

Radio interview, WGSR, Atlanta, GA ("Development of homosexuality"), September 1988

Workshop ("Cognitive development and education") given at "The Impact of Stress and Pressure on Children of the 80's," sponsored by Twig House, Fort Lauderdale, FL, September, 1988

Radio interview, WOR, New York, NY ("Development of homosexuality"), October 1988

Member, Administrative Review Committee for Elementary Education, School Board of Palm Beach County, West Palm Beach, December 1988

Radio interview, KING, Seattle, WA ("Development of homosexuality"), June 1989.

Radio interview, KING, Seattle, WA ("Children and TV"), November 1989

Addison Mizner Elementary School, Boca Raton, FL ("Helping children remember"), May 1991

Karen Slattery Day Care Center, Boca Raton, FL ("Establishing discipline with preschool children"), February 1992

Henderson University School, Boca Raton, FL ("New findings in research in child development and educational psychology"), October 1992

Pinecrest School, Fort Lauderdale, FL ("Raising a self-disciplined child"), October 1994

Women's International Zionist Organization, Miami Beach, FL ("Discipline and development"), December 1994

- Child Protection Team's Child Sexual Abuse Investigation Workshop, sponsored by the Children's Home Society of Florida (Treasure Coast Division), Fort Pierce, FL ("How and What Children Remember"), May 1996
- Florida Atlantic University Counseling Center, Boca Raton, FL ("The Recovery of Repressed Memories or the Creation of False Memories?"), March 1997
- Interview, Palm Beach Post ("Kids not Reliable Witnesses"), December 27, 1997
- Schmidt College of Science Alumni Meeting, Fort Lauderdale, FL ("Deferred imitation in human-reared juvenile great apes"), October 1999
- Gold Coast Humanist Society, Boca Raton, FL ("Evolutionary Developmental Psychology"), November 1999
- Interviews with Palm Beach County radio and TV stations on "What to tell children about the World Trade Center disaster," September 2001
- United Christian Ministries Transitional Housing Programs, Alexandria, VA, "Raising a self-discipline child," February 2004
- Bryant Early Learning Center, Alexandria, VA, "Discipline and development," February 2004
- Programme in Community Education, Christchurch, New Zealand, "Can apes ape? Looking at imitation in human-reared chimpanzees and orangutans," June 2004
- Frontiers in Science, Charles E. Schmidt College of Science, "Can apes ape? Clues to understanding human evolution," January, 2007
- Cardinal Gibbons High School, AP Psychology Class, "Developmental Psychology at Florida Atlantic University," April 2008
- Panel Chair, "The impact of Darwinian theory on different discipline." Darwin Days, Florida Atlantic University, February 13, 2009.
- Evolutionary psychology and human sexual selection. Talk presented to FAU's The Institute for Learning in Retirement (ILIR), April 17, 2023.
- Saving our kids' mental health through play and independence. "Ask Doctor Amy" podcast, April 3, 2023; <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/saving-our-kids-mental-health-through-play-and/id1594424048?i=1000606245226>
- Independence and Youth Mental Health: Study, Where Parents Talk, hosted by Lianne Castelino, Radio on 105.9, Montreal, Canada, July 8, 2023, <https://whereparentstalk.com/featured/independence-and-youth-mental-health-study/>
- Children today have less independence. Is that fueling a mental health crisis? Caitlin Gibson, *Washington Post*, October 24, 2023. <https://www.washingtonpost.com/parenting/2023/10/24/youth-mental-health-independence/>

### **Masters Theses Directed to Completion**

(all Department of Psychology, Florida Atlantic University, unless specified otherwise)

- Michael Greenberg, 1978  
 Janet Hibel, 1978  
 David Saarnio, 1980  
 Barbara Thompson, 1980  
 Flora Zaken, 1980  
 Barbara Zeman, 1980  
 Melanie DeMarchena, 1981  
 Sara Weiss, 1983  
 Cherie Clark, 1983

Donna McKenna, 1983  
 John Jacobs, 1984  
 Jean Bernholtz, 1985  
 Katherine Harnishfeger, 1987  
 Katherine Lyons, 1990  
 Ruth Weber, 1990  
 William Cassel, 1990  
 John Buchanan, 1992  
 Claudia Roebers, 1992 (Co-advisor; University of Würzburg)  
 Thomas Coyle, 1993  
 Lenore Read, 1994  
 Kristina Rosenblum, 1997  
 Cynthia Park, 1998 (Co-advisor)  
 Martha Hubertz, 1999  
 Jeffrey Gredlein, 2001  
 Viviana Weekes-Shackelford, 2004  
 Christopher Cormier, 2005  
 Courtney Botort, 2005 (Co-advisor)  
 Justin Rosenberg, 2006  
 Kayla Causey, 2008  
 Amy Gardiner, 2008  
 Ashley King, 2009  
 Virginia Periss, 2010  
 Lauren Maurer, 2010  
 Jesse Marczyk, 2011  
 Alyssa Raymond, 2012  
 Patrick Douglas Sellers II, 2013  
 Gregory Gorelik, 2014  
 Karin Machluf, 2014  
 James Liddle, 2014  
 Alyson Myers, 2015  
 Sammy Penaloza, 2016

#### **Doctoral Dissertations Directed to Completion**

Jacquelyn Muir-Broaddus, 1990  
 Katherine Kipp Harnishfeger, 1991  
 Paula Willits, 1991 (Co-advisor; Special Education, Florida Atlantic University)  
 Jane Gaultney, 1992  
 Jean Bernholtz, 1993 (Co-advisor; Clinical Psychology, University of Miami)  
 William S. Cassel, 1993  
 Elizabeth Kennedy, 1998  
 Rhonda Douglas Brown, 1998  
 Eric Jones, 2000  
 Jesse M. Bering, 2002  
 Krystal Mize, 2008 (Co-advisor)  
 Kayla Causey, 2010  
 Viviana Weeks-Shackelford, 2011  
 Farnaz Kaighobadi, 2011  
 Amy Gardiner, 2011

Jason Grotuss, 2011  
Christopher Cormier, 2013  
Martha Hubertz, 2014  
Patrick Douglas Sellers II, 2015  
Karin Machluf, 2015  
Gregory Gorelik, 2015  
Amy Tift, 2015  
Nicholas Minar, 2015  
Alyson Myers, 2018  
Charles Dukes, 2019