

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

- 2014- present Assistant Professor (tenure-track), Humboldt State University, Department of Psychology
- 2011-2014 National Cancer Institute R25T Postdoctoral Research Fellowship in Cancer Prevention, The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center

EDUCATION

- 2011 Internship in Clinical Psychology
Southwest Consortium, Raymond G. Murphy VA and University of New Mexico (APA accredited)
- 2011 Ph.D., Clinical Psychology
Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis (APA accredited)
- 2008 M. S., Clinical Psychology
Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis
- 2005 Post B.A. Coursework in Psychology
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- 2004 B. A., Finance, with Distinction
University of Wisconsin-Madison

THESES

The Role of Motivation and Expectancy in the Placebo Effect. Doctorate of Philosophy in Psychology. Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis, 2011. Committee: Soren Svanum (Chair), Kevin Rand, Leslie Ashburn-Nardo, Jane Williams.

Do Expectancies Explain the Health Effects of Expressive Writing? Master of Science in Psychology. Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis, 2011. Committee: Soren Svanum (Chair), Kevin Rand, Jane Williams.

GRANTS AND FUNDING

- 2016 **Recipient**, HSU Faculty Research Incentive Award Program
Co-Collaborators: Carrie Aigner and Maria Iturbide
Sociocultural Factors Associated With the Retention and Academic Success among Students of Color
- 2015 **Recipient**, Humboldt State University Office of Diversity and Inclusion Faculty Diversity Development Grant
Integrating Diversity Related Content into Course Curriculum
\$7,621
- 2012-2014 **Recipient**, National Cancer Institute R25T Post-doctoral Fellowship in Cancer Prevention and Control, MD Anderson Cancer Center (NCI R25T CA57730)
The Role of Pain and Pain-Related Expectancies in Smoking Cessation
Mentors: Shine Chang, Ellen R. Gritz, Cho Y. Lam, Diane M. Novy
\$132,000 total direct costs
- 2006-2007 **Recipient**, University Research Fellowship
Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis
Mentor: Soren Svanum
\$23,000

PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS * Represents student author

Aigner, C., Gritz, E., Tami-Maury, I., Baum, G., Arduino, R., & Vidrine, D. (2016). *The Role of Pain in Quitting among HIV Positive Smokers Enrolled in a Smoking Cessation Trial*. Poster presented at the Society for Behavioral Medicine (SBM) Annual Conference in Washington, DC.

*Gonzalez, I, *Martinez, M., *Ottey, Z., **Aigner, C.** (2016). *Student perceptions of diversity in university curriculum: Informing course design*. Poster to be presented at the Western Psychological Association (WPA) Annual Conference in Long Beach, CA.

Aigner, C., Lam, C., Novy, D., & Gritz, E. (2015). *The relationship of pain interference to smoking among women with cancer pain beginning smoking cessation treatment*. Poster presented at the Association for Psychological Science Annual Conference in New York, New York.

Aigner, C., Hernandez, M., Koyyalagunta, L. (presenter), & Novy, D. (2014). *Examining Pre- to Post- Changes in Anxiety, Depression, and Pain among Cancer Patients Receiving Spinal Cord Stimulator or Intrathecal Pump Implants for Pain Management*. Poster to be presented at the International Association for the Study of Pain, 15th World Congress on Pain, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Tami-Maury, I. (presenter), **Aigner, C.**, *Rush, S., *Hong, J., Strom, S., & Gritz, E. (2014). *The association of acculturation with smoking status among Mexican Americans*. International Epidemiological Association, 20th World Congress of Epidemiology. Anchorage, AK.

Aigner, C., Hernandez, M., Koyyalagunta, L., & Novy, D. (2014). *The Relation of Psychological Symptoms to Implantable Device Outcomes for Cancer Pain Management*. Poster presented at the Society of Behavioral Medicine Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

Aigner, C., Cinciripini, P, Anderson, K., & Lam, C. (2014). *Greater Pain Relates to Fewer Quit Attempts in an Electronic Daily Diary Study of Cancer Patients Enrolled in a Smoking Cessation Program*. Poster presented at the American Society for Preventative Oncology Annual Conference, Arlington, VA.

Aigner, C., Cinciripini, P, Anderson, K., & Lam, C. (2013). *Pain is Associated with Increased Smoking among Cancer Patients Trying To Quit*. Poster presented at the Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco Annual Conference, Boston, MA.

Aigner, C., Gebhardt, R., Koyyalagunta, L., Novy, D. (2013). *Changes in Cognitive Functioning Associated with Intrathecal Delivery of Pain Medication*. Poster presented at the Cancer Survivorship Retreat, Houston, TX.

Aigner, C., Novy, D., & Koyyalagunta, L. (2012). *Psychosocial Predictors of Implantable Device Outcomes in Cancer Pain Management*. Poster presented at the Cancer Survivorship Retreat, Houston, TX.

Aigner, C. & Svanum, S. (2009). *The Influence of Student Motivation and Course Performance on Student Evaluations of Teaching*. Poster presented at the Association for Psychological Science (APS) Annual Conference: APS and Society for Teaching Psychology (STP) Teaching Institute Poster Session, San Francisco, CA.

Svanum, S. & **Aigner, C.** (2008). *Student Grade Success Influences Course Satisfaction*. Poster presented at the Association for Psychological Science (APS) Annual Conference: APS and Society for Teaching Psychology (STP) Teaching Institute Poster Session, Chicago, IL.

PUBLICATIONS

Tamí, I., **Aigner, C.**, Hong, J. & Rush, S. (in press). The association of smoking status with English and Spanish language use as a proxy of acculturation among Mexican Americans. *Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health*.

Aigner, C., Cinciripini, P, Anderson, K., Gritz, E., Baum, G., & Lam, C. (2016). The association of daily smoking with daily pain in an electronic diary study of cancer patients trying to quit. *Nicotine and Tobacco Research*, 18 (6), 1449-1455.

Aigner, C. & Svanum, S. (2014). Motivation and expectancy influences in placebo

responding: The mediating role of attention. *International Journal of Psychology*, 49, 488-497.

Aigner, C., Hernandez, M., Koyalagunta, L., & Novy, D (2014). The association of pre-surgery psychological symptoms with post-surgery pain among cancer patients receiving implantable devices for pain management. *Supportive Care in Cancer*, 22, 2323-2328.

Novy, D. & **Aigner, C.** (2014) The biopsychosocial model in cancer pain. *Current Opinion in Supportive & Palliative Care*, 8, 117-123.

Tami-Maury, I., **Aigner, C. J.**, Hong, J., Strom, S., Chambers, M. S., & Gritz, E. R. (2014) Perception of tobacco use prevention and cessation among faculty members in Latin American and Caribbean dental schools. *Journal of Cancer Education*, 29, 634-641.

Aigner, C. & Novy, D. (2014). Symptom burden, pain, and the problems with “somatization” diagnosis. In E. Bruera (Ed.) *Textbook of Palliative Medicine and Supportive Care*, 2nd Edition. Taylor & Francis, CRC Press: London.

Lam, C., Businelle, M., **Aigner, C.**, McClure, J., Cofta-Woerpel, L., Cinciripini, P., & Wetter, D. (2014). Individual and combined effects of multiple high-risk triggers on postcessation smoking urge and lapse. *Nicotine and Tobacco Research*, 5, 569-575.

Koyalagunta, D., Bruera, E., **Aigner, C.**, Nusrat, N., Driver, L., & Novy, D (2013). Risk stratification of opioid misuse among patients with cancer pain using the SOAPP-SF. *Pain Medicine*, 14, 667-675.

Novy, D. & **Aigner, C.** (2013). *Promoting Cultural Competence in Pain Management: A Videoconferencing Approach*. In Curriculum Development, Innovation, and Reform. Nova Science Publishers: Hauppauge, New York.

Aigner, C. & Novy, D. (2011). Easing the Pain of Cancer. *Coping with Cancer*, November-December issue.

Svanum, S. & **Aigner, C.** (2011). The influence of course effort, mastery and performance goals, grade expectancies, and course grades on student ratings of course satisfaction. *British Journal of Educational Psychology*, 81, 667-679.

INVITED LECTURES

Aigner, C. (July, 2014). *The Placebo Effect in Medicine*. Guest lecture in ‘Mind-Body Medicine’ (online course), Rutgers University.

Aigner, C. (July, 2014). *Pain and Smoking Cessation in Cancer Patients*. Cancer Prevention Research Training Program Brown Bag Seminar. MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX.

Aigner, C. (November, 2012). *Psychosocial Aspects of Pain*. Invited lecture given at the MD Anderson Cancer Center, Nursing Saturday Series: Cancer Pain Update. Houston, TX.

Aigner, C. & Novy, D. (April, 2012). *The Role of Psychologists in Interdisciplinary Pain Management*. Invited lecture given at the American Society for Pain Management Nursing Houston Chapter Quarterly Meeting, Houston, TX.

Aigner, C. & Novy, D. (January, 2012). *A Team Approach to Pain Management*. Invited lecture given at the Texas Medical Center Pain and Palliative Care Grand Rounds, Houston, TX.

Aigner, C. (October, 2011). *Psychological Aspects of Pain: A Case Example*. Invited talk given at the MD Anderson Cancer Center and University of California-Davis Pain Management Videoconference, Houston, TX.

Aigner, C. (June, 2011) *The Role of Motivation and Expectancy in the Placebo Effect*. Raymond G. Murphy VA Research Brown Bag Series, Albuquerque, NM.

Aigner, C. (May 2010). *Mechanisms Involved in Placebo*. IUPUI Department of Psychology Clinical Psychology Brown Bag Series, Indianapolis, IN.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (COURSES TAUGHT)

HSU Health Psychology
 Personality Theory
 Theories of Individual Counseling (graduate)
 Assessment (graduate)

IUPUI Introduction to Psychology (4 sections)
 Social Psychology (Fall 2009, Spring 2010)
 Introduction to Psychology, Distance Learning Course (Fall 2010, Spring 2011)

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

2011-2013 **Postdoctoral Fellow**, University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center
 Department of Pain Medicine
 Emphasis: Pain management, substance abuse, interdisciplinary care.

2010-2011 **Psychology Intern**, Southwest Consortium, Albuquerque, NM
 University of New Mexico Hospital/Raymond G. Murphy VA
 Emphasis: *Behavioral Medicine*
 Rotations: Pain Management, Smoking Cessation, Substance Use Disorders

2007-2009 **Practicum Student**, IUPUI, Indianapolis, IN
Indiana University (IU) Hospital Pain Center, IU Neuropsychological
Center, Larue Carter Inpatient Psychiatric Hospital
Rotations: Pain Management, Neuropsychological Assessment, Inpatient
Psychotherapy

ACADEMIC SERVICE

2015- present Humboldt State University Instructional Review Board (IRB) Committee
Member

2015- present Department of Psychology Undergraduate Curriculum Committee,
Committee Member

2015- present Counseling Psychology Graduate Program Committee, Committee
Member

2015 Psychology Graduate Coordinator (ASCI) Search Committee Member

2013-2014 University of Texas Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences Mentoring
Program for Underrepresented Minorities, Mentor
Mentee: Sahily Reyes-Esteves

2012-2013 Trainee Review Committee for Leading Mentor in Cancer Prevention
Award, MD Anderson Cancer Center, Committee Member

2013 Career Forum for Cancer Prevention Undergraduate Summer Research
Program, MD Anderson Cancer Center, Panel Member, July 2013

2013 Cancer Prevention Research Training Program Poster Competition, Judge,
August 2013

WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

2015 **Experience Sampling Methodology for Psychological Scientists**
Tamlin S. Conner, Ph.D., New York, New York

2014 **Social Personality and Health Network**, one day
workshop (Society of Personality and Social Psychology preconference)
Austin, TX

- 2013 **Multilevel Modeling**, five day workshop
Patrick Curran, Ph.D. and Dan Bauer, Ph.D., Chapel Hill, NC
- 2012, 2013 **Scientific Writing Retreat**, one day workshop
MD Anderson Division of Cancer Prevention and Population Sciences,
Houston, TX
- 2012 **The Department of Palliative Care Bus Rounds**, one day training
On-site training and introduction to home-health palliative care for cancer
patients, MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, TX
- 2010 **Motivational Interviewing**, two day workshop
Eric Levensky, Ph.D., Raymond G. Murphy VA, Albuquerque, NM
- 2010 **Gathering of Healers**, four day retreat
Integrating indigenous practices of health and well-being into team
building, conflict resolution, and clinical practice, Raymond G. Murphy
VA, Albuquerque, NM
- 2010 **Evidence-Based Psychotherapy Practice**, one day workshop
Barbara Walker, Ph.D., IUPUI, Indianapolis, IN
- 2008 **Motivational Interviewing**, one day workshop
John M. Wryobeck, Ph.D., IUPUI, Indianapolis, IN
- 2007-2009 **Preparing Future Faculty Program**
IUPUI

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Association for Psychological Science

Society of Behavioral Medicine

Social, Personality and Health Network