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Books and Book chapters

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Grants

2022-2026
\$1,700,000

Training

Grants (continued)

2017-2019 \$318,894	UF Substance Abuse Training Center in Public Health National Institute on Drug Abuse (T32DA035167-02S1) National Institute of Health Role: Postdoctoral Fellow (PI: Cottler)
2013-2018 \$95,000	Understanding How Context Impacts Children McKnight Doctoral Fellowship; FL Education Fund Role: Johnson, Student Applicant
2015-2016 \$3,000	The Social Geometry of Youth Violence Department of Sociology and Criminology & Law, UF Role: Borg, PI. Johnson, Co-PI
2016-2017 \$5,000	Childhood Trauma Among Justice-Involved Youth Dissertation Grant UF, Office of Graduate Affairs Role: Johnson, PI.
2014-2015 \$5,000	The Psychosocial Blueprint of African American Success Lydia Donaldson Tutt-Jones Memorial Research Grant African American Success Foundation Role: Johnson, PI
2006-2008 \$10,000	Each One, Teach One FL Fund for Minority Teachers Grant (completed) Role: Johnson, PI

Future Grant Proposals

2023	Administrative Supplements to Recognize Excellence DEI Mentorship
2023	R61/R33: Research on Neurocognitive Mechanisms Underlying the Impact of Structural Racism on the Substance Use Trajectory
2024	NIDA R01: Testing the Effectiveness of Research Education Programs

Select Research Travel Grants

2019	NIH NIDA Director s Travel Awards (\$1,000)
2018	NIH NIDA Director s Travel Awards (\$1,000)
2017	NIH NIGMS Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology MARC Travel Award (\$1,200)
2016	UF: Dissertation Dissemination Grant (\$700)
2015	Student Government Grant: Police Student Dialogue (\$1,000)
2015	UF South Regional Education Board Scholar (\$4,000)
2015	FL Society of the Social Sciences (\$250)
2015	Graduate Minority Programs Professional Travel Scholarship (\$900)
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Select Research Travel Grants (Continued)

2015	College of Liberal Arts & Sciences (CLAS Grant) (\$300)
2015	Departmental Travel Grant: CLAS Supplement (\$250)
2014	Graduate School Travel Scholarship (\$600)
2013	Graduate School Travel Grant (\$400)
2013	Board of Education, Summer Fellowship (\$3,600)

Select Awards and Honors

2023	Faculty Outstanding Research Achievement Award, USF
2022	Poster Competition Winner, American Academy of Pediatrics, Florida
2020-2023	Learning for Early Careers in Addiction & Diversity (LEAD) Program
2019	2019 NIDA Diversity Scholars Network program
2016	The 2016 Russell V. Ewald Award for Academic Excellence, FL Education Fund, McKnight Fellows Program
2016	Symposium on the inner-city school, Yale University
2016	The 2017 K. Patricia Cross Future Leaders Award for Academic and Civic Achievement, Association of American Colleges and Universities (Nominated)
2015	J. Michael Rollo Diversity Impact Award, UF
2015	Southern Regional Education Board Doctoral Scholar
2015	Alpha Epsilon Lambda Honors Society Scholar (top 2% of graduate students)
2014	Selected by the Graduate School for the Provost Outstanding Achievement Award (Only 3 delegates from over 16,000 graduate/professional students).
2012	Favorite Teacher Award of Excellence, School District of Osceola County, FL
2011	Best Presentation Award, The School District of Osceola County, FL
2008	College of Education Scholar, Florida State University
2008	Member of the Year Award, Mu Epsilon Chapter, Florida State University
2006	New Member of the Year, National Panhellenic Council, Florida State University
2003	Award of Excellence in Writing, Broward County Florida
2003	Excellence in Writing, National Society of Arts and Letters

Peer-Reviewed Research Presentations

- 2022 **Johnson ME**, Rigg KK, Bristol SC, Vroom EB, Wiedbusch E, Akbari, Z, Smith ND, Cornavaca LB, and Cottler LB. Racial differences in the relationship between neighborhood social capital and opioid misuse among justice-involved adolescents. College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June)
- 2022 Still C and **Johnson ME**. Best practices for substance misuse research education programs to promote diversity, equity, and inclusion. College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June)
- 2022 Wilson D and **Johnson ME**. Racial differences in the association between family functioning and substance use disorder treatment completion among justice-involved adolescents. College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June).
- 2022 Nwankwo O, Kusiak E, and **Johnson ME**. Characteristics associated with opioid misuse among at-risk adolescents. College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June).
- 2022 Shah S and **Johnson ME**. Social-emotional skills and polysubstance use patterns among adolescents in detention facilities. College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June).
- 2022 Peart L and **Johnson ME**. Analyzing relationships between child neglect and risk for alcohol use disorder among at-risk adolescents. College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June).
- 2022 McDowell TS, Konidala C, and **Johnson, ME**. Analyzing whether social

Peer-Reviewed Research Presentations (continued)

- 2022 Reji A. and **Johnson ME**. Racial differences in the relationship between treatment completion and optimism among opioid users in the juvenile justice system. College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June).
- 2022 Wiedbusch E, **Johnson ME**, Vroom EB, Bristol SC, Akbari Z, and Suarez JA. Racial differences in the effects of parent and sibling alcohol misuse on the odds of alcohol misuse among justice-involved adolescents College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June).
- 2022 Bristol SC, Weidbusch E, Vroom EB, and **Johnson ME**. Races, ACEs, and Places: The Interaction Effects of Race, Childhood Adversity, and Neighborhood Disadvantage on Alcohol Use Disorder College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June).
- 2022 Akbari Z, Vroom EB, Bristol SC, Wiedbusch E, Suarez JA, and **Johnson ME**. Racial differences in the association between consequential thinking and substance use disorder treatment adherence among justice-involved adolescents College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June).
- 2022 Vroom EB, Akbari Z, Bristol SC, Wiedbusch E, Suarez JA, and **Johnson ME**. Examining gender differences in the relationship between social bonds and opioid misuse treatment completion among justice-involved adolescents College on Problems of Drug Dependence Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN (June).
- 2021 Shaw D and **Johnson ME**. Primary purpose for committing a crime and p

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Peer-Reviewed Research Presentations (continued)

- 2015 **Johnson ME** Victimized and institutionalized: cumulative disadvantage among black males in the juvenile justice system -South Sociological Association, Lafayette, LA. (October)
- 2015 **Johnson ME** The moderating effects of school climate and poly victimization on high school completion among juvenile offenders -South Sociological Association, Lafayette, LA. (October)

Select Invited Presentations

- 2020 **Johnson ME** trauma and behavioral h
- 2020 **Johnson ME** mediating factors: Applied forensic s Federal Public Defender, Capital Habeas Unit (June)
- 2020 **Johnson ME** , and drugs as mediating factors: Applied
- 2019 **Johnson ME** ,
Health Seminar series in Sociology at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY (October)
- 2017 **Johnson ME** inclusion: The promises and perils of a c2 Tf1 BDC q0.000009

Research Mentorship and Supervision (continued)

- 2017-2019 UF NIDA Substance Abuse Training Center in Public Health
Role: T32 Mentor to Pre-doctoral students (5 pre-doctoral students). This public health oriented T32 focused on the epidemiology and prevention of substance use and its consequences and co-morbidities, with a focus on social determinants of health and health inequalities and the development of behavioral interventions to reduce substance use and harmful consequences.
- 2018 Health Disparities Research Lab for Early Career Investigators
Role: Creator and Mentor (5 pre-doc students)
- 2014-2017 Honors Research Team
Role: Creator and Mentor (10 undergraduate students)

Teaching Experience

- 2021 Assistant Professor, Behavioral Health Systems Delivery, Department of Mental Health Law and Policy, USF, Tampa (Spring)
- 2020 Assistant Professor, Behavioral Health Systems Delivery, Department of Mental Health Law and Policy, USF, Tampa (Spring)
- 2020 Assistant Professor, Research Methods in Behavioral Healthcare, Department of Mental Health Law and Policy, USF, Tampa (Fall)
- 2018 Teaching Assistant, Epidemiology Writing Circle, Department of Epidemiology, UF, Gainesville, FL (Spring)
- 2017 Graduate Teacher, Sociology of Mental Health, Department of Sociology and Criminology and Law, UF, Gainesville, FL (Spring; Online)
- 2016 Graduate Teacher, Methods of Social Science Research Lab, Department of

Teaching Experience (continued)

2014 Guest Lecture

Community-Based Teaching Activities (continued)

- 2021 Taskforce on Policing; Police Youth Dialogues; 2021
- 2021 Invited Presentation: 2021 International Association of Chief of Police
- 2021 Invited Presenter: 2021 Mental Health Counselors of Central Florida, A Collective Experience: Addressing Racial Trauma and Healing in Black Mental Health
- 2021 Invited Presenter: NIDA Diversity Scholars Network Program: lessons learned throughout your journey to becoming an independent NIDA investigator, 2021
- 2021 Invited Presentation: The 2020 European Forum for Restorative Justice and the National Association of Community and Restorative Justice (NACRJ) Police, community, and youth relationships.
- 2021 Invited Guest Lecturer: Roundtable Presentation. Fu Joint Diversity Roundtable, 2021

Select Service Activities

University and Department

- 2020 Departmental Research Committee

Select Service Activities (continued)

- 2015 Panel Chair and Session Organizer, Sociology of Education Session, Mid-South Sociological Association
- 2015 Session Presider, Children and Youth Session: Educational Achievement and Attainment, American Sociological Association, Chicago, IL.
- 2015 Panel Chair, Sociology, Sociology Session, the FL Education Fund, Tampa, FL.
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- 2014 President, FL Society of the Social Sciences and Conference Organizer.
- 2013 Vice President and Symposium Organizer, FL Society of the Social Sciences.
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- 2010 Vice President, Take-Action Mentoring Group, Tallahassee, FL.
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- 2008 Executive Board, National Pan-Hellenic Council. The Florida State University, Tallahassee
- 2007 Tallahassee
- 2007 Student Government, Greek Week Director, and Service Coordinator, Second Harvest Foodbank, Tallahassee. Raised over 2,000 pounds of food for Underserved Children and Families

Expert Witness Reports

- 2020 United States of America vs. Deonte Wright, Case No. 8:19CR256T35AAS (United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida, Orange County, FL). Testimony on the Effects of Trauma and Cumulative Social Disadvantage
- 2020 United States of America vs. Joshua Granger, Case No. 6:12-cr-249-

Expert Witness Reports (continued)

2020 United States of America vs. Louis Farmer (United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida, Orange County, FL). Testimony on the Effects of

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Professional Organizations/Memberships

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