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### **EDUCATION**

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2014 – 2015	Pre-doctoral Clinical Psychology Internship, Western State Hospital, Lakewood, WA (APA-Accredited)
Ph.D., 2015	Counseling Psychology, Texas Tech University (APA-Accredited) Dissertation Title: <i>Comparing Group Psychotherapy via Telepsychology and In-Person Service Modalities for Inmates in Long-Term Segregation</i>
M.S., 2010	General Psychology, Drexel University Thesis Title: <i>Decision-Making Training in a Jail Setting: Recidivism and Predictors of Success</i>
B.S., 2007	Psychology, University of Pittsburgh (Summa cum laude)

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### **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

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2020 – present	Assistant Professor, Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology, and Research, University of Memphis
2019 – present	Scientist-Educator Adjunct Faculty, Department of Psychiatry and Human Behavior, University of Mississippi Medical Center School of Medicine
2016 – 2020	Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Southern Mississippi
2015 – 2016	Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Southern Mississippi

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### **AWARDED RESEARCH GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

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*Interprofessional teams grounded in apprenticeship, telehealth, & evidence (INTEGRATE)*, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources & Services Administration, Behavioral Health Workforce Education and Training Program (M01HP31365), Co-Investigator (PI: Susan L. Neely-Barnes, Ph.D.; Additional Co-Is: Kristoffer S. Berlin, Ph.D., Michelle W. Brasfield, Ed.D., Suzanne H. Lease, Ph.D., Chi Li, Ph.D., Megan E. McDevitt-Murphy, Ph.D., Paige Pirkey, Ph.D., & Laura C. Taylor, Ph.D.), Project period: 2021-2025, Total costs: \$1,890,881.

*Enhancing Mental Healthcare for Justice-Involved Persons through Virtual Technologies*, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources & Services Administration, Federal Office of Rural Health Policy Office for the Advancement of Telehealth (HRSA-17-123), Principle Investigator (subaward), Project period: September 2020-September 2021, Total costs: \$129,999.

*Reaching the restricted: Examining the feasibility and effectiveness of a novel psychosocial intervention for female inmates in administrative segregation*, American Psychological Foundation Visionary Grant, 2019 awardee, Principle Investigator, Total costs: \$19,748.

*Improving community supervision outcomes with psychologically informed best practices*, American Psychological Association Committee on Early Career Psychologists and Early Career and Graduate Student Affairs Community-based Grants, Principle Investigator, Total costs: \$2,505.

*Individual and situational actors predicting job attainment and maintenance among community-released ex-offenders*, Aubrey Keith Lucas and Ella Ginn Lucas Endowment for Faculty Excellence Award, 2019 awardee, Principle Investigator (Co-I: Melanie Leuty, Ph.D.), Total costs: \$4,912.

*Expansion of virtual mental health access to county correctional agencies*, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources & Services Administration, Federal Office of Rural Health Policy Office for the Advancement of Telehealth (HRSA-17-123), Principle Investigator (subaward), Project period: September 2019-September 2020, Total costs: \$81,864.

*A meta-analytic review on the effectiveness of videoconferencing compared to in-person for the provision of mental health-related services*, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources & Services Administration, Federal Office of Rural Health Policy Office for the Advancement of Telehealth (HRSA-17-123), Principle Investigator (subaward), Project period: January 2019-September 2019, Total costs: \$18,606.

*Virtual mental health access to correctional facilities*, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources & Services Administration, Federal Office of Rural Health Policy Office for the Advancement of Telehealth (HRSA-17-123), Principle Investigator (subaward), Project period: September 2018-September 2019, Total costs: \$97,146.

*Oji's Journey: An e-therapy app for community-released offenders*, University of Southern Mississippi Office of Technology Development Gap Fund, Principle Investigator, Project period: 2018-2019, Total costs: \$25,000.

*Comparing group psychotherapy via telepsychology and in-person service modalities for inmates in long-term segregation*, Texas Psychological Association Graduate Student Research Proposal Award, 2014 awardee, Total costs: \$1,500.

Paul Whitfield Horn Fellowship for Women Graduate Students, Texas Tech University Women's Club, 2012–2013, Total costs: \$1,000.

#### ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

(\*denotes mentored student co-author)

#### PUBLICATIONS IN PREPARATION OR UNDER REVIEW

1. \*Jones, A. C. T., \*Murana, J., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2021). *The effect of resource access and mental wellness on criminal thinking in a probationer population* [Manuscript in preparation]. School of Psychology, The University of Southern Mississippi.
2. Scanlon, F., Olafsson, B., Morgan, R. D., **Batastini, A. B.**, & Kroner, D. (2021). *Disciplinary Segregation in Prisons: Are Demographic, Mental Health, and Criminogenic Factors Predictive?* [Manuscript in preparation]. Department of Psychological Sciences, Texas Tech University.
3. \*Coaker, L. C., **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Davis, R., & \*Lester, M. E. (2020). *Evaluating layperson understanding of actuarial sexual violence risk data: A multi-method comparison of risk communication*. [Manuscript in preparation]. School of Psychology, The University of Southern Mississippi.
4. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Miller, O. K., \*Horton, J., & Morgan, R. D. (2021). *Availability of mental health services in restricted housing: What's going on behind the steel doors?* [Manuscript submitted for publication]. Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology, & Research, The University of Memphis.
5. Scanlon, F., \*Lester, M. E., Brace, T., **Batastini, A. B.**, & Morgan, R. D. (2021). *Tried and true? A psychometric evaluation of the Psychological Inventory of Criminal Thinking Styles-Short Form* [Manuscript submitted for publication]. Department of Psychological Sciences, Texas Tech University.

6. \*Jones, A. C. T., **Batastini, A. B.**, Vitacco, M. J., Standridge, R. L., & Knuth, S. (2021). *Social media bias in parental fitness evaluations: An empirical study of forensic expert and layperson perceptions* [Manuscript submitted for publication]. School of Psychology, The University of Southern Mississippi.
7. Kastner, R. M., Vitacco, M. J., Anderson, K., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2021). *Risk assessment and provisional discharge: The revolving door has slowed* [Manuscript submitted for publication]. Minnesota Department of Human Services.
8. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Lester, M. E., \*Bozeman A. R. & Poindexter, E. (2021). *Psychopathic traits, psychological functioning, and trauma symptomology among servicemembers and civilian samples: A propensity score matching approach* [Manuscript submitted for publication]. Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology, & Research, The University of Memphis.
9. \*Jones, A. C. T., \*Repke, A., **Batastini, A. B.**, Sacco, D., Dahlen, E. R., & Mohn, R. S. (2020) *The power of presentation: How attire, cosmetics, and posture impact the source credibility of a female expert witness?* [Manuscript submitted for publication]. School of Psychology, The University of Southern Mississippi.
10. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Jones, A. C. T., \*Patel, M., & \*Pringer, S. (2021). *Why psychologists in correctional settings must focus on intersectionality and how to do it* [Manuscript submitted for publication]. Department of Counseling, Educational Psychology, & Research, The University of Memphis.
11. \*Davis, R. M., **Batastini, A. B.**, Sacco, D., & Dahlen, E. R. (2020) *Does race matter? An examination of defendant race on legal decision making in the context of actuarial violence risk assessments* [Manuscript submitted for publication]. School of Psychology, The University of Southern Mississippi.

#### REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

1. **Batastini, A. B.**, Vitacco, M. J., \*Jones, A. C. T., & \*Davis, R. M. (2021). Perceived credibility of social media data as a collateral source in criminal responsibility evaluations using an experimental design. *International Journal of Forensic Mental Health*. doi: 10.1080/14999013.2021.1880504
2. \*Miller, O., **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Standridge, R., \*Repke, A. & Mohn, R. (2021). Actor perspective and moral reasoning: Do levels of criminal thinking moderate this relationship among non-criminals? *Journal of Forensic Sciences*. doi:10.1111/1556-4029.14668
3. **Batastini, A. B.**, Paprzycki, P., \*Jones, A. C. T., & MacLean, N. (2021). Are videoconferenced mental and behavioral health services just as good as in-person? A Meta-analysis of a fast-growing practice. *Clinical Psychology Review*, 83. doi: 10.1016/j.cpr.2020.101944
4. \*Nocera, T. R., Dahlen, E. R., Leuty, M. E., Mohn, R. S. & **Batastini, A. B.** (2021). Dark personality traits and anger in cyber aggression perpetration: Is moral disengagement to blame? *Psychology of Popular Media*. doi: 10.1037/ppm0000295
5. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Jones, A. C. T., \*Lester, M. E. & \*Davis, R. M. (2020). Initiation of a multidisciplinary telemental health clinic for rural justice-involved populations: Rationale, recommendations, and lessons learned. *Journal of Community Psychology*. doi: 10.1002/jcop.22424
6. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Lester, M. E., Morgan, R. D., Atterberry, E. (2020). Stepping Up, Stepping Out: Preliminary results of a treatment program for inmates in restricted housing with mental and behavioral health problems. *Psychological Services*. doi: 10.1037/ser0000430
7. \*Lester, M. E., **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Davis, R. M., Bourgon, G. (2020). Is Risk-Needs-Responsivity enough? Examining difference in treatment response among male offenders. *Criminal Justice and Behavior*, 7, 829-847. doi: t0.1177/0093854820915740
8. **Batastini, A. B.**, Leuty, M. E., \*Davis, R. M., \*Jones, A. C. T. (2019). Individual and situational factors predicting employment status among revoked community-released offenders. *Psychological Services*. doi: 10.1037/ser0000403
9. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Pike, M., Thoen, M. A., \*Jones, A. C. T., \*Davis, R. M., & Escalera, E. (2019). Perceptions and use of videoconferencing in forensic mental health assessments: A survey of evaluators and legal personnel. *Psychology, Crime & Law*. doi: 10.1080/1068316X.2019.1708355
10. Vitacco, M. J., Gottfried, E., Lilienfeld, S. O., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2019). The limited relevance of neuroimaging in insanity evaluations. *Neuroethics*, 13, 249–260. doi: 10.1007/s12152-019-09421-8
11. **Batastini, A. B.**, Vitacco, M. J., \*Coaker, L. C., & \*Lester, M. E. (2019). Communicating violence risk during testimony: Do different formats lead to different perceptions among jurors? *Psychology, Public Policy, and the Law*, 25, 92-106. doi: 10.1037/law0000196
12. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Hoeffner, C. E., Vitacco, M. J., Morgan, R. D., \*Coaker, L. C., & \*Lester, M. E. (2018). Does the format of the message effect what is heard? A two-part study on the communication of

- violence risk assessment data. *Journal of Forensic Psychology: Research and Practice*, 19(1), 44-71. doi: 10.1080/24732850.2018.1538474
13. Coffey, C. A., **Batastini, A. B.**, & Vitacco, M. J. (2018). Clues from the digital world: A survey of clinician's reliance on social media as collateral data in forensic evaluations. *Professional Psychology: Research and Practice*, 49(5-6), 345-354. doi: 10.1037/pro0000206
  14. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Repke, A., & Schmidt, A. T. (2018). Turning graduate courses inside out. *Teaching and Education in Professional Psychology*, 12, 174-179. doi: 10.1037/tep0000197
  15. \*Chadick, C. D., **Batastini, A. B.**, Levulis, S. J., & Morgan, R. D. (2018). The psychological impact of solitary: A longitudinal comparison of general population and long-term administratively segregated male inmates. *Legal and Criminological Psychology*, 23, 101-116. doi: 10.1111/lcrp.12125
  16. Vitacco, M. J., Gottfried, E. D., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2018). Using technology to improve the validity of criminal responsibility evaluations. *Journal of the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law*, 46(1), 71-77.
  17. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Lester, M. & Thompson, R.A. (2017). Mental illness in the eyes of the law: Examining self and public perceptions of stigma among judges and attorneys. *Psychology, Crime and Law*, 24, 673-686. doi: 10.1080/1068316X.2017.1406092
  18. **Batastini, A. B.**, Bolanos, A. D., Morgan, R. D., & Mitchell, S. M. (2017). Bias in hiring applicants with mental illness and criminal justice involvement: A follow-up study with human resource professionals. *Criminal Justice and Behavior*, 44, 777-795. doi: 10.1177/0093854817693663
  19. Morgan, R. D., Gendreau, P., Smith, P., Gray, A., Labrecque, R. M., MacLean, N., Van Horn, S., Bolanos, A., **Batastini, A. B.**, Mills, J. F. (2016). Quantitative syntheses on the effects of administrative segregation on prisoners' well-being. *Psychology, Public Policy, and the Law*, 22, 439-461. doi: 10.1037/law0000089
  20. **Batastini, A. B.** & Morgan, R. D. (2016). Connecting the disconnected: Preliminary results and lessons learned from a telepsychology initiative with special management inmates. *Psychological Services*, 13, 283-291. doi: 10.1037/ser0000078
  21. **Batastini, A. B.** (2016). Improving rehabilitative efforts for juvenile offenders through the use of telemental health. *Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychopharmacology* [Special Issue], 26, 273-277. doi: 10.1089/cap.2015.0011
  22. **Batastini, A. B.**, King, C. M., Morgan, R. D. & McDaniel, B. (2016). Telepsychological services with criminal justice and substance abusing clients: A systematic review and meta-analysis. *Psychological Services*, 13(1), 20-30. doi: 10.1037/ser0000042
  23. Morgan, R. D., **Batastini, A. B.**, Murray, D. D., Serna, C., & Porras, C. (2015). Criminal thinking: A fixed or fluid process? *Criminal Justice and Behavior*, 42, 1045-1065. doi: 10.1177/0093854815578948
  24. **Batastini, A. B.**, Bolanos, A. D., & Morgan, R. D. (2014). Attitudes toward hiring applicants with mental illness and criminal justice involvement: The impact of education and experience. *International Journal of Law and Psychiatry*, 37, 524-533. doi: 10.1016/j.ijlp.2014.02.025
  25. **Batastini, A. B.**, Hunt, E., Present-Koller, J., & DeMatteo, D. (2011). Federal standards for community registration of juvenile sex offenders: An evaluation of risk prediction and future implications. *Psychology, Public Policy, and the Law*, 17, 451-474. doi: 10.1037/a0023637
  26. DeMatteo, D., Hunt, E., **Batastini, A. B.**, & LaDuke, C. (2010). The disconnect between assessment and intervention in the risk management of criminal offenders. *Open Access Journal of Forensic Psychology*, 2, 59-74. [http://web.me.com/gregdeclue/Site/DeMatteo\\_2010.html](http://web.me.com/gregdeclue/Site/DeMatteo_2010.html).
  27. DeMatteo, D., **Batastini, A. B.**, Foster, E., & Hunt, E. (2010). Individualizing risk assessment: Balancing idiographic and nomothetic data. *Journal of Forensic Psychology Practice*, 10, 360 – 371. doi: 10.1080/15228932.2010.481244

#### **TREATMENT AND TRAINING MANUALS**

1. **Batastini, A. B.**, Morgan, R. D., & Jones, A. C. T. (under contract). *In the Act: Training Correctional Officers to Recognize Criminal Thinking*. New York: Springer International
2. **Batastini, A. B.**, Morgan, R. D., Kroner, D. G., & Mills, J. F. (2019). *Stepping Up, Stepping Out: A Mental Health Treatment Program for Inmates in Restrictive Housing*. Routledge Taylor & Francis Group. New York: NY.

#### **EDITED BOOKS**

1. Barber-Rioja, V., Garcia-Mansilla, A., Subedi, B. & **Batastini, A.** (Eds.). (in press). *Handbook of mental health assessment and treatment in jails*. Oxford University Press.
2. **Batastini, A. B.**, & Vitacco, M. J. (Eds.). (2020). *Forensic Mental Health Evaluations in the Digital Age: A Practitioner's Guide to Using Internet-Based Data*. New York: Springer International.

### BOOK CHAPTERS

1. **Batastini, A. B.**, Morgan, R. D., \*Standridge, R. L., & \*Ross, K. (in press). Mental health treatment for individuals in restricted housing. In V. Barber-Rioja, A. Garcia-Mansilla, B. Subedi, & **A. Batastini** (Eds.). *Handbook of mental health assessment and treatment in jails*. Oxford University Press.
2. **Batastini, A. B.**, Dvoskin, J., \*Horton, J., & \*Cook, K. (in press). Advocacy and research in jails. In V. Barber-Rioja, A. Garcia-Mansilla, B. Subedi, & **A. Batastini** (Eds.). *Handbook of mental health assessment and treatment in jails*. Oxford University Press.
3. Vitacco, M. J., **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Jones, A. C. T., Clary, C. (in press). Mental health challenges and considerations with individuals in rural jails. In V. Barber-Rioja, A. Garcia-Mansilla, B. Subedi, & **A. Batastini** (Eds.). *Handbook of mental health assessment and treatment in jails*. Oxford University Press.
4. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Jones, A. C. T., \*Miller, O. K., & Vitacco, M. J. (2020). An introduction to internet-based data and its relevance to forensic mental health assessments. In A. Batastini, & M. Vitacco (Eds.), *Forensic mental health evaluations in the digital age: A practitioner's guide to using internet-based data*. New York: Springer International.
5. Vitacco, M. J., Sigurdsson, D., Randolph, A. M., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2020). Using Social Media in Conducting Evaluations of Criminal Responsibility. In A. Batastini, & M. Vitacco (Eds.), *Forensic mental health evaluations in the digital age: A practitioner's guide to using internet-based data*. New York: Springer International.
6. **Batastini, A. B.**, Vitacco, M. J., & \*Bozeman, A. R. (2020). General recommendations for integrating internet-based data in forensic mental health assessments and what we still need to know. In A. Batastini, & M. Vitacco (Eds.), *Forensic mental health evaluations in the digital age: A practitioner's guide to using internet-based data*. New York: Springer International.
7. **Batastini, A. B.**, \*Winner, N. A., & \*Davis, R. (2019). Treatment, intervention, prevention, and supervision. In A. S. Klee & B. A. Moore (Eds.) *EPPP Fundamentals: Review for the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition*. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Co.
8. **Batastini, A. B.**, Hill, J. B., \*Repke, A., Gullledge, L. M., & \*Livengood, Z. (2018). Approaching correctional treatment from a programmatic standpoint: Risk-Needs-Responsivity and Beyond. In M. Ternes, P. Magaletta, & M. Patry (Eds.) *The Practice of Correctional Psychology*. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Co.
9. Morgan, R. D., Kroner, D. G., Mills, J. F., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2013). Treating criminal offenders. In I. B. Weiner & R. K. Otto (Eds.) *Handbook of Forensic Psychology, Fourth Edition*, pp. 795-838. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
10. **Batastini, A. B.**, McDonald, B., & Morgan, R. D. (2013). Videoteleconferencing in forensic and correctional practice. In K. Myers & C. Turvey (Eds.) *Telemental Health: Clinical, Technological, and Administrative Foundations of Evidence-Based Practice*, pp. 251-272. Waltham, MA: Elsevier.

### OTHER PUBLICATIONS

1. **Batastini, A.B.** (2021, April). Nevertheless, the criminal justice section persisted. *Public Service Psychology*. Retrieved from <https://www.apadivisions.org/division-18/publications/newsletters/public-service/2021/04/criminal-justice>
2. **Batastini, A.B.** (2021). Videoconferencing technologies in assessment: Get on board or get left behind. *International Association of Forensic Mental Health Services Newsletter*, 6(1). Retrieved from [http://www.iafmhs.org/resources/Documents/IAFMHS%20Newsletter%202021%206\(1\)%20Winter.pdf](http://www.iafmhs.org/resources/Documents/IAFMHS%20Newsletter%202021%206(1)%20Winter.pdf)
3. **Batastini, A.B.** (2020, July). Criminal justice and current affairs of systemic issues: Div. 18 calls for action and open communication of ideas over injustice. *Public Service Psychology*. Retrieved from <https://www.apadivisions.org/division-18/publications/newsletters/public-service/2020/07/criminal-justice-systemic-issues>
4. **Batastini, A. B.** (2019). Segregation in prisons. In *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Criminal Psychology* (Ed. R. D. Morgan).

5. **Batastini, A. B.** (2019). Telepsychology. In *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Criminal Psychology* (Ed. R. D. Morgan).
6. **Batastini, A. B.** (2018). The McNaughten Rule. In *The Encyclopedia of Personality and Individual Differences* (Eds. V. Zeigler-Hill & T. K. Shackelford).

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#### CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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1. **Batastini, A. B.** (Program chair) (2021, August). *Telepsychology in psychology-law practice: experiences, recommendations, and what's to come*. Collaborative program conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association.
2. **Batastini, A. B.** (2021, August). Telepsychology with justice-involved clients: Current state of the literature and moving the science forward. In A. B. Batastini (Program chair), *Telepsychology in psychology-law practice: experiences, recommendations, and what's to come*. Collaborative program conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association.
3. Guyton, M. R. & **Batastini, A. B.** (2021, August). An update on the AP-LS Telepsychology Taskforce: Modeling discipline-specific guidance. In A. B. Batastini (Program chair), *Telepsychology in psychology-law practice: experiences, recommendations, and what's to come*. Collaborative program conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association.
4. Lester, M., **Batastini, A. B.**, Scanlon, F., Morgan, R. D., & Leuty, M. E. (2021, August). *Changing Lives and Changing Outcomes: Evidence of Transdiagnostic Effectiveness?* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association Convention.
5. Davis, R. M., **Batastini, A. B.**, Sacco, D., & Dahlen, E. R. (2021, June). *Does race matter? An examination of defendant race on legal decision making in the context of actuarial violence risk assessments*. Paper presented at the International Association for Forensic Mental Health Services virtual conference.
6. Cook, K. E., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2021, June). *Stepping Up, Stepping Out: Results of a treatment program for inmates in restricted housing with mental and behavioral health problems*. Paper presented at the International Association of Forensic Mental Health Services Virtual Conference.
7. Jones, A. C. T., Repke, A., Batastini, A. B., Sacco, D., Dahlen, E. R., & Mohn, R. S. (2021, March). *The power of presentation: How attire, cosmetics, and posture impact the source credibility of a female expert witness*. Invited talk presented to the Committee on Services and Resources for Women at The University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, MS, United States.
8. Patel, M. B., **Batastini, A. B.**, Dixon, P. E. (2021, March). *Who's at the bottom of the hiring list? Exploring the compounding effects of applicant race and offense history type on hireability*. Poster presented at the Association for Psychological Science Virtual Convention and Poster Showcase.
9. Jones, A. C. T., Patel, M. B., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2021, March). *Does convenience come with a price? The impact of remote testimony on expert credibility and decision-making*. Poster presented at the American Psychology-Law Society Student Committee Virtual Poster Session.
10. **Batastini, A. B.**, Paprzycki, P., Jones, A. C. T., & McLean, N. (2020, August). *Videoconferencing in mental health service delivery: A Meta-analytic look at a growing practice*. Virtual poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association.
11. Lester, M. E., **Batastini, A. B.**, Davis, R., & Bourgon, G. (2020, March). *Is risk-needs-responsivity enough? Examining differences in treatment response among male offenders*. Data Blitz presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
12. Lester, M. E., **Batastini, A. B.**, Morgan, R. D., & Atterberry, A. (2020, March). *Stepping up, stepping out: Preliminary results of a treatment program for inmates in restricted housing with mental and behavioral health problems*. Data Blitz presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
13. Murana, J. A., Jones, A. C. T., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2020, March). *The effect of social disadvantages and mental wellness on criminal thinking*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
14. **Batastini, A. B.**, Davis, R. M., Lester, M. E., & Jones, A. C. T. (2020, March). *Initiating a telepsychology clinic for rural justice-involved persons: Lessons learned, recommendations, and early evidence*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
15. Jones, A. C. T., Davis, R. M., **Batastini, A. B.**, & Vitacco, M. J. (2020, March). *Social media and gender bias in parental fitness evaluations: An empirical study of forensic expert and layperson perceptions*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.



16. Bozeman, A. R., Lester, M. E., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2020, March). *Understanding criminal thinking styles among men and women in military and non-military samples*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
17. Miller, O. K., **Batastini, A. B.**, Repke, A., & Standridge, R. (2020, March). *Actor perspective and moral reasoning: Do levels of criminal thinking moderate this relationship among non-criminals?* Data Blitz presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
18. Repke, A. & **Batastini, A. B.** (2020, March). *How attire, cosmetics, and posture impact the source credibility of the female expert witness*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
19. Standridge, R. L., Giovengo, B., Jones, A. C. T., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2020, March). *The role of PTSD symptom severity in the use of criminal thinking errors among trauma-exposed individuals*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
20. Lester, M. E., **Batastini, A. B.**, Davis, R. M., Bourgon, G. (2019, May). *Is Risk-Need-Responsivity enough? Examining differences in treatment response among male offenders*. Paper presented at the 4<sup>th</sup> North American Correctional & Criminal Justice Psychology Conference, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
21. **Batastini, A. B.** (2019, May). *Stepping Up, Stepping Out: A new intervention for inmates in restricted housing with mental illness*. Gimme-5 presented at the 4<sup>th</sup> North American Correctional & Criminal Justice Psychology Conference, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
22. **Batastini, A. B.**, Leuty, M. E., Davis, R. M. (2019, May). *Individual and situational factors predicting job attainment and maintenance among high risk community-released offenders*. Paper presented at the 4<sup>th</sup> North American Correctional & Criminal Justice Psychology Conference, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
23. Davis, R. M., Pike, M., **Batastini, A. B.**, Repke, A., Lester, M. E., & Thoen, M. A. (2019, March). Forensic mental health evaluators' perceptions and use of videoconferencing to perform assessments. In A. B. Batastini (Chair), *Applications of Technology in Psychology-Law Contexts*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.
24. **Batastini, A. B.** & Vitacco, M. J. (2019, March). Perceived credibility of social media data as a collateral source in forensic mental health assessment. In A. B. Batastini (Chair), *Applications of Technology in Psychology-Law Contexts*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.
25. Jones, A. C. T. & **Batastini, A. B.** (2019, March). Oji's Journey: An e-therapy app for community-released offenders. In A. B. Batastini (Chair), *Applications of Technology in Psychology-Law Contexts*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.
26. **Batastini, A. B.**, Repke, A. R., & Schmidt, A. T. (2018, August). *Turning graduate psychology courses inside-out*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco, California.
27. **Batastini, A. B.**, (2018, March). How and when do forensic evaluators consult social networking sites? In A. B. Batastini (Chair), *Current Trends in Forensic Practitioners' Consultation of Social Media as Collateral Data*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, Tennessee.
28. Coaker, L. C., **Batastini, A. B.**, (2018, March). *Evaluating layperson understanding of actuarial sexual violence risk data: A multi-method comparison*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, Tennessee.
29. Thoen, M. A., Escalera, E., **Batastini, A. B.**, & Pike, M. (2018, March). *Forensic evaluations via telecommunication: Legal perspectives of advantages and disadvantages*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, Tennessee.
30. Lester, M., **Batastini, A. B.**, & Thompson, R.A. (2017, August). *Mental illness in the eyes of the law: Examining self-perceptions of stigma among judges and attorneys*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
31. **Batastini, A. B.**, Vitacco, M. J., Coaker, L. (2017, March). *Evaluating understanding of violence risk data: A multi-method comparison among jurors and judges*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Seattle, Washington.
32. **Batastini, A. B.**, (2017, July). Making the best out of a (possibly not so) bad situation: An alternative perspective on administrative segregation in the United States. In P. Smith (Chair), *Segregation and solitary confinement*. Symposium conducted at the annual International Academy of Law and Mental Health Congress, Prague, Czech Republic.

33. **Batastini, A. B.**, Levulis, S. J. & Alvis, A. (2016, August). *Does the Use of Videoconferencing in Forensic Mental Health Evaluations Impact Mock Jurors' Perceptions of Expert Credibility?* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Denver, Colorado.
34. **Batastini, A. B.**, Chadick, C. D., Morgan, R. D., & Levulis, S. J. (2016, March). *The Psychological Impact of Solitary: A Longitudinal Comparison of General Population and Long-Term Administratively Segregated Inmates.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Atlanta, Georgia.
35. Hoeffner, C. E., **Batastini, A. B.**, & Morgan, R. D. (2016, March). *Does the Method of Risk Communication Impact the Accuracy of Mock Juror's Perceptions of Violence?* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Atlanta, Georgia.
36. **Batastini, A. B.** (2016, April). *The Unemployed Ex-Con: Increasing Job Attainment and Maintenance from the Inside Out.* Re-Thinking Mass Incarceration in the South Conference, Oxford, Mississippi.
37. Morgan, R. D., Van Horn, S. A., MacLean, N., Gray, A., Bolanos, A., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2015, June). Administrative segregation: Is it really as harmful as some proclaim? In S. Wormith (Chair), *The Effects of Prison Life and Solitary Confinement*. Symposium conducted at the North American Correctional and Criminal Justice Psychology Conference, Ottawa, Canada.
38. **Batastini, A. B.**, Morgan, R. D., & McDaniel, B. (2015, March), *Comparing Group Psychotherapy via Telehealth and In-Person Service Modalities for Inmates in Long-Term Segregation.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, San Diego, California.
39. Riggs-Romaine, C. L., Zelechowski, A. D., Wolbransky, M., & **Batastini, A. B.** (2015, March). The teaching of psychology and law project: Results and lessons learned. In *Psychology and Law in the Classroom: Innovations in Teaching and Learning*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, San Diego, California.
40. **Batastini, A. B.**, Bolanos, A., & Morgan, R. D. (2014, August). *Employer Attitudes Toward Hiring Applicants with Mental Illness and Criminal Justice Involvement: A Follow-Up Study.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C.
41. **Batastini, A. B.**, King, C. M., McDaniel, B., MacLean, N., Van Horn, S. A., & Morgan, R. D. (2014, March). *Effectiveness of Telepsychology in Correctional and Forensic Practice: A Research Synthesis and Meta-Analysis.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
42. Morgan, R. D., Van Horn, S. A., MacLean, N., Bolanos, A., **Batastini, A. B.**, Gray, A. & Mills, J. F. (2014, March). *Administrative Segregation: Is it a Harmful Correctional Practice?* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.
43. **Batastini, A. B.** (2013, August). Telepsychology in forensic and correctional settings. In A. Bennett (Chair), *Advances in Using Telemental Health in Public Service Psychology*. Symposium conducted at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, Hawaii.
44. **Batastini, A. B.**, Bolanos, A., Dean, T., Moor, K., Bewley, M., & Morgan, R. D. (2012, August). *Employer Bias in Hiring Mentally Ill and Criminal Justice-Involved Applicants: The Impact of Education and Experience.* Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Orlando, Florida.
45. **Batastini, A. B.**, DeMatteo, D., Westphal, R., & Heilbrun, K. (2011, June). *Decision-Making Training in a Jail Setting: Recidivism and Predictors of Success.* Poster presented at the North American Correctional and Criminal Justice Psychology Conference, Toronto, Canada.
46. **Batastini, A. B.**, Kolko, D. J., Hart, J., & DeMatteo, D. (2010, March). *Registration and Notification Requirements for Juvenile Sex Offenders: A Prospective Evaluation of Risk Prediction and Future Implications.* Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Vancouver, Canada.
47. Keesler, M., Laughon, P., Foster, E., **Batastini, A. B.**, & DeMatteo, D. (2010, March). *Capital Jury Agreement with Mitigating Factors: The Relationship Between Rate of Agreement and Ultimate Sentence Recommendation.* Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Vancouver, Canada.
48. Burl, J., **Batastini, A. B.**, & DeMatteo, D. (2009, April). *Effective treatment for Antisocial Personality Disorder: A component driven approach.* Poster session presented at the annual Philadelphia Area Psi Chi Psychology Research Conference, Philadelphia, PA. (Awarded 1<sup>st</sup> place in clinical research category)



*Forensic Telepractice: Looking Beyond COVID-19*, November 15, 2021  
Law and Psychiatry Seminar Series, University of Massachusetts Medical School

*How to Reach the Restricted: Treating Incarcerated Persons and Forensic Mental Health Patients in Seclusion from an Ethical and Empirical Standpoint*, April 22, 2021  
Co-presenter: Robert D. Morgan, Ph.D.  
American Psychology-Law Society, Corrections Committee Sponsored Program

*Is Online Therapy as Effective as In-Person Therapy?* with Dr. Ashley Batastini, February 17, 2021  
The Beyond Addiction Show with Dr. Josh King Podcast

*Stepping Up, Stepping Out: A Mental Health Treatment Program for Inmates in Restrictive Housing*, August 13, 2020,  
Idaho Department of Corrections

*Forensic Evaluations in the Age of Social Media*, March 4, 2020  
Co-presenter: Michael J. Vitacco, Ph.D., ABPP  
American Psychology-Law Society Pre-Conference Workshop, New Orleans, LA

*Applications of Technology in Forensic Mental Health Assessments*, October 10, 2019  
Grand Rounds, Augusta University, GA

*Telemental Health in Corrections*, July 25, 2019  
Bureau of Justice Assistance's Comprehensive Opioid Abuse Program Webinar Series  
Presented by the University of Nevada, Reno

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## TEACHING

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### GRADUATE-LEVEL COURSES

Advanced Practicum in Counseling Psychology (Instructor)  
Practicum II in Counseling Psychology (Instructor)  
Adult Cognitive Abilities and Assessment (Instructor)  
Objective Personality Assessment (Instructor)

### UNDERGRADUATE-LEVEL COURSES

Senior Seminar for Psychology Majors/Capstone (Instructor)  
Introduction to Psychology/General Psychology (Instructor)  
Forensic Psychology (Instructor)  
Research Methods (Laboratory Instructor)  
Abnormal Psychology (Laboratory Instructor)

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## APPLIED CLINICAL POSITIONS

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2017 – present	<p><b>Licensed Psychologist in Independent Practice</b> <i>Batastini Forensic Psychological Services, Inc.</i> Conduct court-ordered forensic mental health evaluations (i.e., violence risk, mental state at the time of offense, and competency to stand trial).</p>
2014 – 2015	<p><b>Pre-Doctoral Psychology Intern</b> <i>Western State Hospital and the Special Commitment Center, Lakewood, WA.</i> Conducted court-ordered forensic mental health evaluations (i.e., competency to stand trial, mental state, violence and sexual risk) and inpatient psychological evaluations (i.e., psychodiagnostic and treatment needs), provided psychotherapy to NGRI acquittees and civilly detained sexual offenders, and supervised a doctoral-level student therapist conducting individual and group therapy in an inpatient forensic psychiatric setting.</p>
2013 – 2014	<p><b>Forensic Mental Health Evaluator Trainee</b></p>

*Independent Forensic Mental Health Practice of Robert D. Morgan, Ph.D., Lubbock, TX.*  
Conducted court-ordered forensic mental health evaluations (i.e., violence risk, mental state, and competency to stand trial).

2012 – 2014	<b>Psychotherapist and Evaluator in Training</b> <i>Lubbock-Crosby County Community Supervision and Corrections Department and Court Residential Treatment Center, Lubbock, TX.</i> Provided cognitive-behavioral based, interpersonal process-oriented group psychotherapy for offenders with mental illness and conducted court-ordered and community supervision officer requested psychological evaluations (i.e., psycho-diagnostic and/or violence risk).
August 2012 – December 2012	<b>Psychotherapist and Intake Clinician in Training</b> <i>Texas Tech University Student Counseling Center, Lubbock, TX.</i> Conducted client screenings and intake assessments and provided short-term individual psychotherapy.
June 2012 – December 2012	<b>Psychotherapist and Evaluator in Training</b> <i>Lubbock Regional StarCare Specialty Health System (formerly MHMR), Lubbock, TX.</i> Conducted psycho-diagnostic, cognitive/intellectual functioning, and competency to stand trial evaluations, provided short-term inpatient psychotherapy, crisis intervention, individual and group competency restoration services, and group psychotherapy with inmates at the county detention center.
August 2006 – December 2006	<b>Psychology Intern</b> <i>Pennsylvania State Correctional Institution, La Belle, PA.</i> Co-facilitated psychotherapy groups for sexual offenders, domestic violence perpetrators, and inmates with severe mental illness, and assisted in developing individualized treatment plans.
2005 – 2008	<b>Addictions Counselor I</b> <i>Caron Treatment Centers, Wernersville, PA.</i> Monitored patients' behavior and treatment response, facilitated open forum group discussions and didactic lectures, and assisted in distribution of medications.

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#### PROFESSIONAL SERVICE POSITIONS AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

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2022 – 2023	Chair of the American Psychology-Law Society Corrections Committee
2021 – 2024	President-Elect, President, Past-President of APA Division 18 (Psychologists in Public Service)
2021 – 2024	Co-Chair of the American Psychology-Law Society Telepsychology Task Force
2021 – 2023	Marketing Committee Member, 5 <sup>th</sup> North American Correctional and Criminal Justice
2021 – 2022	Psychology Conference
	Co-Chair of the American Psychology-Law Society Corrections Committee
2021	Guest Editor: Special issue on International Perspectives on Emerging Technologies in Forensic Mental Health, <i>Criminal Justice &amp; Behavior</i>
2020	Guest Editor: Special issue on Developing Resilience in Response to Stress and Trauma, <i>Psychological Services</i>
2019 – present	Editorial Board Member, <i>Law and Human Behavior</i>
2019 – 2021	Chair, APA Division 18 (Psychologists in Public Service) Criminal Justice Section
2019 – present	Book editor, <i>Criminal Justice and Behavior</i>
2019 – present	Member of the American Psychology-Law Society Corrections Committee
2018 – present	Member of the Mississippi Mental Health Task Force Sub-Committee on Courts and Jails, Office of the Attorney General of Mississippi
2018 – present	Editorial Board Member, <i>Criminal Justice and Behavior</i>
2017 – present	Editorial Board Member, <i>Psychological Services</i>
2017 – 2019	APA Division 18 Criminal Justice Section Secretary/Treasurer
2016 - 2019	Conference proposal reviewer, American Psychology-Law Society (APA Division 41)
2016	Awards reviewer, Psychologists in Public Service (APA Division 18)
2015 – 2020	Undergraduate Academic Advisor, University of Southern Mississippi
2013 – 2014	Student Editorial Board, <i>Law and Human Behavior</i>

2013 – 2014	Laboratory Manager, Texas Tech University
2011 – 2014	American Psychology-Law Society (APA Division 41) Student Campus Representative, Texas Tech University
2012 – 2013	Graduate Student Advisory Council, Academic and Professional Development Commission Chair, Texas Tech University
2012 – 2013	Psychology Department Student Advisory Council, Texas Tech University
2012 – 2018	Ad hoc reviewer, <i>Criminal Justice and Behavior</i>
2006 – 2007	President of Psi Chi National Honor Society in Psychology, University of Pittsburgh

Ad Hoc Reviewer	<i>American Psychologist, Behavioral Sciences and the Law, Psychological Services, Criminal Justice &amp; Behavior, Clinical Psychology Review, Law and Human Behavior, International Journal of Forensic Mental Health, Community Mental Health Journal, Journal of Forensic Psychology: Research and Practice, Children and Youth Services Review, Teaching of Psychology, European Journal of Psychotraumatology</i>
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#### AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

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2019	Psychologists in Public Service (APA Division 18) Early Career Achievement Award
2018	Psychologists in Public Service (APA Division 18) Criminal Justice Section Early Career Achievement Award
2018	University of Southern Mississippi Innovation Award in Basic Research Nominee (selected by college dean)
2015	Psychologists in Public Service (APA Division 18) Criminal Justice Section Outstanding Student Award
2015	Psychologists in Public Service (APA Division 18) Outstanding Student Award Distinguished Mention, Amount: \$250
2015	Outstanding Student Research Award in Counseling Psychology, awarded by the Texas Tech University Counseling Psychology Faculty, Amount: \$150
2014	American Psychology-Law Society (APA Division 41) Student Travel Award, presented at the annual meeting of the American Psychology-Law Society, Amount: \$500
2013	Sharon Shoemaker Scholarship, awarded by the Texas Tech University Counseling Psychology Division, Amount: \$1,000
2010 – 2012	Graduate Scholarship, awarded by the Texas Tech University Department of Psychology, Amount: \$1,000 annually

#### PROFESSIONAL LICENSES, CERTIFICATIONS, AND MEMBERSHIPS

Civil Commitment Examiner Certification, State of Mississippi, 2018

Licensed Psychologist, State of Mississippi (#57 1006), 2017

American Psychological Association (APA)

Society of Counseling Psychology, Division 17

Psychologists in Public Service, Division 18

American Psychology-Law Society, Division 41