

2024 Presentations

Adair, R. & Seitz, H. H. (2024, April). *Using diffusion of innovation theory attributes to predict intention to click, try, and share HappyHealthy physical activity posts on Facebook*. [Poster Presentation]. 2024 Spring Undergraduate Research Symposium. Mississippi State University.

Anreddy, S., & Bandi, A. (2024, October). *Enhancing access to information and referral services using AI-assisted chatbots for older adults in artificial intelligence and predictive modeling sessions*. [Conference Presentation]. American Public Health Association Annual Meeting. Minneapolis, MN.

Anreddy, S., Sergi, K., McMillen, R., Stouffer, C., & Valentine, N. (2024, March). *TRAPS: A visual analytics system for public health surveillance*. [Presentation]. 16th International Conference on Bioinformatics and Computational Biology. New Orleans, LA.

Anreddy, S., & Stouffer, C. (2024, October). *TRAPS: A health informatics system for monitoring and evaluating public health programs in roadmap to social determinants of health*. [Conference presentation]. American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN.

Anreddy, S., Stouffer, C., & McClelland, E. (2024, March). *Increasing program capacity through data dashboards*. [Presentation]. Approaching the Fifth Year: Showcasing and Synthesizing Our Progress CDC-RFA-DP202001 Awardee Meeting. Atlanta, GA.

Anreddy, S., Stouffer, C., & McClelland, E. (2024, October). *TRAPS: tobacco reporting and progress system*. American Evaluation and Association. [Conference presentation]. AEA 2024. Portland, OR.

Ardell, A., Walker, N., Goode, G.S., Laing, K., Killen, T., Wells, S.D., MacGillivray, L., Curwen, M., & **Brenner, D.** (2024, December). *Imagination as pedagogical necessity: Exploring policy, after-school literacy spaces, and preservice teacher education* [Symposium]. Literacy Research Association, Atlanta, GA.

Bradford, A., **Ragsdale, K.**, Mudege, N.M., **Read-Wahidi, M.R.**, Muzungaire, L., Kakwasha, K., **Burdine, M., & Howard, D.** (2024, April). *Exploring ComFA+Fish results: a nutrient analysis of kapenta dried fish powder and taste-test results from*

three ComFA+Fish sensory panels in rural Zambia. [Poster presentation/public health research area]. 2024 Spring Undergraduate Research Symposium. Mississippi State University.

Brenner, D., Eppley, K., Lammert, C. & Panos, A. (2024, December). Making “good trouble” for rural literacy research to promote spatial and educational equity [Alternate format session]. Literacy Research Association, Atlanta, GA.

Brenner, D., Permenter, P., Pratt, A., & McCabe-Juhnke, T. (2024, March). *Why rural matters in Mississippi*. [Panel presentation]. PREPS Virtual Conference.

Brown, D. C., Walker, B. H., & Chiu, C.-T. (2024, April 17-20). *Recent urban-rural trends in disability-free life expectancy among older U.S. adults* [Paper presentation]. Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Columbus, OH.

Burdine, M., Ragsdale, K., Tolar-Peterson, T., Mudege, N., & Muzungaire, L. (2024, September). *Scaling ComFA+Fish: Insights from research in Zambia*. [Invited Speaker]. Itawamba Community College Diversity Club, Fulton, MS.

Burdine, M., Ragsdale, K., Tolar-Peterson, T. Mudege, N.N., **Read-Wahidi, M.R.**, & Muzungaire, L. (2024, October). *Can a locally source dried fish powder tackle nutritional gaps among vulnerable infants and young children in Zambia?: nutrient analysis and sensory panel results for complementary food for Africa+Dried fish powder (ComFA+Fish)*. [Oral Presentation]. 2024 Graduate Research Symposium, Mississippi State University.

Cole, A. B., **Seitz, H. H.**, & Byrd, S. H. (2024, May). *campaign awareness and effect of social marketing campaign on fruit and vegetable consumption in SNAP-eligible adults* [Oral Presentation]. North American Social Marketing Conference, Clearwater, FL.

Cross, C., **Brenner, D.** & Rivera, S. (2024, April). *Benefits of faculty participation in a research collaborative for rural STEM EPP*. [Paper presentation]. American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting. Philadelphia, PA.

Dembo, R., **Gardner, S.K., Robertson, A.A.**, Wareham, J., & Schmeidler, J. (2024, November 13-16). *Recidivism risk factors among Mississippi justice-involved youth*:

latent class analysis of the SAVRY. American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

Dembo, R., **Gardner, S.K., Robertson, A.A.**, Wareham, J., and Schmeidler, J. (2024, November). *Two level, confirmatory factor analysis of the SAVRY individual/clinical risk measure across Mississippi juvenile courts*. American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

Eppley, K. & **Brenner, D.** (2024, November) *Why rural matters 2023: An overview with implications for Minnesota*. [Presentation]. Minnesota Rural Education Association. Brainerd, MN.

Gaither, M., Brenner, R., Long, L., & Sergi, K. (2024, July). *Empowering early childhood professionals and families through case-based learning in the echo tele-mentoring model*. [Presentation]. 2024 Mississippi Early Childhood Education Conference. Natchez, MS.

Long, L. & Brenner, R. (2024, October). *Project ECHO for early childhood professionals - what have we learned?*. [Presentation]. Mississippi Early Childhood Association Annual Conference. Pearl, MS.

Long, L., Gaither, M., Brenner, R., & Sergi, K. (2024, June). *Project ECHO, moving knowledge, not people: a virtual network for MS families and early childhood professionals*. [Presentation]. 2024 Mississippi Early Childhood Education Conference. Natchez, MS.

Gardner, S., Baird-Thomas, C., & Sergi, K. (2024, February). *Mapping the referral process for mental health supports in Mississippi Achievement School District (MASD)*. [Presentation]. Project AWARE in Mississippi (AIM), Partner Hub Meeting.

Gardner, S.K., & Nelson, S.L. (2024, November). *Preliminary findings from a pilot study of juvenile court intake decisions*. [Conference presentation]. American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

Gardner, S. K., Robertson, A. A., & Nelson, S.L. (2024, November). *Preliminary findings from a pilot study of juvenile court intake decisions*. [Conference presentation]. American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA.

Gardner, S., Sergi, K., & Robertson, M. (2024, August). *Project AWARE: A multi-tiered system of support for school mental health in Mississippi*. [Conference Presentation]. Active Minds Mental Health Conference, Washington D.C.

Gaddis, S., **Etheredge, L., Stubbs-Richardson, M.**, Palocsik, O., & **May, D.** (2024, September). *I always feel like somebody's watching me: Examining police officer perceptions of body cam use in Law Enforcement*. [Conference Presentation]. Southern Criminal Justice Association Conference, Greenville, SC.

Hanna, H. (2024, September). *Market rate survey follow-up*. [Presentation]. Mississippi Department of Health's Division of Early Childhood Care and Development Public Information Session.

Hanna, H. (2024, July). *State approaches to address the Mississippi early childhood education workforce crisis*. [Conference presentation]. Southern Legislative Conference. White Sulphur Springs, WV.

Hanna, H. & Poole, C. (2024, October). *Systems change*. [Presentation]. MSU College of Education Meridian Campus Course: Applications of Systems Change in Educational Design and Related Fields. Starkville, MS.

Harmon, K., Sbravati, C., & Anreddy, S. (2024, July). *TRAPS - A Visual analytic tool for public health surveillance*. [Poster Abstract]. MAS-MSU 6th Annual Summer Science and Engineering Symposium, Starkville, MS.

Hemphill, T.V., Ahonle, Z., Anreddy, S., Stubbs-Richardson, M., & Pennington, E. (2024, October). *Amplifying and empowering the voices of older adults and caregivers through focus groups*. [Poster Presentation]. American Evaluation Association, Portland, OR.

Hicks, C., **Robertson, A. A.**, Tomassini, R., & Vincent, G. (2024, September). *Data practices to improve the juvenile justice system: promising horizons and practical considerations*. [Panelist]. 2024 National Research Conference Advancing Justice Through Science. Pittsburgh, PA.

Howard, D., Ragsdale, K., Mudege, N.M., **Read-Wahidi, M.R.**, Muzungaire, L., Kakwasha, K., **Burdine, M.**, & **Bradford, A.** (2024, April). *ComFA+Fish: A FishFirst! Zambia innovation to address childhood malnutrition in zambia and beyond*.

[Poster Presentation/Public Health Research Area]. 2024 Spring Undergraduate Research Symposium. Mississippi State University.

Howard, D., Ragsdale, K., Read-Wahidi, M.R., Burdine, M., & Bradford, A. (2024, April). *ComFA+Fish: A FishFirst! Zambia Innovation to Address Childhood Malnutrition in Zambia and Beyond*. [Oral Presentation/3Minutes Research Pitch]. 2024 Spring Undergraduate Research Symposium. Mississippi State University.

Kolbila, R., Ragsdale, K., Read-Wahidi, M., & Clark, K. (2024, April). *What does agricultural mechanization equipment in the hands of women's cooperatives mean? evidence from Ghana*. [Oral Presentation]. Southern Sociological Society Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Lim, C. S., Sarver, D. E., **Brown, D. C.**, McCulloh, R., Malloch, L., Gissandaner, T. D., & Annett, R. D. (2024, April 25-27). *Caregiver willingness to participate in pediatric clinical research during COVID-19*. [Poster presentation]. Society of Pediatric Psychology Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.

McMillen, R. (2024, August). *The health and economic burden of tobacco on Mississippi*. MS Lung Cancer Roundtable Tobacco Prevention Workgroup, American Cancer Society.

McMillen, R. (2024, September). *Transforming data into reality: How to Navigate MSTOBACCODATA.org for youth discussions*. [Presentation]. Mississippi Tobacco-Free Coalition 1st Quarterly Training.

McMillen, R. (2024, June). Mississippi delta scholars program at Harvard, healthy population [Panelist]. Mississippi State University.

McMillen, R. (2024). *The social climate of tobacco control: Child's doctor counseling to parents*. [Presentation]. MSU Department of Psychology Clinical Brown Bag.

McMillen, R., Johnson, T., McClelland, E., Huell, M., Stouffer, C., Burdine, M., Sergi, K., & Anreddy, S. (2024). *Reducing the burden of tobacco in Mississippi over the past 25 years*. [Conference Presentation]. 2024 Advancing Mississippi Conference. Jackson, MS.

Nelson, S. L., May, D. C., & Hardwick, C. (2024, April 9). [Workshop]. Cardiff University Security, Crime, and Intelligence Innovation Institute (SCII) in Cardiff, Wales, UK.

Outlaw, D., Legleiter, E., Adams, P., Whitfield, J., & **Brenner, D.** (2024, November). *How rural-serving tpps shape rural experiences for preservice teachers.* [Conference Presentation]. National Rural Education Association. Savannah, GA.

Outlaw, D., Whitfield, J. & **Brenner, D.** (2024, April). *Validating a survey to explore teacher candidates' intention to teach in a rural school.* [Presentation]. American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting. Philadelphia, PA.

Palocsik, O., **May, D.C., & Stubbs-Richardson, M.,** (2024, April). *I always feel like somebody's watching me: Examining the video surveillance among police departments in Mississippi.* [Presentation]. 2024 Spring Undergraduate Research Symposium. Mississippi State University.

Poole, C. (2024, August). How well is Mississippi's early childhood system working?. [Presentation]. Mississippi Forum for the Future State of Babies.

Ragsdale, K., Mudege, N., & **Read-Wahidi, M.R.** (2024, February). *Adapting the WEAL into the Women's Empowerment in Fisheries Index (WEFI): Focusing a gender lens on fisher families in Zambia.* [Invited Oral Presentation]. 2023-2024 Speaker Series: Adapting the WEAL across Innovation Labs: Pro-WEAL to WEFI, WELI, and Beyond. Gender Affinity Group Community of Practice, USAID Feed the Future Innovation Labs.

Ragsdale, K., Tolar-Peterson, T., Mudege, N., Banda, S., Muzungaire, L., **Burdine, M., & Roman, K.** (2024, August). *Scaling ComFA+Fish for Zambia: Fish 4 human nutrition plus wash training.* scaling ComFA+Fish for rural Zambia workshop and sensory panels. [Workshop]. USAID Feed the Future Innovation Lab for Fish. Siavonga, Zambia.

Ragsdale, K., Tolar-Peterson, T. Mudege, N.N., **Burdine, M., Bowen, J., & Roman, K.** (2024). *Evaluating a food safety/WASH curriculum targeting low-literate fishers/processors in Zambia to inform two open-access courses.* [Presentation]. 2025 Society for Public Health Education (SOPHE) Annual Conference. Long Beach, CA.

Ragsdale, K., Tolar-Peterson, T. Mudege, N., Muzungaire, L., Banda, S., **Burdine, M., Roman, K., Bowen, J. & A. Bradford.** (2024, August). *Scaling ComFA+Fish for rural Zambia*. [Virtual presentation]. Feed the Future Innovation Lab for Fish 2024 Annual Meeting.

Sergi, K., Stubbs-Richardson, M., & Myburgh, B. (2024, July). *AI in humanities and social science research*. [Presentation]. First Southern Spark Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Jackson, MS.

Steggerda, J. C., Annett, R. D., **Brown, D. C.,** Lim, C. S., Malloch, L., & Sarver, D. E. (2024, April 25-27). *Assessing parents' attitudes toward genetic testing: Differences based on child premature birth*. [Poster presentation]. Society for Pediatric Psychology (Division 54) Annual Conference, New Orleans, LA.

Valentine, N., (2024, May). Mississippi Lift Early Childhood Convening. [Presentation]. Tupelo, MS.

Tolar-Peterson, T., **Ragsdale, K.,** Mudege, N., Banda, S., Muzungaire, L., **Burdine, M., & Roman, K.** (2024, August). *Scaling ComFA+Fish for Zambia: Fish processing, food safety, and WASH training*. [Workshop]. Scaling ComFA+Fish for Rural Zambia Workshop and Sensory Panels, USAID Feed the Future Innovation Lab for Fish. Siavonga, Zambia.

Rico Mendez, Gina. (2024, September). *Fish Innovation Lab: Driving local solutions for sustainable aquatic foods*. [Presentation]. Annual Feed the Future Innovation Labs Council Meeting. Washington, D.C.

Robertson, A.A., Dembo, R., **Gardner, S.K., & Haynes, S.** (2024, November). *A multi-level analysis of juvenile court case handling decisions at intake: Findings from a rural state*. [Presentation]. American Society of Criminology. San Francisco, CA.

Robertson, A. A., & Gardner, S. (2024, September). *Research on juvenile court intake practices and reoffending*. [Oral presentation]. 2024 Mississippi Youth Court Judges & Referees Seminar, Flowood, MS.

Seitz, H. H. & Settle, Q. (2024, November). *Effects of media form on humanization of scientists*. [Paper presentation]. National Communication Association 110th Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA.

Sergi, K., Gardner, S., & Baird-Thomas, C. (2024, January). *Student screening data for risk behaviors - Fall 2023*. [Virtual Presentation]. Project AWARE partners and Mississippi Achievement School District Superintendent.

Stouffer, C. & Anreddy, S. (2024, June). The Office of Tobacco Control Coalition quarterly meeting of stakeholders, fiscal agents, and directors. [Presentation]. Mississippi Hall of Fame Museum. Jackson, MS.

Stouffer C., & Anreddy, S. (2024, August). MSU evaluator conducted a virtual two-hour training on the TRAPS (Tobacco Reporting and Progress System) data reporting system. [Presentation]. Office of Tobacco Control Systems Change.

Stouffer, C. & McClelland, E. (2024, September). *School nurse survey results & pre/post-test best practices*. [Virtual Presentation]. Mississippi Tobacco Free Coalition quarterly meeting.

Stubbs-Richardson, M. (2024, May). *Coping with COVID-19: an analysis of emotions expressed from COPE-ID and an introduction to its data visualization tool*. [Virtual Presentation]. Center for Resilient and Sustainable Communities (C-RASC). Lunch & Learn Series. George Mason University.

Stubbs-Richardson, M. & Brown, L.E. (2024, February). Technology facilitated sexual violence. [Presentation]. Mississippi Rape Crisis Centers for the Mississippi Coalition Against Sexual Violence.

Stubbs-Richardson, M., & Brown, L.E. (2024, January). *Bullying, cyberbullying, and what WE can do about it*. [Presentation]. Clinical Brown Bag Seminar Series for the Clinical Psychology Program, Mississippi State University.

Stubbs-Richardson, M., Brenner, D., & Sergi, K. (2024, August). AI Tools for Supporting Education Research. [Virtual presentation]. The Institute for Advancing Computing Education.

Stubbs-Richardson, M., Brown, L., Earley, E., Nelson, S., & Hernandez, T. (2024, April) *Identity salience, social institutions, and emotions expressed about the COVID-19 pandemic on Twitter*. [Presentation]. Southern Sociological Society, New Orleans, LA.

Stubbs-Richardson, M., & Sergi, K. (2024, October). *Workshop on useful AI tools*. [Presentation]. MSU Libraries' First Generative AI Day, Starkville, MS.

Tate, A. & **Seitz, H. H.** (2024, April). *Vaccine Education for Older Adults in Rural Areas*. [Presentation]. 2024 Spring Undergraduate Research Symposium. Mississippi State University.

Valentine, N., (2024, June). Mississippi Lift Early Childhood Convening. [Virtual Presentation].

Valentine, N., (2024, July). Mississippi Lift Early Childhood Convening. [Virtual Presentation].

Valentine, N., (2024). *Mississippi Lift Preschool Development Grant Birth to Five Strategic Plan*. [Presentation]. MS Lift Summit, Oxford, MS.

Valentine, N., Bell, L., & Hanna, H. (2024). *Mississippi Lift Preschool Development Grant Birth to Five*. [Presentation]. MS Lift Summit, Hattiesburg, MS.