# ALLYSON MARIE BLACKBURN

Curriculum Vitae – August 2020

### **WORK**

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## **EDUCATION**

2019- University of Illinois in Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, IL 61820

Degree: Doctor in Philosophy

Clinical & Community Psychology (anticipated)

Advisor: Nicole Allen, Ph.D.

2013-2017 **Tufts University**, Medford, MA, 02144

Degree: Bachelor of Arts, Summa Cum Laude

Major: Clinical Psychology GPA: 3.88, Major GPA: 3.93

Honors Thesis: Barriers to Care for Latinos and Non-Latinos Seeking Treatment for

Posttraumatic Stress Disorder Committee Chair: Lisa Shin, Ph.D. Thesis Advisor: Luana Marques, Ph.D. Syragusa University in Florence, Ital

Fall 2015 Syracuse University in Florence, Italy

Studio Art Intensive, GPA: 4.0

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

2019	Psychology Alumni Board Graduate Student Travel and Research Award (UIUC)
2018	Partners in Excellence Award, Leadership and Innovation (Massachusetts General Hospital)
2017	Summa Cum Laude, highest distinction (Tufts University)
2017	Senior Thesis Honors (Tufts University)
2017	Phi Beta Kappa, Delta Chapter (Tufts University)
2016	Psi Chi (Tufts University)
2013-2017	Dean's List (Tufts University)

#### **GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

2020	Student COVID-19 Grant International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS)
	Project Title: Using social network analysis to understand the impact of isolation during
	COVID-19 on survivors of sexual assault. Submitted, unfunded
2016	Non-Profit Internship Grant Tufts Career Services. \$3,500
2015	Merit Scholarship and Tuition Grant. Syracuse University in Florence, Italy. \$5,400
2013	Rockefeller Scholarship, Union Church of Pocantico Hills. \$5,000

#### PEER-REVIEWED MANUSCRIPTS

Goetter, E. M., **Blackburn, A. M.,** Stasko, C., Han, Y., Brenner, L. H., LeJeune, S., Tanev, K., & Spencer, T. J., & Wright, E. C. (Accepted). Comparative effectiveness of prolonged exposure and cognitive processing therapy for military service members in an intensive treatment program. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*. DOI: 10.1037/tra0000956

- Ohye, B., Moore, C., Charney, M., Laifer, L.M., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Bui, E., & Simon, N.M., (2020) Intensive outpatient treatment of PTSD and complicated grief in suicide-bereaved military widows, *Death Studies*, doi: 10.1080/07481187.2020.1740832
- Sylvia, L., West, E., **Blackburn, A. M.,** Gupta, C.T., Bui, E., & Spencer, T.J. (2020). Acceptability of an adjunct equine immersion program for veterans with posttraumatic stress disorder and traumatic brain injury. *Journal of Integrative Medicine*. doi: 10.1016/j.joim.2020.01.005
- Goetter, E. M., **Blackburn, A. M.,** Bui, E., Laifer, L.M, Simon, N. M. (2019). Veterans' prospective attitudes about mental health treatment using telehealth. *Journal of Psychosocial Nursing and Mental Health Services*. *57* (9), 38-43. doi: 10.3928/02793695-20190531-02
- Laifer, L. M., **Blackburn, A. M.,** Goetter, E. M., Ohye, B. Y., Simon, N. M., & Bui, E. (2019). Potential Mediating Role of Parenting Competence in the Relationship Between Posttraumatic Stress Disorder and Family Functioning Post-9/11 Veteran Parents. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, 1-7. doi: 10.1007/s10826-019-01405-9
- Bui, E., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Brenner, L., Laifer, L., Park, E. R., Fricchione, G., & Sylvia, L. (2018). Military and veteran caregivers' perspectives of stressors and a mind-body program. *Issues in Mental Health Nursing*. 1-8. doi: 10.1080/01612840.2018.1485796

### **MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW**

- Garthe, R., Kaur, A., Rieger, A., **Blackburn, A. M.,** Kim, S., Goffnet, J. (Invited Resubmission). Peer and dating violence victimization experiences of cisgender, transgender, and gender expansive adolescents.
- Rieger, A., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Bystrynski, J., & Allen, N.E., (Under Review). Gender-based violence and COVID-19 in the United States: Framework and policy recommendations.
- Bui, E., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Brenner, L.H., Laifer, L.M. Park, E., Denninger, J.W. Spencer, T.J., Fricchione, G., & Sylvia, L.G. (Under Review). A novel mind-body podcast intervention for military caregivers.
- Goetter, E.M., Tanev, K., S., Lynch, E., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Mamon, D., Pique, T. & Spencer. T., (Under Review). An accelerated, weekend-based, treatment program for post-9/11 veterans and service members with posttraumatic stress disorder.

### **BOOK CHAPTERS – EDITORIAL REVIEW ONLY**

- **Blackburn A.M.,** Goetter E.M. (2020) Treatment of anxiety disorders in the digital age. In: Bui E., Charney M., Baker A. (eds). Clinical Handbook of Anxiety Disorders. Current Clinical Psychiatry. Humana, Cham
- Goetter, E. M. & **Blackburn, A. M.** (2019). Mental health treatment disparities in racial and ethnic minority military service members and veterans. In M.T. Williams, D. C. Rosen, & J. W. Kanter (Eds.), *Eliminating Race-Based* Mental Health Disparities: Promoting Equity and Culturally Responsive Care Across Settings. Oakland, CA: New Harbinger Books. ISBN: 978-1-68403-196-2

### MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION FOR SUBMISSION

Tanev, K Lynch, E., **Blackburn, A.M,** Terry, D., Goetter, E., Brenner, L., Iverson, G., Wright, E., & Spencer, T. (In Preparation). Improvement in hyperarousal and mood symptoms as a predictor of sleep improvement in a two-week intensive outpatient program of Veterans with PTSD.

## SYMPOSIA, PANELS, CONFERENCE, AND INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- Adnari, O.\*, McWhirter, C., Black, S., Allen, N.E., **Blackburn, A.M.,** & Rieger, A. (2020, July). *Sexual assault set-aside program and rape prevention education in Illinois*. Presentation given at the Illinois Department of Public Health's Prevention Health and Health Services Block Grant Virtual Public Meeting, Springfield, IL.
- Allen, N.E., \* Rieger, A., \* & **Blackburn, A.M.\*** (2020, January). *Moving forward with prevention and evaluation: A workshop*. Workshop presented at the Illinois Coalition Against Sexual Assault Prevention Conference, Oak Brook, IL.
- Rieger, A.\*, **Blackburn, A. M.\***, & Allen, N. E. (2019, October). When problem definitions change: A growing conversation on a new sexual violence prevention evaluation project. Village Discussion Session presented the Midwestern ECO Conference, Lisle, IL.
- Wright, E.\*, Goetter, E., **Blackburn, A.M.**, Brenner, L., Makhija- Graham, N., Lejeune, S., Tanev, K., Spencer, T., (2019, November). Comparative effectiveness of prolonged exposure and cognitive processing therapy for post-9/11 veterans delivered in an intensive, accelerated treatment format. In P. Held (Chair), Improving PTSD Treatment Access and Retention: Insights and Outcomes from the First 3 Years of the Warrior Care Network's Intensive PTSD Treatment Programs. Symposia accepted to the 53nd Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Atlanta, G.A.
- Goetter, E.M.\*, **Blackburn, A.M.,** Wright, E., Makhija-Graham, N., Brenner, L., Petersen, T., Lejeune, S., Tanev, K., Spencer, T., (2019, March). Comparative effectiveness of prolonged exposure and cognitive processing therapy for post-9/11 veterans delivered in an intensive, accelerated treatment format. In P. Held (Chair), Improving PTSD Treatment Access and Retention: Insights and Outcomes from the First 3 Years of the Warrior Care Network's Intensive PTSD Treatment Programs. Symposium accepted the 39th Annual Meeting of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America, Chicago, IL.

## **POSTER PRESENTATIONS**

- **Blackburn, A.M.,** Rieger, A., Bystrynski, J., & Allen, N.E., (2020, November 19-22). *Sexual assault revictimization among sexual minority individuals: A systematic review and meta-analysis.* [Poster Presentation]. Sexual and Gender Minority Special Interest Group Poster Session at the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies 54th Annual Convention, Philadelphia, PA, United States.
- Rieger, A., Lin, X., Williams, E., **Blackburn, A. M.,** & Allen, N. E. (2020, November 19-22). *Risk factors and target audiences in statewide rape prevention efforts: An archival analysis* [Poster presentation]. Child Maltreatment-Interpersonal Violence Special Interest Group Poster Session at the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies 54th Annual Convention, Philadelphia, PA, United States.
- Rieger, A., Garthe, R. C., **Blackburn, A. M.,** Kim, S., & Allen, N. E. (2020, June). *Health communication: A community and societal-level child maltreatment prevention tool?* Poster session presented at the 2020 Society for Research in Child Development Special Topic Workshop the State of Research on Prevention of Child Maltreatment: Current Knowledge and Future Directions to Inform Policy and Practice, St. Louis, MO.
- **Blackburn, A.M.,** Brenner, L., Moore, C., Spencer, T., & Ohye, B., (2019, November). The presence of intimate partner violence in military widow survivors of suicide: Implications for PTSD and complicated grief outcomes in an intensive treatment program. Poster presented at the 35th Annual Meeting of the International Society of Traumatic Stress Studies, Boston, MA.

<sup>\*</sup>indicates presenting author(s).

- Tanev, K. **Blackburn, A.M,** Brenner, L., Iverson, G., Spencer, T., (2019, November). *PTSD and insomnia in post-9/11 veterans*. Poster presented at the 35th Annual Meeting of the International Society of Traumatic Stress Studies, Boston, MA.
- Gupta, C., Maggiolo, N., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Polak, R., Naidoo, U., & Sylvia, L., (2018, November) *Assessment of an educational culinary nutrition program for veterans with posttraumatic stress disorder and traumatic brain injury.* Poster presented to the 35th Annual Meeting of the International Society of Traumatic Stress Studies, Boston, MA.
- Dotson, H., Shea, M., **Blackburn, A.M.**, West, E., Gupta, C., Iaccarino, A., Wright, E., & Sylvia, L.G. *Integrating fitness into a two-week intensive outpatient program for veterans with posttraumatic stress disorder and/or traumatic brain injury*. Poster presented at the 35th Annual Meeting of the International Society of Traumatic Stress Studies, Boston, MA.
- Dotson, H., Shea, M., West, E., **Blackburn, A.M.** & Sylvia, L., *Challenges using Duke Activity Status Index with a population of veterans with PTSD and/or TBI*. Poster presented at the 35th Annual Meeting of the International Society of Traumatic Stress Studies, Boston, MA
- Goetter, E.M., Tanev, K., Wright, E., LeJeune, S., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Spencer. T., (2019, November). *A weekend-based, accelerated, treatment program for post-9/11 veterans and service members with posttraumatic stress disorder.* Poster presented at 53nd Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Atlanta, G.A.
- **Blackburn, A.M.,** Rieger, A., Bystrynski, J., Allen, N.E. (October 2019). *LGBT students' experiences of interpersonal violence and help seeking behaviors*. Ignite Poster presented the 2019 Society for Community, Research, and Action's Midwestern ECO, Lisle, IL.
- Tanev, K. **Blackburn, A.M,** Lynch, E., & Spencer, T., (2019, October). *Improvement in hyperarousal and mood symptoms as a predictor of sleep improvement in a two-week intensive outpatient program for Veterans with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder*. Poster presented at the 2019 Massachusetts General Hospital Clinical Research Day, Boston, MA.
- **Blackburn, A.M.,** Goetter, E.M., Terry, D., West, E., Wright, E., Lejeune, S., Spencer, T., (2019, March). *Treatment outcomes for sexual and gender minorities in an intensive outpatient program for post-9/11 veterans with posttraumatic stress disorder*. Poster presented at the 39th Annual Meeting of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America, Chicago, IL.
- \* Bui, E., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Laifer, L.M., Brenner, L.H., Sylvia, L.G. (2018, November). *A novel mind-body podcast intervention for military caregivers*. Poster presented and selected for oral presentation at the Osher Center for Integrative Medicine Network Forum at Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA.
- **Blackburn, A. M.,** Brenner, L. H., Laifer, L. Sylvia, L., & Bui, E. (2018, November). *Military and veteran caregiver's perspectives of stressors and a mind-body Program.* Poster presented at the 52nd Annual Convention of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Washington D.C.
- **Blackburn, A. M.,** Goetter, E. M., Bui, E. (2018, November). *Dropout from psychotherapy for PTSD in veterans and active-duty service members exposed to sexual trauma: A systematic review.* Poster presented to the 34th Annual Meeting of the International Society of Traumatic Stress Studies, Washington D.C.
- Gupta, C., Maggiolo, N., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Bui, E., Spencer, T., Sylvia, L., (2018, November) *Feasibility and acceptability of an educational cooking program for veterans with PTSD and TBI*. Poster presented at the Osher Center for Integrative Medicine Network Forum at Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA.

- West, E., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Gupta, C., Spencer, T.J., Bui, E., Sylvia, L.G. (2018, November). Feasibility and acceptability of an adjunct equine immersion program for veterans with posttraumatic stress disorder and traumatic brain injury. Poster presented at the 34th Annual Meeting of the International Society of Traumatic Stress Studies, Washington D.C.
- Bui, E., **Blackburn, A.M.,** Laifer, L.M., Brenner, L.H., Sylvia, L.G. (2018, November). *A novel mind-body podcast intervention for military caregivers*. Poster presented at the 34th Annual Meeting of the International Society of Traumatic Stress Studies, Washington D.C.
- **Blackburn, A. M.**, Brenner, L. H., Spaulding, I., Sylvia, L., & Bui, E. (2018, March) *Qualitative analysis of military and veteran caregiver stressors*. Poster accepted at the 6th Annual Massachusetts General Hospital Public and Community Psychiatry Symposium, Boston, MA.
- Lento, R., **Blackburn, A. M.,** Iverson, G., & Bui, E. (2017, November). *Brief Anger-Aggression Questionnaire (BAAQ): Examination of the psychometric properties and association with functioning in a clinical, military sample.* Poster presented at the 33<sub>rd</sub> Annual Meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, Chicago, IL.
- **Blackburn, A. M.**, Rakhilin, M., Ahles, E. M., & Marques, L. (2017, March). *Differences in barriers to treatment for Latinos and non-Latinos seeking treatment for PTSD*. Poster session presented at the 5th Annual Massachusetts General Hospital Public and Community Psychiatry Symposium, Boston, MA.
- **Blackburn, A. M.,** Borba, C., Ahles, E., Valentine, S., Simon, N. M., Wiltsey-Stirman S., & Marques, L. (2016, October), *Providers' Perspectives of Factors Influencing Implementation of Evidence-Based Treatments in a Community Mental Health Setting: A Qualitative Investigation of the Training-Practice Gap. Poster Session Presented at the 1st Annual MGH Chelsea Research Day, Chelsea, MA.*
- \* Indicates a conference or forum award for poster

### **EDITORAL ACTIVITIES**

2020- Editorial Manager

American Journal of Community Psychology (AJCP)

Editor in Chief: Nicole E. Allen, Ph.D.

#### Ad Hoc Reviewer

- Cyberpsychology, Behavior, and Social Networking
- Military Psychology
- International Journal of Mental Health

#### Co-Reviewer, Ad Hoc:

- Journal of Obsessive-Compulsive and Related Disorders, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Luana Marques)
- Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Elizabeth Goetter)
- Journal of Clinical Psychiatry, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Eric Bui)
- *Motivation and Emotion*, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Elizabeth Goetter)
- Psychiatry Research, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Elizabeth Goetter)
- Psychological Services, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Elizabeth Goetter)
- Journal of Traumatic Stress, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Eric Bui)
- Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Eric Bui)
- Professional Psychology: Research and Practice, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Elizabeth Goetter)
- *Depression and Anxiety*, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Elizabeth Goetter)
- European Journal of Psychotraumatology, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Elizabeth Goetter)
- General Hospital Psychiatry, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Elizabeth Goetter)
- American Journal of Community Psychology, Co-Reviewer (Dr. Rachel Garthe)

### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS), Anxiety and Depression Association of America (ADAA), Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT)

#### **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

August 2020- Counselor

Motivational Interviewing Practicum at Rosecrance, Champaign, IL Supervisor: Catharine Fairbairn, Ph.D./Practicum supervisor

- Provided weekly Motivational Interviewing for clients recovering from substance abuse

or dependence in a 28-day residential program.

2017 -2019 Rape Crisis Counselor

Boston Area Rape Crisis Center (BARCC)

Supervisors: Jesse Moskowitz /Senior Hotline Coordinator, Lyor Dotan, MSW /Bilingual

**Hotline Counselor** 

- Spoke to survivors and their significant others (SO) about their experiences with sexual violence on the 24-Hour BARCC hotline. Made referrals for callers (both at/not at BARCC), provided support on call, helped identify coping mechanisms, did safety planning, lead survivors through mindfulness exercises. Took calls in both English and

Spanish. Attended bi-weekly peer supervision meetings

#### SPECIALIZED CLINICAL TRAINING

Summer 2019 Written Exposure Therapy Workshop

Home Base Training Institute Trainer: Denise Sloan, Ph.D.

Winter 2019 Cognitive Processing Therapy Workshop

Home Base Training Institute

Trainers: Lauren Richards-Donoghue, Ph.D., & Louis Chow, Ph.D.

### **RESEARCH ACTIVITIES**

August 2019 – Present Graduate Research Assistant

Action, Research, & Collaboration Lab

*University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Department of Psychology* 

Supervisor: Nicolle Allen / Associate Head and Director of Graduate Studies. Professor in

Psychology at University of Illinois in Urbana Champaign

1. CE19-1092: Evaluation of Rape Prevention & Education (RPE): Using the Best Available Evidence for Sexual Violence Prevention (PI: Nicole Allen, Ph.D.) Funded

by the Center for Disease Control (CDC), sub-contracted through the Illinois

Department of Public Health (IDPH).

July 2019 – Present <u>Consulting Research Coordinator</u>

Home Base: A Red Sox Foundation and Massachusetts General Hospital Program Supervisors: Thomas Spencer, M.D., Chief Medical Officer at Home Base / Associate

Professor in Psychiatry at Harvard Medical School

May 2017 – June 2019 Clinical Research Coordinator II

Home Base: A Red Sox Foundation and Massachusetts General Hospital Program

Supervisors: Thomas Spencer, M.D., Chief Medical Officer at Home Base / Associate Professor in Psychiatry at Harvard Medical School

- 1. Intensive Clinical Program for PTSD & TBI for MGH Branch of Warrior Care Network (Pis: Naomi Simon, M.D, M.Sc., Thomas Spencer, M.D.). WCN is a funded collaboration between four academic medical centers (Rush, MGH, Emory, and UCLA) focused on enhancing a pre-existing outpatient clinic and growing intensive outpatient clinical program for Veterans and service members with PTSD and TBI.
- 2. Weekend Intensive Outpatient Program for Veterans with PTSD (Pis: Thomas Spencer M.D & Elizabeth Goetter Ph.D.) and Partial Hospitalization program for Veterans with Co-occurring substance use and mental health concerns (Pis: Thomas Spencer, M.D., Elizabeth M. Goetter, Ph.D., and René Lento, Ph.D.).
- 3. A Brief Online Mind-Body Intervention to Reduce Stress and Promote Resilience in Military and Veteran Caregivers. (Pis Eric Bui, M.D., PhD., and Louisa Sylvia, PhD.)
- 4. Intensive Clinical Program for military family members whose loved ones have died by suicide (Pis: Bonnie Ohye, Ph.D., Thomas Spencer, M.D.)
- 5. Propranolol Reactivation Mismatch (PRM) Treatment for PTSD: A Pilot Study (Pis: Roger K. Pitman, M.D. and Kaloyan Tanev, M.D.)
- 6. Biological Responses to Treatment Among Returning Post-9/11 Veterans: A Pilot Study. Cohen's Veterans Bioscience Network (PI: Kaloyan Tanev, M.D.).
- 7. Home Base Training Institute: Disseminating Evidence Based Treatments for PTSD Training community providers across Massachusetts. Massachusetts State Department of Public Health. (P.I. Thomas Spencer, M.D. & Louis Chow, Ph.D.).

### **Grant Preparation Experience**

- 1. Collaborative Songwriting: An Intervention for Veterans and Service Members with PTSD (R61/R33: Promoting Research on Music and Health: Phased Innovation Award for Music interventions) (PI: Louisa Sylvia, Ph.D., & Ronald Hirschberg, M.D, scored, unfunded).
- 2. Comparative Efficacy Trial of Cognitive Processing Therapy vs. Prolonged Exposure Therapy for PTSD in Post-9/11 veterans (PCORI) (PI: Eric Bui, M.D., Ph.D., unfunded).

#### June – October 2018 Clinical Research Coordinator II

The Center for Anxiety and Traumatic Stress Disorders and Complicated Grief Program (CATSD) at Massachusetts General Hospital

Supervisors: Luana Marques, Ph.D./ Director of Research at CATSD/ Associate Professor at Harvard Medical School., Jerrold Rosenbaum, M.D./Chief of Psychiatry, Acting Director of the Center for Anxiety and Traumatic Stress Disorders/ Professor at Harvard Medical School.

1. Enhancing Fear Extinction via Angiotensin Type 1 Receptor Inhibition: A Randomized Controlled Trial in Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PI: Murray Stein, M.D., MPH. Site PIs: Eric Bui, M.D., Ph.D., and Kerry Ressler, M.D., Ph.D.)

## January 2016-May 2017 Research Assistant

Community Psychiatry Program for Research in Implementation and Dissemination of Evidence-Based Treatments (PRIDE) at Massachusetts General Hospital
Supervisor: Luana Marques, PhD / Director, PRIDE / Associate Professor at Harvard Medical School

- 1. Implementation of Cognitive Processing Therapy (CPT) for PTSD in Diverse Communities (NIMH K23 MH096029-01A1, PI: Luana Marques, Ph.D.)
- 2. Implementation of a New Cognitive-Behavioral Program for Young Men at High-Risk for Incarceration (Laura and John Arnold Foundation, PI: Luana Marques, Ph.D., Co-I, Sarah Valentine, Ph.D.)

### May – August 2016

#### Research Assistant

Tufts Interdisciplinary Evaluation Research (TIER)

*Tufts University/Eliot-Pearson Department of Child Study and Human Development:* Supervisors: Danyel Moosmann, Ph.D./ Jana Chaudhuri, Ph.D.

- 1. *Massachusetts Health Families Evaluation (MHFE) Phase 2- Early Childhood* (PI: M. Ann Easterbrooks, Ph.D.).
- 2. United Way's Summer Learning Collaborative (SLC): (PI: Danyel Moosmann, Ph.D.)

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Summer 2014

Head College Coach and Verbal Coach

Let's Get Ready

Supervisor: Carolyn King, BA

- Tutored underserved youth in preparation for the verbal portion of the SAT and helped them prepare their common application essays.
- Designed lesson plans for essay writing classes. Supervised other tutors as they assisted rising seniors in high school in giving feedback about their college essays and coordinated with tutors and parents to schedule and supervise visits to college campuses.

## **UNIVERSITY SERVICE, COMMITTEES, AND GROUPS**

2014 - 2016

Student Co-Chair of Resource Working Group

President's Task Force for Sexual Misconduct Prevention and Education *Tufts University* 

- Successfully advocated on behalf of peers for better resources for survivors of sexual violence on campus (more education for students, faculty, and administrators about sexual violence)
- Interviewed candidates for the positions of Sexual Misconduct Resource Specialist and the Sexual Misconduct Education and Prevention Specialist, assisted in designing the position and the responsibilities of the Sexual Misconduct Resource Specialist, advised the sexual misconduct resource specialist
- Worked with Tufts Police Department to coordinate with local hospitals when survivors of sexual violence need immediate access to medical care.

### **REFERENCES**

#### Nicole E. Allen, Ph.D.

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### Luana Marques, Ph.D.

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Harvard Medical School

Director: Center for Anxiety and Traumatic

Stress Disorders

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Assistant Professor in Psychiatry

Harvard Medical School

Co-Director: Outpatient Clinic at Home Base
Staff Psychologist: The Center for Anxiety
and Traumatic Stress Disorders (CATSD)

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