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EDUCATION

09/2013 – 05/2017	New York University College of Global Public Health Bachelor of Arts, Global Public Health and Sociology Advisor: Jennifer Jennings, PhD	New York, New York
01/2016	New York University – London “HIV Counseling and Prevention: Psychoeducational Perspectives” Instructor: Perry N. Halkitis, PhD, MS, MPH	London, England
06/2015	Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health Epidemiology and Population Health Summer Institute “Assessing Neighborhoods in Epidemiology”	New York, New York
01/2015 – 05/2015	New York University – Sydney Environmental Health in a Global World Epidemiology for Global Health	Sydney, Australia

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Risk and protective factors associated with HIV and other sexually transmitted infections; violence and victimization; tobacco, alcohol, and other drug use; and mental health burden in sexual minority (e.g., lesbian, gay, bisexual) and gender minority (e.g., transgender, genderqueer) populations, particularly in urban settings worldwide
 - The use of emerging technologies and methods (e.g., smartphone applications, global positioning system [GPS] travel recorders, ecological momentary assessment) to assess the contexts of health behaviors and to deliver health promotion interventions, particularly in sexual and gender minority populations
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RESEARCH EXPERIENCE: Principal Investigator

02/2016 – 08/2016	Feasibility of a Novel Geospatial Methodology to Assess Activity Space Neighborhoods, Social Networks, and Syndemic Dynamics Among Transgender Women in New York City Source: NYU College of Arts and Science Dean’s Undergraduate Research Fund Faculty Mentor: Dustin T. Duncan, ScD
12/2015 – 06/2016	Evaluating Novel Correlates of Sexual Risk Behavior Among Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men Who Use Grindr in London, England Source: NYU College of Arts and Science Dean’s Undergraduate Research Fund Faculty Mentor: Dustin T. Duncan, ScD
04/2015 – 10/2015	Evaluating Social and Spatial Correlates of Substance Use and Sexual Behaviors in Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men Who Use Grindr in New York City Source: NYU College of Arts and Science Dean’s Undergraduate Research Fund Faculty Mentor: Dustin T. Duncan, ScD
02/2015 – 08/2015	Looking? Understanding HIV Risk Attribution and Sexual Risk Behaviors in Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men Who Use Grindr in New York City Source: NYU College of Arts and Science Dean’s Undergraduate Research Fund Faculty Mentor: Dustin T. Duncan, ScD
12/2014 – 06/2015	Evaluating Body Image Dissatisfaction as a Correlate of Sexual Risk Behavior in Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men Who Use Grindr in Atlanta, Georgia Source: NYU College of Arts and Science Dean’s Undergraduate Research Fund Faculty Mentor: Dustin T. Duncan, ScD

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE: Research Assistant

01/2016 – Present

New York University School of Law Center for Human Rights and Global Justice

Robert L. Bernstein Institute for Human Rights

Visiting Scholar: Sara L.M. Davis, PhD

The Center for Human Rights and Global Justice was established to generate substantive, cutting-edge and sophisticated contributions to human rights research and legal scholarship and make original and constructive contributions to on-going policy debates relating to human rights. The current research focuses on the implications of the criminalization of same-sex sexual behaviors, sex work, and illicit drug use on global indicators of HIV service coverage in men who have sex with men, sex workers, and people who inject drugs in United Nations member states.

- Organizing and coding publically data on population size estimates, HIV prevalence, condom use, and HIV testing coverage among sex workers, men who have sex with men, and people who inject drugs and the current legal status of same-sex sexual behavior, sex work, and illicit drug use among 193 United Nations member states
- Conducting statistical analyses to determine significant differences in global indicators of HIV prevalence and HIV service coverage in these three key populations across differences in legal statutes affecting each population
- Co-presenting findings to key personnel at the United Nations Joint Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS), the World Health Organization, and the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis, and Malaria

05/2015 – Present

Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health

Center for the Study of Social Inequalities and Health

Principal Investigator: Mark L. Hatzenbuehler, PhD

The Center for the Study of Social Inequalities and Health is dedicated to producing an understanding of inequalities that divide us and influence our chances for a healthy life. It is dedicated to bringing to light the processes connecting social inequalities and health conditions. Drawing from large population-based studies, this work investigates the impact of structural-level stigma on sexual risk behaviors, substance use, and mental health in sexual minority populations across the lifespan. Recent work has included an experiment examining the psychological consequences of structural and interpersonal stigma among lesbian, gay, and bisexual adults.

- Managing sampling and community-based recruitment efforts and screening to enroll participants in an experimental study of structural and interpersonal stigma and psycho-physiological reactions to stress in a sample of LGB adults
- Creating tables and figures to be used in grant and manuscripts submissions and adding and formatting references to grant and manuscript submissions using EndNote X7

05/2014 – Present

New York University School of Medicine Department of Population Health

Section on Health Choice, Policy, and Evaluation – Spatial Epidemiology Lab

Principal Investigator: Dustin T. Duncan, ScD

The Spatial Epidemiology Lab studies the effects of specific neighborhood characteristics (e.g. neighborhood disorder, air pollution) on health behaviors (e.g., physical activity, condomless sex) and outcomes (e.g. obesity, HIV) with an emphasis on health disparities and vulnerable populations. Recent work has investigated the feasibility of using global positioning system (GPS) devices to assess activity spaces and contextual exposures with regard to cardiovascular health in a sample of low-income housing residents in New York City and with regard to substance use and sexual behaviors in young gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men in New York City. Upcoming work will assess the feasibility of using these GPS methods among Black men who have sex with men in Atlanta, Georgia and Jackson, Mississippi.

- Collaborating with study team to conceptualize study design and grant proposals by maintaining a working knowledge of current literature in minority health and by developing and providing feedback on surveys
- Leading GPS device orientations for participants, programming GPS devices (QStarz BT-Q1000XT) to collect spatial data, downloading and managing spatial data for processing and analysis, and training staff at affiliate organizations to orient participants to GPS devices and protocols

07/2014 – 10/2014

New York University School of Medicine Department of Population Health

Section on Tobacco, Alcohol, and Drug Use

Principal Investigator: Donna Shelley, MD, MPH

The New York University School of Medicine Department of Population Health's Section on Tobacco, Alcohol, and Drug Use focuses on developing innovative approaches to preventing and treating substance use and abuse. This section utilizes evidence-based research in transforming primary care services to integrate screening and treatment of addiction, as well as development population-level strategies to address substance use. Recent work assessed the feasibility of using electronic cigarettes (e-cigarettes) as a harm reduction strategy in traditional cigarette smoking cessation attempts.

- Conducting assessments regarding participants' mental health and current smoking behaviors via REDCap and programming automated text messaging for data collection using Survos
- Administering and interpreting assessments of cotinine levels in saliva (TobacAlert) to evaluate nicotine and tobacco exposure and carbon monoxide levels in exhaled breath (Smokerlyzer) to ascertain current smoking status

05/2014 – 11/2014

New York University College of Global Public Health

Center for Health, Identity, Behavior, and Prevention Studies

Principal Investigator: Perry N. Halkitis, PhD, MS, MPH

The Center for Health, Identity, Behavior, and Prevention Studies is a leading HIV, substance use, and mental health behavioral research center that is focusing on the well-being of all populations, including sexual, racial, ethnic, and cultural minorities and other marginalized populations. Recent work has assessed neurocognitive changes in a sample of ageing HIV-seropositive adults in New York City and the synergistic effects of HIV and other sexually transmitted infections, substance use, and mental health burden longitudinally among a cohort of racially and ethnically diverse young gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men in New York City.

- Conducting interviewed-administered assessments of participants' peer social networks, sexual history, and recent sexual activity and alcohol and substance use using a timeline follow-back approach
- Coordinating collaboration between the Center for Health, Identity, Behavior, and Prevention Studies and the Spatial Epidemiology by staff in conducting orientations, distributing, and collecting GPS devices from participants

WORK EXPERIENCES

11/2015 – Present

New York University Student Health Center

New York, New York

Public Health Initiatives and Assessment

Gender and Sexual Minority Health Specialist

New York University's Student Health Center is a campus resource and service center for all matriculated students. We offer universal hassle-free appointment-based and walk-in medical and counseling services at either no cost or very reduced cost to all New York University students, regardless of insurance coverage. The goal of the Student Health Center is to add great value to the experience for students and great comfort in knowing that a safety net for healthcare exists.

- Developing protocols to incorporate demographic information into electronic health records based on both student, provider, and administrative feedback and evaluating both patient and provider experiences for competency related to health issues affecting lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ) students
- Working collaboratively with a team of primary care specialists to implement pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) for Student Health Center patients at high risk for HIV (including gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men) and monitor and evaluate the progress of this program

09/2015 – Present

Journal of Young Investigators

Washington, DC

Psychology and Social Sciences Section

Research Editor

The Journal of Young Investigators is a student-led initiative to broaden the undergraduate scientific research experiences, allowing students to participate in the scientific review and publication process of its peer-reviewed undergraduate journal. It is dedicated to representing undergraduate research in biological and biomedical sciences, physical sciences, mathematics, engineering, psychology, and the social sciences.

- Corresponding with authors, assigning manuscripts for review to associate editors, managing review deadlines, and reviewing associate editor opinions and submissions to make editorial decisions and training new associate editors
- Representing the psychology and social sciences section in meetings with research editors for other sections, the senior research editor, and the editor-in-chief to make decisions about the research department

09/2015 – Present

New York University Office of Global Programs
Global Ambassadors Program
Global Ambassador for NYU Sydney and NYU London

New York, New York

The Office of Global Programs coordinates all initiatives related to study abroad throughout student affairs. The office is responsible for enrollment and orientation to all thirteen global campuses at New York University. The Global Ambassadors program allows returning study abroad students to share their experiences with the larger student community, in particular, students considering studying abroad. The program provides an invaluable opportunity for students to spread the inspiration, global knowledge, and excitement that students have gained from their experiences abroad.

- Organizing and attending study abroad recruitment events, hosting site-specific information sessions, representing NYU Sydney on general student and parent information sessions on studying abroad at New York University, and designing student guides and promotional materials for NYU Sydney and NYU London
- Creating and designing site-specific and general informational materials for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ) students considering study abroad regarding LGBTQ culture and rights at study abroad locations

04/2015 – Present

American Public Health Association
Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs Section
Student Liaison

Washington, DC

The American Public Health Association is an organization for public health professionals in the United States. Its mission is to protect all Americans and their communities from preventable, serious health threats and strives to assure that community-based health promotion and disease prevention activities and preventive health services are universally accessible. The Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs section aims to develop, foster, and advocate for sound research, policy, and practice in the fields of alcohol, tobacco, and other drug epidemiology, prevention, and treatment.

- Representing and promoting the Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs section within the Student Assembly
- Assisting other section liaisons in advocating for student opportunities within the sections and advocating for the development and promotion of student involvement, recognition, and leadership in achieving the aims of the sections

01/2015 – 05/2015

AIDS Council of New South Wales
Gay Men's Health Initiatives
Student Intern

Sydney, Australia

The AIDS Council of New South Wales (ACON) is New South Wales' largest and leading health promotion organization specialization in HIV prevention and treatment and in lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and intersex health. Their mission is to enhance the health and wellbeing of their communities by ending HIV transmission among gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men and promoting the lifelong health of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and intersex people and people living with HIV/AIDS. The organization has dedicated services for young gay and bisexual men, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander populations, Asian and Pacific Islander populations, and individuals who use drugs.

- Distributing condoms, lubricant, and health promotion information regarding safe sexual practices (including ACON's latest 'Drop Your Load' campaign promoting treatment as prevention) at large events for Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras (i.e. Fair Day, Harbor Party, and Mardi Gras After-Party)
- Facilitating six-week workshops for young gay, bisexual, and curious men in Sydney regarding self-esteem and body image, sexual health, dating and relationships, and responsible alcohol use

07/2014 – 09/2015

Journal of Young Investigators
Psychology and Social Sciences Section
Associate Editor

Washington, DC

The Journal of Young Investigators is a student-led initiative to broaden the undergraduate scientific research experiences, allowing students to participate in the scientific review and publication processes of its peer-reviewed undergraduate journal. It is dedicated to representing undergraduate research in biological and biomedical sciences, physical sciences, mathematics, and engineering, and psychology and social sciences.

- Providing specific comments to authors for suggestions, revisions, and other ways to improve the strength of reviewed manuscripts by offering meaningful critiques, suggestions, and encouragement to the manuscript authors
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PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS: Accepted (* = Co-First Author)

1. **Goedel WC**, Duncan DT. (2015). Geosocial-Networking App Usage Patterns of Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men: Survey Among Users of Grindr, A Mobile Dating App. *JMIR Public Health and Surveillance*, 1(1), e4. doi: 10.2196/publichealth.4353.
 2. **Goedel WC**, Halkitis PN, Greene RE, Hickson DA, Duncan DT. (2016). HIV Risk Perception and Testing and Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) Awareness and Use in Grindr-Using Men Who Have Sex with Men (MSM) in Atlanta, Georgia. *Journal of Association of Nurses in AIDS Care*, 27(2), 133-142. doi: 10.1016/j.jana.2015.11.005.
 3. **Goedel WC**, Krebs P, Greene RE, Duncan DT. (2016). Associations Between Perceived Weight Status, Body Dissatisfaction, and Self-Objectification and Sexual Sensation Seeking and Sexual Risk Behaviors Among Men Who Have Sex with Men Using Grindr. *Behavioral Medicine*. In Press: doi:10.1080/08964289.2015.1121130.
 4. Duncan DT*, **Goedel WC***, Stults CB, Brady WJ, Brooks FA, Blakley JS, Hagen D. (2016). A Study of Intimate Partner Violence, Substance Abuse, and Sexual Risk Behaviors Among Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men in a Sample of Geosocial-Networking Smartphone Application Users. *American Journal of Men's Health*. In Press. doi: 10.1177/155799316631964.
 5. Duncan DT, Kapadia F, Regan SD, **Goedel WC**, Levy MD, Barton S, Friedman SR, Halkitis PN. (2016). Feasibility and Acceptability of Global Positioning System (GPS) Methods to Study the Spatial Contexts of Substance Use and Sexual Risk Behaviors Among Young Men Who Have Sex with Men in New York City: A P18 Cohort Sub-Study. *PLoS ONE*, 11(2), e0147520. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0147520.
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CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS (* = Presenting Author)

1. **Goedel WC***, Halkitis PN, Duncan DT. Does HIV Risk Stereotyping Exist? Behavior- and Partner-Based HIV Risk Perception, HIV Testing Patterns, and Sexual Risk Behaviors in Men Who Have Sex with Men (MSM) Using Grindr in New York City. *New York City Epidemiology Forum*. New York, NY. Poster. 26 February 2015.
 2. **Goedel WC***, Duncan DT. Geosocial-Networking Smartphone Application Use in Application-Using Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men in Atlanta, Georgia. *American Public Health Association Annual Meeting and Exposition*. Chicago, Illinois. Poster. 31 October to 05 November 2015.
 3. **Goedel WC***, Duncan DT. Geosocial-Networking Application Use, Contextual Factors in Application Use, and Sexual Risk Behaviors in Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men Using Grindr in New York City. *New York University School of Medicine Health Disparities Symposium*. New York, New York. Poster. 09 October 2015.
 4. **Goedel WC***, Halkitis PN, Greene RE, Duncan DT. Correlates of Awareness and Use of and Willingness to Use Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) in Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men Using Grindr in New York City. *New York University School of Medicine Health Disparities Symposium*. New York, New York. Poster. 09 October 2015.
 5. Duncan DT*, **Goedel WC**, Stults CB, Brady WJ, Brooks FA, Blakely JS, Hagen D. Intimate Partner Violence, Substance Abuse, and Sexual Risk Behaviors Among Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men in New York City: A Grindr Study. *New York City Epidemiology Forum*. New York, New York. Poster. 26 February 2015.
 6. Duncan DT, Ruff RR*, **Goedel WC**, Chaix B. Spatial Stigma, Drug Use, and Alcohol Consumption Among Low-Income Housing Residents in New York City. *New York City Epidemiology Forum*. New York, New York. 27 February 2015.
 7. Duncan DT, Regan SD, Matthews SA, Chaix B, **Goedel WC**, Pass KM, Al-Bayan M, Gozlan B, Williams JH, Dutta S, Yilma AN, Elbel B. Quantifying Spatial Polygamy Among New York City Low-Income Housing Residents: A Global Positioning System Study. *American Public Health Association Annual Meeting and Exposition*. Chicago, Illinois. Poster 31 October to 05 November 2015.
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INVITED TALKS

1. *Health is 0 Feet Away: Geosocial-Networking Smartphone Application Use Among Men Who Have Sex with Men* (with Dr. Dustin T. Duncan). New York University School of Medicine Office of Diversity Affairs: Health Education, Awareness, and Leadership Training Honors (HEALTH) Program. New York, New York. 29 February 2016.
 2. *How Laws Criminalizing Men Who Have Sex with Men (MSM) Impact Global HIV Indicators* (with Dr. Sara L.M. Davis). New York University School of Law Center for Human Rights and Global Justice. New York, New York. 25 March 2016.
 3. *Grindr Guy: Health Implications of Geosocial Networking Smartphone Application Use Among Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men* (with Dr. Dustin T. Duncan). New York University School of Medicine Department of Population Health: Research Seminar. New York, New York. 30 March 2016.
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SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

11/2015 New York University Student Senators Council Conference Grant (\$700)

The New York University Student Senators Council (SSC), the overarching student government at the university, established the conference fund to support students traveling to conferences to present a project. The conference fund is available to all students, both undergraduate and graduate, who wish to attend a conference related to their academic or professional goals. This grant covered expenses associated with presenting “Geosocial-Networking Application Use in Application-Using Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men in Atlanta, Georgia” at the American Public Health Association Annual Meeting and Exposition in Chicago, Illinois.

10/2015 New York University College of Arts and Science Conference Grant (\$750)

The Dean’s Undergraduate Research Fund (DURF) at the New York University College of Arts and Science was created to assist students in funding their projects. A committee of faculty reviews all applications and gives awards. Conference grants are available for students seeking to present their work at national and/or international conferences. This grant covered expenses associated with presenting “Geosocial-Networking Application Use in Application-Using Gay, Bisexual, and Other Men Who Have Sex with Men in Atlanta, Georgia” at the American Public Health Association Annual Meeting and Exposition in Chicago, Illinois.

08/2014 NYU Wasserman Center for Career Development Internship Grant (\$1000)

The Wasserman Center for Career Development at New York University has established this grant to support students pursuing unpaid internships at nonprofits, international organizations, arts, institutions, and other industries that traditionally do not pay their interns. This grant affords the student the opportunity to participate in career exploration and experiential learning through unpaid internships, gives students access to professional networks, and facilitates the lifelong skills associated with solid career development.

09/2013 New York University College of Arts and Science Dean’s Scholarship (Full Tuition)

Along with an invitation to one of the most prestigious scholars programs at New York University, this scholarship was awarded to a select group of students admitted to the College of Arts and Science. This scholarship is offered to 35 students admitted to the College of Arts and Science based on demonstrated leadership, academic achievement, and community service. This scholarship is renewable for four years.

AWARDS AND HONORS

03/2015	Point Foundation: Scholarship Semifinalist
10/2015	New York University Health Disparities Symposium: Best Student Poster Award
03/2013	Point Foundation: Scholarship Semifinalist

REVIEW EXPERIENCE

LGBT Health	2015
American Journal of Men’s Health	2015
Annals of Behavioral Medicine	2015

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Public Health Association	2015 to Present
LGBT Caucus of Public Health Professionals	
Section on HIV/AIDS	
Section on Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs	

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

Statistical analysis software (SPSS, STATA, SAS)
Reference management software (EndNote, Mendeley, Zotero)
Survey administration and management (REDCap, Qualtrics, Survey Monkey)
Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, Access, Publisher)
Languages: English and Spanish (Speaking, Writing, and Reading)