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Role – Co-Investigator (PI – Dr. Staci Bilbo, Duke University)

### Completed:

“Insular Cortex Oxytocin Receptors and Social Affect”  
NIMH R56 (9/4/2017—8/31/2020) MH109545 \$500,000 Direct costs  
Role – PI

“Stressor controllability, resilience and prefrontal cortex endocannabinoids”  
NIMH R21 (7/1/2016—6/30/19) MH110907 \$275,000 Direct costs  
Role – PI, (Co-I, Matthew Hill, University of Calgary)

“*In vivo* calcium imaging of empathy”  
BC Research Incentive Grant (11/1/18—5/31/19) \$19,110  
Role – PI

“Safety Learning and Plasticity in the Insular Cortex”  
K99/R00 MH093412-01, National Institutes of Health-NIMH (4/1/2011 - 7/31/2017) \$890,000 Direct costs  
Role – PI

“Sex differences in vasopressin modulation of lateral septum excitatory synaptic transmission”  
BC-Research Incentive Grant. (6/1/2016-8/31/2017) \$15,000  
Role – PI

“Dissecting the contribution of insular cortex to safety learning using temporally-precise optogenetic tools.”  
2012 NARSAD Young Investigator Award. (1/15/2013 – 1-14/2016) \$60,000 Direct Costs.  
Role – PI

“Stressor controllability and anxiety: role of serotonin and the medial prefrontal cortex”  
FMH082453A, National Institutes of Health (8/1/2008 – 3/31/2011) \$ \$137,000 Direct Costs.  
Role – PI (sponsor, Steven Maier)

## Awards

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2016 Inaugural Gianinno Family Sesquicentennial Assistant Professor



20. Amat, J., [Christianson, J.P.](#) Aleksejev, R.M., Kim, J., Richeson, K.R., Watkins, L.R., & Maier, S.F. (2014) Control over a stressor involves the posterior dorsal striatum and the act/outcome circuit. European Journal of Neuroscience, 40(2): 2352-8.
21. [Christianson, J. P.](#) & Greenwood, B. N. (2014) Stress-protective neural circuits: not all roads lead through the medial prefrontal cortex. Stress, 17(1): 1-12.
22. Thompson, RS. [Christianson, J.P.](#)

37. [Christianson, J. P.](#), Rabbett, S., Lyckland, J., & Drugan, R. C. (2008) The immobility produced by









2015-16 – Mary Sarlitto (h), Vikram Krishna (h, UCLA Medical School), Lucy Xu, Morgan McGoey (BU-PhD Occupational Therapy), Katherine Gibbons, Madelyn Cannone

- ! Psychology Department Committee on Senior Hiring Policy (2014-15)
- ! Psychology Department Neuroscience Major Curriculum Committee (Chair, 2017-