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## EDUCATION

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- December 2016**    **Ph.D.**, Human Environmental Sciences, Human Development and Family Sciences, Collateral Area: Gerontology  
 University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri.
- May 2011**        **M.A.**, Psychological Science  
 California State University, Chico, Chico, California
- December 2010**    **B.A.** Psychology with Honors and a Minor in Gerontology  
 California State University, Chico, Chico, California
- July 1999**        **B.A.**, Liberal Arts  
 Gallatin School of Individualized Study New York University, New York, NY

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- August 2018 – Present**        **Research Scientist**  
 Center Research and Education,  
 Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging, Cleveland, Ohio
- August 2016 – December 2017**    **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**  
 Center for the Human-Animal Bond,  
 College of Veterinary Medicine, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana  
*Advisor: Dr. Maggie O’Haire*
- August 2011 – July 2016**        **Graduate Research Assistant**  
 Research Center for Human-Animal Interaction (ReCHAI),  
 College of Veterinary Medicine and the Sinclair School of Nursing,  
 University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri  
*Advisor: Dr. Rebecca Johnson*

## RESEARCH SUPPORT - ACTIVE

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- November 2020 – January 2022** – *Uncovering Pet Ownership Benefits, Challenges, and Resources in an Aging Society: Promoting Healthy Aging in Healthcare and Community Environments.*  
 Human Animal Bond Research Institute (HABRI) Foundation, HAB20-024  
 (P.I.: Dr. Jessica Bibbo, Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging)  
 Amount: **\$69,016**  
 Role: Principal Investigator
- August 2020 – July 2023** – *Expansion of Dementia-Capable Communities within Urban and Rural Settings in Ohio using Evidence-Based and Informed Programming*  
 Administration for Community Living, #90ADPI0052-01-00  
 (P.I.: Branka Primetica, Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging)  
 Amount: **\$954,778**  
 Role: Co-Investigator

## RESEARCH SUPPORT - COMPLETED

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- September 2018 – June 2019** – *Training on Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation for the Senior Companion Program.*  
 Corporation for National and Community Service  
 (P.I.: Dr. Farida Ejaz, Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging)  
 Amount: **\$50,000**  
 Role: Co-Investigator
- September 2017 – August 2018** – *Shelter cat adoption in families of children with Autism: Impact on children's social skills and anxiety as well as cat stress.*  
 Human-Animal Bond Research Institute (HABRI) Foundation  
 (P.I.: Dr. Gretchen Carlisle, University of Missouri)  
 Amount: **\$52,204**  
 Roles: Co-Investigator
- April 2017 – March 2017** – *Shelter cat adoption in families of children with Autism: Impact on cat stress and children's social skills and anxiety.*  
 Winn Feline Foundation (P.I. Dr. Gretchen Carlisle, University of Missouri)  
 Amount: **\$24,996**  
 Role: Co-Investigator
- January 2016 – December 2016** – *The effects of care recipients' companion animals on the caregiving experience.*  
 Interdisciplinary Center on Aging Research and Enrichment  
 Dissemination (READ) Small Grants Program, Interdisciplinary Center on Aging, School of Medicine, University of Missouri (P.I. PhD(c) Jessica Bibbo, University of Missouri)  
 Amount: **\$2,495**  
 Role: Principal Investigator

**May 2015 –  
April 2016**

*Companion Animal, Social Engagement, and Psychological Well-being in Mid and Later Adulthood.*

Human-Animal Bond Research Institute (HABRI) Foundation  
(P.I.: Dr. Rebecca Johnson, University of Missouri)

Amount: **\$48,462**

Roles: Co-author, Graduate Research Assistant, assembled research team

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

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Jensen, C. L., **Bibbo, J.**, Rodriguez, K. E., & O’Haire, M. E. (2021, advance online publication). The effects of facility dogs on burnout, job-related well-being, and mental health in pediatric hospital professionals. *Journal of Clinical Nursing*. doi: [10.1111/jocn.15694](https://doi.org/10.1111/jocn.15694)

Carlisle, G.K., Johnson, R.A., Wang, Z., **Bibbo, J.**, Cheak-Zamora, N., & Lyons, L.A. (2021). Exploratory study of cat adoption in families of children with autism: Impact on children’s social skills and anxiety. *Journal of Pediatric Nursing*, 58, 28-35. doi: [10.1016/j.pedn.2020.11.011](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pedn.2020.11.011)

Spitznagel, M. B., Anderson, J. R., Marchitelli, B., Sislak, M. D., **Bibbo, J.**, & Carlson, M. D. (2021). Owner quality of life, caregiver burden and anticipatory grief: How they differ, why it matters. *Veterinary Record*, e74. doi: [10.1002/vetr.74](https://doi.org/10.1002/vetr.74)

Curl, A. L., **Bibbo, J.**, & Johnson, R. (2020, advance online publication). Neighborhood Engagement, Dogs, and Life Satisfaction in Older Adulthood. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*. doi: [10.1177/0733464820953725](https://doi.org/10.1177/0733464820953725)

Rodriguez, K. E., **Bibbo, J.**, & O’Haire, M.E. (2020). The effects of service dogs on psychosocial health and wellbeing for individuals with physical disabilities or chronic conditions. *Disability & Rehabilitation*, 42, 1350-1358. doi: [10.1080/09638288.2018.1524520](https://doi.org/10.1080/09638288.2018.1524520)

Rodriguez, K. E., **Bibbo, J.**, Verdon, S., & O’Haire, M.E. (2020). Mobility and medical service dogs: A qualitative analysis of expectations and experiences. *Disability & Rehabilitation: Assistive Technology*, 15, 499-509. doi: [10.1080/17483107.2019.1587015](https://doi.org/10.1080/17483107.2019.1587015)

**Bibbo, J.**, Proulx, C. M. (2019). The impact of a care recipient’s pet caregiving burden, satisfaction, and mastery: A pilot investigation. *Human-Animal Interaction Bulletin*, 7, 81-102.

**Bibbo, J.**, Curl, A. L., & Johnson, R. A. (2019). Pets in the lives of older adults: A life course perspective. *Anthrozoös*. 32, 541-554. doi: [10.1080/08927936.2019.1621541](https://doi.org/10.1080/08927936.2019.1621541)

**Bibbo, J.**, Rodriguez, K. E., & O’Haire, M. E. (2019). The impact of service dogs on family members’ psychosocial health and functioning. *American Journal of Occupational Therapy*, 73, 205120 p.1 – p.11. doi: [10.5014/ajot.2017.71S1-PO4122](https://doi.org/10.5014/ajot.2017.71S1-PO4122)

**Bibbo, J., & Proulx, C. M.** (2018). The impact of a care recipient's pet on the instrumental caregiving experience. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work, 61*, 675-684.  
doi: [10.1080/01634372.2018.1494659](https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2018.1494659)

O'Haire, M. E., **Bibbo, J.**, Hoffman, C. L., Mueller, M., Ng, Z., & Buechner-Maxwell, V. A. (2018). Overview of centers and institutes for human-animal interaction in the United States. *Human-Animal Interaction Bulletin, 6*, Special Edition, 3 – 22.

Johnson, R.A., Albright, D. L., Marzolf, J. R., **Bibbo, J.**, . . . , & Harms, N. (2018). Effects of therapeutic horseback riding on military veterans' post-traumatic stress disorder. *Military Medical Research, 5*.

Carlisle, G. K., Johnson, R. A., Mazurek, M., **Bibbo, J.**, Tocco, F., & Cameron, G. T. (2018). Companion animals in families of children with autism spectrum disorder: Lessons learned from caregivers. *Journal of Family Social Work, 21*, 294-312.  
doi: [10.1080/10522158.2017.1394413](https://doi.org/10.1080/10522158.2017.1394413)

Curl, A. L., **Bibbo, J.**, & Johnson, R. A. (2017). Dog walking, the human-animal bond and older adults' physical health. *The Gerontologist, 57*, 930 – 939. doi: [10.1093/geront/gnw051](https://doi.org/10.1093/geront/gnw051)  
*The paper was published as an Editor's Choice article and is currently in the top five percent of all research outputs scored by Altmetric.*

Johnson, R. A., & **Bibbo, J.** (2014). Relocation decisions and constructing the meaning of home: A phenomenological study of the transition into a nursing home. *Journal of Aging Studies, 30*, 56 – 63. doi: [10.1016/j.jaging.2014.03.005](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jaging.2014.03.005)

**Bibbo, J.** (2013). Staff members' perceptions of an animal-assisted activity. *Oncology Nursing Forum, 40*, E320 – E326. doi: [10.1188/13.ONF.E320-E326](https://doi.org/10.1188/13.ONF.E320-E326)

## INVITED PUBLICATIONS AND BOOK CHAPTERS

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**Bibbo, J.** (2019). Pet loss in older adulthood. In L. Kogan & P. Erdman (Eds.), *Pet loss, grief, and therapeutic interventions: Practitioners navigating the human-animal bond* (pp. 70-83). Routledge.

Johnson, R. A., **Bibbo, J.**, & Harvey, L. (2019). Human-animal interaction in the aging boom. In A. Fine (Ed.), *The Handbook on Animal-Assisted Therapy: Theoretical Foundations and Guidelines for Practice* (5<sup>th</sup> ed., pp. 313-327). Academic Press.

**Bibbo, J.** (2019). Caregiving for adult pet owners. In L. Kogan & C. Blazina (Eds.), *Clinician's Guide to Treating Animal Companion Issues* (pp. 144-157). Academic Press.

Johnson, R. A., & **Bibbo, J.** (2015). Human-animal interaction in the aging boom. In A. Fine (Ed.), *The Handbook on Animal-Assisted Therapy: Theoretical Foundations and Guidelines for Practice* (4<sup>th</sup> ed., pp. 249-260). New York: Academic Press.

- Johnson, R. A., & **Bibbo, J.** (2015). Relocation stress syndrome. In B. Ackley, G. Ladwig, & M. B. F. Makic (Eds.), *Nursing Diagnosis Handbook: An Evidence-Based Guide to Planning Care*, 11<sup>th</sup> edition. St. Louis, Mosby.
- Johnson, R., & **Bibbo, J.** (2014). The utopia of Tiger Place: Older adults, relocation to a nursing home, and pet relinquishment. *Tijdschrift voor Ouderengeneeskunde (Journal of Geriatric Medicine, Netherlands)*, 1-2014, 28-30.

## SELECTED PEER-REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS

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\* *Designates mentee, †designates presenter*

- Bibbo, J.** †, Ejaz, F. K. †, & Reynolds, C. †. (2020, August). *The Development and Implementation of a Training Program on Abuse, Neglect & Exploitation for the Senior Companion Program in Ohio*. Workshop presented at the annual meeting of the Ohio Coalition for Adult Protective Services.
- Bibbo, J.** (2019, November). *Interest Group Session – Human-Animal Interaction: Pets in Older Adults’ Social Networks: Human-Animal Interaction, Interpersonal Connections, and Healthy Aging*. Chair and organizer of Symposium held at the Gerontological Society of America’s Annual Scientific Meeting. Austin, TX.
- Bibbo, J.** †, & Ejaz, F. K. † (2019, August). *Supporting Elder Justice: Developing and Implementing a Training on Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation for the Senior Companion Program*. Workshop presented at the National Adult Protective Services Association Conference. Denver, CO.
- Bibbo, J.** (2019, August). *Older Adults as Pet Caretakers*. Paper presented as part of the *Addressing the Human-Animal Bond in Therapy: Theory, Foundation, and Application* symposium held at the American Psychological Association Convention. Chicago, IL.
- Bibbo, J.** †, & Proulx, C. M. (2019, July). *The Impact of Care Recipients’ Pets on the Family Caregiving Experience*. Paper presented at the 27<sup>th</sup> International Society for Anthrozoology Conference. Orlando, FL.
- Bibbo, J.** †, Branson, S., & Bass, D. (2019, July). *The BRIA Unmet Pet Care Needs Scale: The Development of a Tool for Adults and their Family Caregivers*. Poster presented at the 27<sup>th</sup> International Society for Anthrozoology Conference. Orlando, FL.
- Bibbo, J.** †, & Ejaz, F. K. † (2019, May). *Supporting Elder Justice Through Training on Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation for the Senior Companion Program*. Workshop presented at the Senior Corps Seminar Series, “Supporting Our Seniors: Elder Justice and Independent Living.” Washington DC.
- Bibbo, J.** †, Conwell, D., Weitzman, L. S., Ciancibello, A. & Langford, A. (2019, April). *Nutrition Solution: Addressing Food Insecurity and Social Isolation Amongst Older Adults*. Poster presented at the American Society on Aging’s Aging in America Conference. New Orleans, LA.

**Bibbo, J.** (2018, November). *Interest Group Session – Human-Animal Interaction: Impacts and Issues of Pet Ownership for Community Dwelling Older Adults*. Chair and organizer of Symposium held at the Gerontological Society of America’s Annual Scientific Meeting. Boston, MA.

**Bibbo, J.** (2018, November). *Provision of Purpose: Pet ownership and Maintaining Health and Well-Being in Older Adulthood*. Chair and organizer of Symposium held at the Gerontological Society of America’s Annual Scientific Meeting. Boston, MA.

**Bibbo, J.** (2017, August). *Instrumental And Emotional Effects Of Care Recipients: Companion Animals On The Caregiving Experience*. Paper presented at the 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Caring for the Frail Elderly Conference presented by the University of Missouri. Columbia, MO.

***Selected to be one of four 2017 Conference Fellows  
following a competitive selection process.***

Whitfield, J. M.\*†, Rodriguez, K. E., **Bibbo, J.**, O’Haire, M. E. (2017, August) *Psychosocial effects of service dogs on individuals with physical disabilities within two age groups*. Poster presented at the Boehringer Ingelheim Veterinary Scholars National Symposium. Washington, D.C.

**Bibbo, J.**†, Rodriguez, K.E., & O’Haire, M.E. (2017, June). *The Impact of Service Dogs on Caregivers and Family Members’ Psychosocial Well-Being*. Paper presented at the 25<sup>th</sup> International Society for Anthrozoology Conference. Davis, CA.

Rodriguez, K.E.†, **Bibbo, J.**, & O’Haire, M.E. (2017, June). *Psychosocial effects of service dog ownership for individuals with physical disabilities*. Paper presented at the 25<sup>th</sup> International Society for Anthrozoology Conference. Davis, CA.

Elefson, S.\*†, **Bibbo, J.**, Rodriguez, K.E., O’Haire, M.E. (2017, April). *Evaluation of Psychosocial Outcomes For Service Dog Recipients*. Poster presented at the Purdue University Undergraduate Research and Poster Symposium. April 13, West Lafayette, IN, USA.

**Bibbo, J.**†, Curl, A. L., & Johnson, R. A. (2016, November). *Pets as a predictor of loneliness and self-rated health in older adults*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America’s 69<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

Patel, S.\*†, Johnson, R. A., Johnson, P., Marzolf, J., Vogelweid, C., & **Bibbo, J.** (2015, August). *Horses working in therapeutic riding programs: Cortisol and behavior stress indicators*. Poster presentation at the National NIH-Merial Symposium, Davis, CA.

**Bibbo, J.**†, Williams, S., Johnson, R. A., & Osterlind, S. (2015, July). *Effects of equine assisted- activities on PTSD symptoms, self-efficacy, emotion regulation, and social engagement in military veterans*. Paper presented at the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the International Society for Anthrozoology, Saratoga Springs, NY.

**Bibbo, J.**<sup>†</sup>, Curl, A. L., & Johnson, R. A. (2014, November). *Health benefits of dog walking for older adults*. Poster presented at The Gerontological Society of America's 67<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, Washington D.C.

**Bibbo, J.** (2014, July). *A confirmatory factor analysis of the Center for the Study of Animal Wellness Pet Bonding Scale*. Poster presented at the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference of the International Society for Anthrozoology, Vienna, Austria.

Yaglom, H. D.<sup>†</sup>, Johnson, R., **Bibbo, J.**, Carlisle, G., & Holt, S. (2013, July). *Missouri moving out in front: HAI for people in transition*. Paper presented at the Triennial International Conference of the International Association of Human-Animal Interaction Organizations, Chicago, IL.

Johnson, R., **Bibbo, J.**<sup>†</sup>, Yaglom, H. D., Carlisle, G., McKenney, C., & Holt, S. (2013, July). *The HAI-Viability for Research Collaborators Assessment: An instrument to assess HAI organizations' potential as research collaborators*. Poster presented at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference of the International Society for Anthrozoology, Chicago, IL.

**Bibbo, J.**<sup>†</sup>, Johnson, R., & McKenney, C. (2012, November). *Pet Pals: A pilot study to ease relocation transition*. Poster presented at The Gerontological Society of America's 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA.

**Bibbo, J.** (2012, July). *Staff perceptions of benefits of an animal-assisted activity in an outpatient oncology center: Degree of interaction and perceived benefit*. Poster presented at the 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference of the International Society for Anthrozoology, Cambridge, UK.

**Bibbo, J.** (2012, April). *From pictographs to  $\beta$ -phenylethylamine: The emergent empirical significance of the human-animal bond*. Student Plenary presented at the MU Cross-Disciplinary Project conference, Columbia, MO.

*The talk was selected as the student plenary through a competitive application process.*

**Bibbo, J.** (2011, August). *Staff perceptions on the addition of an animal-assisted activity at a regional cancer center*. Paper presented at the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the International Society for Anthrozoology, Indianapolis, IN.

**Bibbo, J.** (2010, November). *The burden of caring: An evaluation of caregivers caring for seniors with neurological disease*. Poster presented at The Gerontological Society of America's 63<sup>rd</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA.

*The poster was a recipient of the Emerging Scholar and Professional Organization (ESPO) Poster Award.*

**Bibbo, J.** (2010, May). *The burden of caring: An evaluation of caregivers caring for seniors with neurological disease*. Paper presented at the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual CSU Student Research Competition. San Jose, CA.

*The paper won Second Place in the category of Behavioral and Social Sciences - Undergraduate.*

Kline, L.†, & **Bibbo, J.†** (2009, October). *Attributions of companion animal behavior by adopters and relinquishers of companion animals*. Paper presented at the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the International Society for Anthrozoology, Kansas City, MO.

## INVITED PRESENTATIONS

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**Bibbo, J.†** & Butch, J.† (2020, October). *Practical Applications: The Bond between Older Adults and Pets*. A Webinar presented as part of the Interpersonal Violence & Animal Abuse: Understanding the Link and Local Resources, the 2020 Greater Cleveland Elder Abuse/Domestic Violence Roundtable. Cleveland, OH.

Arkow, Phil†; **Bibbo, J.†**, Holmquist, K†. (2020, April). *Animal Abuse, Animal Hoarding and Elder Abuse: Challenges and Strategies for Adult Protective Services*. Webinar presented for the National Adult Protective Services Association.

**Bibbo, J.†**, & Ejaz, F. K.† (2019, June). *Tools and Tips for Senior Companions*. Paper presented at the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Cuyahoga County Elder Abuse Forum. Cleveland, OH.

**Bibbo, J.** (2019, April). *Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging: Service, Research, and Advocacy for Older People in Cleveland and Beyond*. Webinar presented as part of the VA Geriatric Topic Series at the Louis Stokes Cleveland VA Medical Center.

**Bibbo, J.** (2018, May). *The instrumental and emotional impacts of care recipients' pets on the caregiving experience*. Paper presented at the Center for Aging and the Life Course Colloquia Series, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.

Johnson, R. A., & **Bibbo, J.†** (2015, June). *Effects of equine assisted activities on PTSD symptoms, self-efficacy, emotion regulation, and social engagement in military veterans*. Webinar presented to the Horses and Humans Research Foundation.

**Bibbo, J.** (2013, December). *Older adults, their cats, and their informal caregivers*. Paper presented at Uitnodiging Symposium for Prof. Dr. Marie-José Enders-Slegers, Heelen, Netherlands.

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

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<b>2018 - Present</b>	American Society on Aging
<b>2014 - Present</b>	The Section on Human-Animal Interaction: Research & Practice, Section 13 of Division 17 of the American Psychological Association
<b>2010 - Present</b>	Gerontological Society of America
<b>2009 – Present</b>	International Society for Anthrozoology



## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES & SERVICE

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- September 2018 – Present** National Adult Protective Services Association Research Committee Member
- July 2017 – Present** Convener of the Human-Animal Interaction Special Interest Group of the Gerontological Society of America
- November 2016 – Present** Founding member of the Human-Animal Interaction Special Interest Group of the Gerontological Society of America
- Ad hoc Reviewer** *Ageing & Society*, 2017  
*Alzheimer's & Dementia: Translational Research & Clinical Interventions*, 2021  
*Animals*, 2021  
*Anthrozoös*, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020  
*Australian Journal of Psychology*, 2020  
 Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation, 2019 - Present  
*Disability and Rehabilitation*, 2019  
*The Gerontologist*, 2017, 2018  
 Gerontological Society of America's Annual Scientific Meeting Abstracts, 2015, 2016, 2018 - Present  
*Human-Animal Interaction Bulletin*, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021  
*Innovation in Aging*, 2019  
*International Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*, 2015  
 International Society for Anthrozoology Conference Abstracts, 2021  
*Journal of Applied Gerontology*, 2016, 2019, 2020  
*Journal of Family Social Work*, 2018, 2019  
*Journal of Gerontology Psychological Sciences*, 2019, 2020  
*Supportive Care for Cancer*, 2016  
*Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport*, 2016  
 RRF Foundation for Aging, 2020, 2021  
*Veterinary Dermatology*, 2020

## SELECTED HONORS AND AWARDS

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- August 2017** 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Caring for the Frail Elderly Conference  
*Conference Fellow*  
 One of four early-career researchers and graduate students selected through a competitive process to present original research.
- August 2014** ThinkSwiss  
*ThinkSwiss Travel Grant*  
 Amount: **CHF 1,000**  
 Awarded in conjunction with acceptance into the Institute of Nursing Summer School “Developing Behavioral Interventions for Older Adults” held at the Universität Basel, Switzerland.

- December 2013** Mizzou Advantage, University of Missouri  
*Mizzou Advantage Travel Grant*  
Amount: **\$1,500**  
Awarded to present an invited talk at the Uitnodiging Symposium for Prof. Dr. Marie-José Enders-Slegers, in Heelen, Netherlands.
- August 2011 – May 2016** University of Missouri Graduate School  
*G. Ellsworth Huggins Graduate Scholar*  
Amount: **\$8,000/year stipend and tuition remission**
- May 2011** 25<sup>th</sup> Annual CSU Student Research Competition  
*Student delegate in the Category of Behavioral & Social Sciences - Graduate*
- November 2010** The Gerontological Society of America's 63<sup>rd</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting  
*Emerging Scholar and Professional Organization Poster Award*
- September 2010 – June 2011** California State University, Chico Graduate School  
*Graduate Equity Fellow*  
Amount: **\$3,548**
- May 2010** 24<sup>th</sup> Annual CSU Student Research Competition  
*Student delegate and Second Place winner in the Category of Behavioral & Social Sciences - Undergraduate*
- August 2009 – May 2010** California State University, Chico  
*Hugh M. Bell Memorial Scholarship*
- August 2009 – May 2010** California State University, Chico  
*Honors in Psychology*
- March 2009** California State University, Chico  
*Research and Creativity Award*