**Daniel T. Zamora**

**Education**

8/24-Present **Doctor of Philosophy**

 Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX (APA Accredited)

 Area: Clinical Psychology

 Advisor: Jared Ruchensky, Ph.D.

2020-2023 **Bachelor of Science**

Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX

Major: Psychology

GPA: 4.0

**Research Experience**

**Research Assistant**, The Personality, Evaluation, and Psycholegal Lab- Sam Houston State University

**3/21-present**

**Personality and Roommate Relationships Study**

* Collected dyadic self and informant data and video-recorded prompted discussions for later coding
* Coordinated with graduate student supervisors to implement DARMA: Software for Dual Axis Rating and Media Annotation program, which is used to code video files with the interpersonal circumplex
* Entered data into SPSS

**Sexually Violent Predator Evaluations Project**

* Coded archival data of individuals with prior sexual convictions who were evaluated for civil commitment as Sexually Violent Predators
	+ Archival data included
	+ PAI
	+ PCL-R
	+ STATIC-99R
	+ Clinical interview
	+ Police records
	+ Institutional records
	+ Court records
* Entered data into SPSS

**Multidimensional Boldness and the Alternative Model for Personality Disorders**

* Created surveys and collected data using Qualtrics Survey Software for online data collection
* Computed correlations, exploratory factor analyses, and hierarchical regressions using SPSS
* Preparation of first-author manuscript

**McNair Scholars Program**- a federally funded program designed to prepare undergraduates for doctoral study through involvement in research, Sam Houston State University

**10/22-12/23**

Advisor**:** Jared Ruchensky, Ph.D.

* Conducted a research project examining associations between a multidimensional conceptualization of boldness with related models of normal and abnormal personality
* Project culminated in oral presentation “*Examining a Multidimensional Conceptualization of Psychopathic Boldness*​” presented to McNair cohort and faculty

**Publications In Progress**

**Zamora, D.T.,** & Ruchensky, J.R. (in preparation). *Connecting a Multidimensional Model of Boldness to Section III Antisocial Personality Disorder*.

**Conference Presentations**

Spivey, R.B., **Zamora, D.T.,** and Drislane, L.E. (2024, May). *Examining Shared and Unique Cognitive Profiles Among Externalizing Problems*. Poster presented at the 10th Biennial Conference of the Society for the Scientific Study of Psychopathy, Paphos, CY.

**Zamora, D.T.,** & Ruchensky, J.R. (2024, March). *Connecting the Multidimensional Model of Boldness with the Risky, Impulsive & Self-destructive behavior Questionnaire*. Poster presented at the 2024 Annual Conference of the Society for Personality Assessment, San Diego, CA.

**Zamora, D.T.,** & Ruchensky, J.R. (2023, March). *Connecting the Multidimensional Model of Boldness with the Alternative Model for Personality Disorders*. Poster presented at the 2023 Annual Conference of the Society for Personality Assessment, Austin, TX.

**Zamora, D.T.,** Tellez, A., Ruchensky, J.R., & Varela, J. (2023, March). *Examining the factor structure of the Factual Understanding of Immigration Court measure*. Poster presented at the 2023 Annual Conference of the American Psychology-Law Society, Philadelphia, PA.

**Awards and Honors**

 **FAST Awards Program, Sam Houston State University**

 **3/23**

Awarded stipend ($2,000) to complete paper entitled “*Connecting a Multidimensional Model of Boldness to Section III Antisocial Personality Disorder*.” The purpose of the FAST Awards program is to encourage the participation of undergraduate students at Sam Houston State University in discipline-specific scholarly or creative work.

 **SPUR Travel Grants- Sam Houston State University**

 **2/23**

 Awarded travel grant ($1,000) to support travel and attendance at the 2023 Annual Conference of the American Psychology-Law Society for poster entitled, “*Examining the factor structure of the Factual Understanding of Immigration Court measure.”* Awarded travel grant ($500) to support travel and attendance at the 2023 Annual Conference of the Society for Personality Assessment for poster entitled “*Connecting the Multidimensional Model of Boldness with the Alternative Model for Personality Disorders.”* The SPUR Travel Grants help undergraduate students attend conferences and other research events.

 **American Psychology-Law Society, Diversity Travel Award**

 **2/23**

 Awarded travel grant ($500) to support travel and attendance at the annual conference of the American Psychology-Law Society for poster entitled, “*Examining the factor structure of the Factual Understanding of Immigration Court measure.”* The AP-LS BRIDGE Committee provides travel awards to students from underrepresented groups who are presenting research at the American Psychology-Law Society Conference.

**American Psychology-Law Society, Access Path to Psychology and Law Experience 2/22**

 Awarded stipend ($3,000) to complete a research project to present at AP-LS. Led to the completion of poster entitled “*Examining the factor structure of the Factual Understanding of Immigration Court measure.”* The purpose of the Access Path to Psychology and Law Experience (AP) Program is to increase diversity within psychology and law by increasing the pipeline of competitive graduate school applicants from groups that currently are underrepresented in the field.

 **Ronald E. McNair Postbaccalaureate Achievement Program**

 **10/22**

 Awarded stipend ($2,800) to complete a research project with a faculty mentor to present to the McNair cohort and faculty. Led to the completion of oral presentation entitled “*Examining a Multidimensional Conceptualization of Psychopathic Boldness*​.” The Ronald E. McNair Postbaccalaureate Achievement Program is designed to provide talented low-income/ first generation and ethnic minority undergraduate students with effective preparation for doctoral study.

**Affiliations**

Society for Personality Assessment- student member 2023-present

 American Psychology-Law Society- student member 2023-present

 Psi Chi (International Honor Society in Psychology)- general member 2021-present