

Education

Master of Arts in Social and Personality Psychology <i>York University, Toronto, ON</i>	2024
Bachelor of Arts, Honours in Forensic Psychology & Political Science <i>University of Ontario Institute of Technology, Oshawa, ON</i>	2022

Awards and Achievements

Ontario Tech University President's List	2017-2022
Ontario Tech University Academic Scholarship	2018-2020

External Scholarships

Canada Graduate Scholarship-Master's Value: \$17,500 Funding Agency: Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC)	2022-2023
Ontario Graduate Scholarship [Declined] Value: \$15,000 Funding Agency: Province of Ontario	2022-2023

Research Contributions

Allen, E., & Booth, M. (Accepted). Remembering the past and imagining the future in clinical and subclinical anxiety: A brief literature review. *Mind Pad*.

Allen, E., & Karam-Zanders, T. (2021). A reformation of the own-gender bias? The roles of gender expression and one's gender self-concept on facial recognition accuracy. [Unpublished honours thesis]. Ontario Tech University.

Conference Presentations

Allen, E., Karam-Zanders, T., & Booth, M. (2021, October 18-22). *More than meets the eye: The impact of gender expression and gender role self-concept on facial recognition accuracy*. Annual Meetings of the Criminology Consortium. [Presentation] <https://crimcon.org>

Hamilton, K. M., Allen, E., Clow, K. A., & Kukucka, J. (2020, November 18-20). *Does language matter? Exploring public understanding of wrongful conviction terminology*. Annual Meetings of the Criminology Consortium. [Presentation] <https://crimcon.org>

Research Experience

Clow Laboratory Manager 2018-2022

Ontario Tech University

- Social psychology lab specializing in research of wrongful convictions
- Ensures structured organization in lab activities and clear communication amongst lab members
- Assists in various projects in the lab including graduate student projects and PI studies

Research Assistant in the Social Research Centre Summer 2018

Ontario Tech University

- Research institution specializing in community-based research for various clients
- Conducted a paid focus group transcription and a literature review on subjective wellbeing

Related Work Experience

Academic Skills Program Assistant 2020-2022

Ontario Tech University

- Used leadership, organization, and public speaking skills to facilitate workshops on study skills and time management
- Applies long-term planning and time-sensitive communication to assist in executing the summer transition program for incoming students

Senior Peer Tutor 2019-2022

Ontario Tech University

- Used leadership and mentoring skills to help new tutors engage in professional development and evaluations

Peer Tutor 2018-2022

Ontario Tech University

- Regular engagement with course material to help students improve conceptual understanding and writing skills

Professional Development

Public Speaking Unofficial Club 2021-2022

Ontario Tech University

- Founder and facilitator
- Developed a 6-week program consisting of presentation assignments to assist other students in their public speaking skills

Ontario Tech Student Ambassador 2019-2022
Ontario Tech University

- Used interpersonal skills to help with various events to promote student life and inclusivity
- Engaged with orientation activities, open house events, and other events on a regular basis
- Regularly participated in professional development through workshops and program activities to develop leadership, confidence, and problem-solving skills

Social Science and Humanities Student Society 2017-2019
Ontario Tech University

- Administrative Director (2018-2019)
- First Year Representative (2017-2018)
- Used strong time management, problem-solving, and communication skills to assist with the development and execution of the “*What to do With Your BA?*” panel events held in the winter semesters
- Project lead on the Puppy Play Day for student relaxation tasked with securing puppies from a local adoption agency

University Service

Copyright Advisory Committee 2021-2022
Ontario Tech University

- Student representative

Certifications

Respecting Individuals, Supporting Equity (RISE) Certification 2021
Power Academic Writing Certification 2020
Mental Health First Aid Basic (12-hour) 2018

Professional Affiliations

Canadian Psychological Association 2021-present