

## BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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NAME	POSITION TITLE	INSTITUTION
<b>Graham DiGuseppi</b> <a href="mailto:diguisepp@usc.edu">diguisepp@usc.edu</a>	<b>Ph.D. Candidate</b>	<b>University of Southern California</b> <b>Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work</b>

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### EDUCATION/TRAINING

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<b>INSTITUTION AND LOCATION</b>	<b>DEGREE</b>	<b>YEAR</b>	<b>FIELD OF STUDY</b>
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA	Ph.D.	In-Progress	Social Work
Brown University, Providence, RI	Sc.M.	2017	Behavioral and Social Health Sciences
University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL	B.S.	2009	Psychology

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**Professional and Research Interests: Prevention and treatment of substance use disorders in vulnerable youth populations; youth homelessness; emerging adult mental health and development; social networks and social support**

### Professional Experience:

08/21 – 05/23	Pre-doctoral Fellow, National Institute on Drug Abuse
08/16 – 05/21	Research Assistant, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA
07/16 – 7/18	Project Coordinator, Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies, Brown University, Providence, RI
07/13 – 7/16	Research Assistant, Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies, Brown University, Providence, RI
07/12 – 6/13	Research Coordinator, Treatment Research Institute, Philadelphia, PA
05/10 – 7/12	Research Assistant, Treatment Research Institute, Philadelphia, PA
07/09 – 05/10	Therapeutic Services Specialist, Resources for Human Development, Philadelphia, PA

### Honors and Other Activities:

Ruth L. Kirchstein Predoctoral Individual National Research Service Award, National Institute on Drug Abuse 2021  
Early Career Investigator Travel Award, College of Problems on Drug Dependence 2021  
Student Merit Travel Award, Research Society on Alcoholism, 2019  
Mechanisms of Behavior Change Travel Award, Research Society on Alcoholism, 2019  
Provost Fellowship, University of Southern California  
Providence/Boston Center for Aids Research (CFAR) Conference Travel Award, 2016  
CAAS Rounds Committee Member, Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies, Brown University, Providence, RI  
Philadelphia Asset Committee Member, Treatment Research Institute, Philadelphia, PA

### Academic Teaching Experience:

Fall 2021	Instructor, University of Southern California
Fall 2020	Teaching Assistant, University of Southern California
06/14 – 06/14	Teaching Assistant, Brown University, Providence, RI
08/08 – 12/08	Teaching Assistant, University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL

### Publications:

Barnett, N. P., **DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Tesdahl, E. A., & Meisel, M. K. (2022). Peer selection and influence for marijuana use in a complete network of first-year college students. *Addictive Behaviors, 124*.

**DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Clomax, A., Dodge, J., and Rice, E. (2021). Social Network Correlates of Education and Employment Service Use among Youth Experiencing Homelessness: A Longitudinal Study. *Children and Youth Services Review, 129*.

Rice, E., Wilder, B., Onasch-Vera, L., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Petering, R., Hill, C., Yadav, A., Tambe, M. (in Press). Results from a Peer-Led, Social Network Intervention, Augmented by Artificial Intelligence to Prevent HIV among Youth Experiencing Homelessness. *Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes*.

Pedersen, E. R., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Klein, D. J., Davis, J. P., Farris, C., D'Amico, E. J., LaBrie, J. W., & Griffin, B. A. (in press). Sexual violence victimization among college students studying abroad. *Journal of American College Health*.

Davis, J. P., Eddie, D., Prindle, J., Dworkin, E. R. Christie, N. C., Saba, S., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Clapp, J. D., Kelly, J. F (2021). Sex Differences in Factors Predicting Post-treatment Opioid Use. *Addiction*, 116(8), 2116-2126. <https://doi.org/10.1111/add.15396>

**DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Davis, J. P., Christie, N. C., Rice, E. (2020). Polysubstance use among youth experiencing homelessness: The role of trauma, mental health, and social network composition. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*, 216(1). <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.drugalcdep.2020.108228>

**DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Corcoran, C., Cunningham, T., Nguyen, H., Noel, M., White, P., Bar, F. (2020). Mobilizing a community-academic partnership to provide DIY hand washing stations to Skid Row residents during COVID-19. *Health Promotion Practice*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1524839920953092>

**DiGuseppi, G.**, Davis, J. P., Leightley, D., Rice, E. (2020). Predictors of adolescents' first-episode of homelessness following substance use treatment. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 66(4), 408-415. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jadohealth.2019.11.312>

**DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Davis, J. P., Meisel, M. K., Clark, M. C., Roberson, M., Ott, M. Q., Barnett, N. P. (2020). The influence of peer and parental norms on first-generation college students' binge drinking trajectories. *Addictive Behaviors*, 103. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.addbeh.2019.106227>

Davis, J. P., Christie, N., Dworkin, E.; Prindle, J., Dumas, T., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Helton, J., Ring, C. (2020). Influences of Victimization and Comorbid Conditions on Latency to Illicit Drug Use among Adolescents and Young Adults. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*, 206(1).

Barr, N., Davis, J., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Keeling, M., & Castro, C. (in Press). Direct and Indirect Effects of Mindfulness, PTSD, and Depression on Self-Stigma of Mental Illness in OEF/OIF Veterans. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*. doi: 10.1037/tra0000535

Pedersen, E. R., Davis, J. P., Hummer, J. F., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Sedano, A., Rodriguez, A., & Clapp, J. D. (2020). Development of a measure to assess protective behavioral strategies for pregameing among young adults. *Substance Use and Misuse*, 55(4), 534-545. doi: 10.1080/10826084.2019.1686025

Davis, J. P., **DiGuseppi, G. T.**, De Leon, J., Prindle, J., Sedano, A., Rivera, D., Henwood, B., Rice, E. (2019). Understanding pathways between PTSD, homelessness, and substance use among adolescents. *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors*, 33(5), 467-476. doi: 10.1037/adb0000488

Davis, J. P., Barr, N., Dworkin, E. R., Dumas, T. M., Berey, B., **DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Cahn, R. (2019). Effect of Mindfulness Based Relapse Prevention on Impulsivity Trajectories among Young Adults in Residential Substance Use Disorder Treatment. *Mindfulness*, 10(10), 1997-2009.

Ott, M. Q., Balestrieri, S. G., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Clark, M. A., Bernstein, M., Helseth, S., Barnett, N. P. (2020). Identification and Description of Potentially Influential Social Network Members: Application of the Strategic Player Approach. *Substance Use and Misuse*, 55(5), 715-720. doi: 10.1080/10826084.2019.1701032

Cassidy, R. N., Miller, M. E., Tidey, J. W., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Denlinger-Apte, R., & Colby, S. M. (2019). The Impact of Nicotine Dose on the Reinforcing Value of Cigarettes in Adolescents. *Tobacco Regulatory Science*, 5(2), 105-114.

Balestrieri, S. G., **DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Meisel, M. K., Clark, M. C., Ott, M. Q., Barnett, N. P. (2018). U.S. College Students' Social Network Characteristics and Perceived Social Exclusion: A Comparison Between Drinkers and Nondrinkers Based on Past-Month Alcohol Use. *Journal of Studies on Alcohol and Drugs*, 79(6), 862-867.

**DiGuseppi, G.**, Meisel, M. K., Balestrieri, S., Barnett, N. P. (2018). Relationships between social network characteristics, alcohol use and alcohol-related consequences in a large network of first-year college students: How do peer drinking norms fit in? *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors*, 84, 151-159.

Wray, T. B., Celio, M. A., Perez, A. E., **DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Carr, D. J., Woods, L., & Monti, P. M. (2019). Causal Effects of Alcohol Intoxication on Sexual Risk Intentions and Condom Negotiation Skills among High-Risk Men who have Sex with Men (MSM). *AIDS and Behavior*, 23(1), 161-174.

Barnett, N. P., Clark, M. A., Light, J. M., Ott, M. Q., **DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Balestrieri, S. G., Kenney, S. R., Meisel, M. K. (2019). Enrollment and Assessment of a First-Year College Class Social Network for a Controlled Trial of the Indirect Effect of a Brief Motivational Intervention. *Contemporary Clinical Trials*, 71, 16-23.

Kenney, S. R., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Balestrieri, S., Meisel, M. K., & Barnett, N. P. (2018). Poor Mental Health, Peer Drinking Norms, and Alcohol Risk in a Social Network of First-Year College Students. *Addictive Behaviors*, 84, 151-159.

Cassidy, R.N., Meisel, M.K., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Balestrieri, S., & Barnett, N.P. (2018). Initiation of vaporizing cannabis: Individual and social network predictors in a longitudinal study of young adults. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*, 188, 334-340.

**DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Meisel, M. K., Balestrieri, S. G., Ott, M. Q., Cox, M. J., Clark, M. A., & Barnett, N. P. (2018). Resistance to Peer Influence Moderates the Relationship Between Perceived (but Not Actual) Social Norms and Binge Drinking in a College Student Peer Network. *Addictive Behaviors*, 80, 47-52.

Meisel, M. K., DiBello, A., Ott, M. Q., Clark, M. C., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Balestrieri, S., & Barnett, N. P. (2017). An Event- and Network-Level Analysis of College Students' Maximum Drinking Day. *Addictive Behaviors*, 79, 189-194.

Celio, M. A., Mastroleo, N. R., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Barnett, N., Colby, S. M., Kahler, C. W., Operario, D., Suffoletto, B., Monti, P. M. (2017). Using Video Conferencing to Deliver a Brief Motivational Intervention for Alcohol and Sex Risk to Emergency Department Patients: A Proof-of-Concept Pilot Study. *Addiction Research and Theory*, 25(4), 318-325.

Cacciola, J., Brooks, A., Kizina, K., Moberg, E., Berman, J., & **DiGuseppi, G.** (2015). RecoveryTrack-Extended Care, a novel monitoring and outreach intervention. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence*, 146(1), e236.

Brooks, A.C., Byrne, E., Case, T. C., & **DiGuseppi, G.** (2013). Keep it Moving: A Guide to Breaking Habits. Philadelphia, PA: Treatment Research Institute.

Brooks, A. C., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Laudet, A., Rosenwasser, B., Knoblach, D., Carpenedo, C., ... Kirby, K. C., (2012). Developing an evidence-based, multimedia group counseling curriculum toolkit. *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment*, 43(2), 178-189.

#### Conference Presentations:

**DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Davis, J. P., Dworkin, E. R., Helton, J., Prindle, J., Patel, S., Dumas, T. M., Miller, S. (2021, March). Differential effects of adolescents' experiences of victimization on substance use disorder diagnoses. In J. Davis (Organizer/Chair), Influences of violence exposure and co-occurring conditions on substance use outcomes among at risk youth. Symposium conducted at the Annual Collaborative Perspectives on Addiction Meeting, Virtual Meeting.

Rice, E., Onasch-Vera, L., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Hill, C., Petering, R., Wilson, N., Woo, D., Thompson, N., Tambe, M., Wilder, B., Yadav, A. (2020, October). Using artificial intelligence to augment network-based, HIV prevention for youth experiencing homelessness. Poster accepted for presentation at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association, San Francisco, California.

**DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Davis, J. P., Christie, N. C., Rice, E. (2020, June). Trauma, mental health, and social network factors associated with polysubstance use among youth experiencing homelessness. Poster accepted for presentation at the meeting Research Society for Alcoholism, New Orleans, Louisiana. (Conference Cancelled).

Hummer, J. F., Davis, J. P., Zutshi, R., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Sedano, A., Rodriguez, A., Clapp, J. D., & Pedersen, E. R. (2020, April). A measure to assess protective behavioral strategies for pre-gaming among young adults. Society of Addiction Psychology. Collaborative Perspectives on Addiction (CPA) Conference Program. Retrieved from [osf.io/xgy9k](https://osf.io/xgy9k) doi: 10.17605/OSF.IO/XGY9K.

**DiGuiseppi, G. T.,** Rice, E., Lee, J. O. & Davis, J. P. (2020, January). Predictors of first-episode of homelessness among adolescents and young adults in a nationwide substance use treatment sample. Poster accepted for presentation at the meeting of the Society for Social Work and Research, Washington, D.C.

**DiGuiseppi, G. T.** (2019, June). Alcohol, prescription drug misuse, sexual violence and dating violence among a Sample of high school youth. In E. Pedersen (Organizer/Chair), Sexual violence victimization and alcohol risk among diverse groups: Implications for targeted prevention and intervention efforts. Symposium conducted at the meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

**DiGuiseppi, G. T.,** Davis, J. P., Clark, M. A., Roberson, M., Barnett, N. P. (2019, June). First-generation college students at a private University: Lower risk alcohol-beliefs and alcohol use trajectories during the first year of college. Poster session presented at the meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Barnett, N. P. (2018, June). Examining spillover effects of a brief motivational intervention to reduce alcohol consumption and harms in a sociocentric first-year college student network. In N. P. Barnett (Chair), M. K. Meisel (Co-chair) & **G. T. DiGuiseppi** (Organizer), Efficacy of social network-based intervention approaches for hazardous alcohol use and problem behavior: Innovative application in varied populations. Symposium conducted at the meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, San Diego, California.

**DiGuiseppi, G. T.,** Meisel, M. K., Balestrieri, S., Ott, M. Q., Clark, M. A., Light, J. M., Kenney, S. R., Barnett, N. P. (2018, June). Confidence in perceptions and more frequent socializing moderate agreement between perceived and actual changes in close peers' heavy drinking. Poster session presented at the meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, San Diego, California.

Cassidy, R.N., Miller, M.E., Colby, S.M., Tidey, J.W., Jackson, K.J., **DiGuiseppi, G.,** Hatsukami, D. (2018, February). The Impact of Nicotine Dose on the Reinforcing Value of Cigarettes in Adolescents. Poster session presented at the meeting of the Society for Research on Nicotine & Tobacco Annual Conference, Baltimore, MD.

Balestrieri, S. G., **DiGuiseppi, G. T.,** Meisel, M. K., & Barnett, N. P. (2017, June). Predicting alcohol-induced blackouts: attitudes, injunctive norms, and social network endorsement of blackouts. Poster session presented at the meeting of the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Denver, Colorado.

Barnett, N. P., Clark, M. A., Ott, M. Q., Kenney, S. M., Light, J., Meisel, M. K., . . . Balestrieri, S. G. (2017, June). Relationship between network characteristics and heavy drinking in a complete social network of first-year college students. Poster session presented at the meeting of the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Denver, Colorado.

**DiGuiseppi, G. T.,** Balestrieri, S. G., Kenney, S. M., Meisel, M. K., Clark, M. A., & Barnett, N. P. (2017, June). Perceived closeness to important peers moderates the relationship between anxiety and alcohol use among college students. Poster session presented at the meeting of the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Denver, Colorado.

**DiGuiseppi, G. T.,** Meisel, M. K., Balestrieri, S. G., Clark, M. A., & Barnett, N. P. (2017, June). Resistance to peer influence protects against perceived (but not actual) heavy drinking norms within a college student social network. Poster session presented at the meeting of the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Denver, Colorado.

Meisel, M. K., **DiGuiseppi, G. T.,** Balestrieri, S. G., Ott, M. Q., Clark, M. A., Kenney, S. M., . . . Barnett, N. P. (2017, June). Comparison in substance use between sociocentric and egocentric network data in a first-year class. Poster session presented at the meeting of the annual meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, Denver, Colorado.

**DiGuiseppi, G.,** Wray., T. W., Celio, M., Kahler, C., Monti, P. (2016, June). Sexual Motives for Drinking Moderate Binge Drinking and Sexual Activity among Men Who Have Sex with Men. Poster session presented at the meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Celio, M., **DiGuiseppi, G.,** Mastroleo, N., Barnett, N., Colby, S., Kahler, C., Operario, D. & P. Monti, P. (2016, June). "It's really her and it's really me. It's just that she's on a screen": A pilot study of video-conference MI for alcohol and sex risk with ED patients. Poster session presented at the meeting of the Research Society on Alcoholism, New Orleans, Louisiana.

**DiGuseppi, G.**, Cassidy, R. N., Tidey, J., Colby, S. M. (2016, March). The Impact of Nicotine Dose on the Reinforcing Value of Cigarettes in Adolescents: Results from a Within-Subjects Laboratory Study. Poster session presented at the meeting of the Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco, Chicago, Illinois.

Cacciola, J., Brooks, A., Kizina, K., Moberg, E., Berman, J., **DiGuseppi, G.** (2014, June). RecoveryTrack-Extended Care, a novel monitoring and outreach intervention. Poster session presented at the meeting of the College of Problems on Drug Dependence, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Fairfax-Columbo, J.V., Brooks, A.C., **DiGuseppi, G.**, Carpenedo, C., & Kirby, K.C. (2014, January). RoadMAP Online: A web-based learning supplement to a relapse prevention curriculum. Poster session presented at the American Psychology-Law Society (AP-LS) Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Brooks, A. C., **DiGuseppi, G. T.**, Laudet, A., Rosenwasser, B., Knoblach, D., Kirby, K. C. (2011, June). Evidence-based multimedia toolkits improve counselor adherence in group counseling with minimal training: Preliminary results. Poster session presented at the College of Problems on Drug Dependence, Hollywood, Florida.

**Professional Memberships/Certifications:**

Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco (Student Member)

Research Society on Alcoholism (Student Member)

American Psychological Association (Student Member)